

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

MINUTES OF PERRY TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES

MEETING
HELD AUGUST 5, 2026

PERRY TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES MET IN RESCHEDULED REGULAR SESSION, CALLED TO ORDER AT 6:30 BY CHAIRPERSON SCOTT STOMBAUGH – PRESENT, KEVIN COX – PRESENT, FRANK CLEMENTZ - ABSENT. ROLL CALL BY FISCAL OFFICER. THE TRUSTEES PRAYER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE FOLLOWED.

NATALIE SCOTT, ASST FISCAL OFFICER –

REMIND DEPT HEADS TO VERIFY ALL VEHICLES ON INSURANCE POLICY.

MOTION TO APPROVE JULY CREDIT CARD RECONCILIATION

MOTION TO APPROVE JULY BANK RECONCILIATION

MOTION TO APPROVE INVOICES FOR ALLEN CO RECYCLERS FOR CLEAN UP DAY \$7800

MOTION TO APPROVE THE INVOICE FOR HUFFMAN, KELLY AND BROCK FOR \$2825 FOR VICTORY LOUNGE APPEAL

LARGE PURCHASES THIS TIME: ATLANTIC EMERGENCY INVOICE \$4200 AND \$5700 FOR BWC GRANT, PREVIOUSLY APPROVED IN PRIOR MEETING.

LEADS FEES TO TREASURER OF STATE \$3000

LIMA/ALLEN COUNTY BED TAX JUNE 2026 \$18,903.89

DEPARTMENT HEADS

COREY LEHMAN, ROAD SUPERVISOR – ABSENT

THAYER RD – DIGITAL SIGN INSTALLED AND COLLECTING DATA, WILL HAVE REPORT FOR 8/18/26 MEETING, ALSO 55 MPH SIGNS WILL BE INSTALLED BY THE COUNTY ENGINEER'S OFFICE SOON. THEY HAVE OTHER PROJECTS AHEAD OF THIS AND WILL GET UP AS SOON AS THEY CAN.

COREY CALLED DR STEINER ABOUT THE TILE PROJECT ON BOWMAN RD. AND HAVE NOT HEARD BACK FROM HIM.

TOBY WATSON, INTERIM POLICE CHIEF – ABSENT – RICK EDWARDS HERE TO REPRESENT POLICE DEPT.

TOBY ASKED RICK TO CHECK ALL VEHICLES' LIGHTS

457 RIGHT AND LEFT UNDERSIDE LIGHTS HAVE SOME BULBS OUT, TAIL LIGHTS LED NEED LOOKED AT

458 UNDER LIGHTS ARE NOT WORKING, PUSH BAR HAS LIGHTS OUT

TRUSTEES SAY TO FIX THE LIGHTS THAT NEED IT.

TOBY HAD SOMEONE FROM HARDIN COUNTY LOOKING TO GET SOME PART-TIME HOURS. SHE IS A FULL-TIME OFFICER SOMEWHERE ELSE. SEND HIRING APPLICATION TO TOBY TO GIVE TO INTERESTED CANDIDATE.

JOHN BREWSTER, ZONING INSPECTOR – ABSENT

LOOKING FOR JOHN TO GIVE AN UPDATE FROM LARRY HUFFMAN ON VICTORY LOUNGE CASE.

SCHEDULED FOR 9/15/26 AT 9 AM.

AUGUST 12TH PUBLIC HEARING FOR MILLER PERFORMANCE 6:30 PM FOR NONCONFORMING CONTINUED USE.

APPOINT NORM CAPPs TO ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS.

NEED TO ADJUST FOR EXTENSION ON PERMITS FOR ALTERATIONS OR PERMITS. TIME OF 1 YEAR RECOMMENDED. NEED TO LOOK AT THIS IN FUTURE.

NICK ADAMS, FIRE CHIEF- ABSENT, BROOKE HEDGES HERE

SUBMITTED PURCHASE REQUEST FOR TWO SETS OF TURN OUT GEAR AND BOOTS AND HELMET \$7200 BOARD MOVED TO PURCHASE

SUBMITTED PURCHASE REQUEST FOR RADIOS, WILL LOOK AT THIS NEXT MEETING – COMMERCIAL COMMUNICATION \$4,953.92

LAST DAY OF FAIR – POLICE WILL CLOSE ROAD FOR FIREWORKS ON LAST DAY OF FAIR IN EVENING

RESIGNATION OF MATT CARNEY, FULL-TIME FIREFIGHTER. HE IS LOOKING TO CHANGE HIS FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT. WOULD LIKE TO BE HIRED AS A PART-TIME EMPLOYEE AND VOLUNTEER.

RESIGNATION OF LACY PRICE – SHE IS GOING TO BE STATIONED IN A LONG-TERM MILITARY ROLE AND CHOSE TO RESIGN.

GIVEN UPDATED ROSTER FOR FIRE DEPT

HAVE A LOT OF STAFF CONTINUING THEIR EDUCATION IN FIRE DEPARTMENT.

OGUESTS

OWEN MCCREIGHT – REGIONAL PLANNING, HERE TO SPEAK TO TALK ABOUT TIP (TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM)

EVERY TWO YEARS REWRITTEN. 20% MATCH, GRANT WOULD COVER 80% OF COST. LOOKING FOR PROJECTS THAT WOULD QUALIFY FOR TIP PROJECTS. PROJECT DEADLINE FOR THIS CYCLE IS 9/30/26 THIS YEAR. COLLEEN BARRY – IS CONTACT FOR POTENTIAL PROJECT

LARRY SIDENER – SCHOOLER RD – SEVERAL HOUSES BEING BUILT BY RIVER. JOHN WAS SUPPOSED TO SEND LETTER ABOUT WEEDS TO LANDOWNER.

JIM CLEMENTZ - WOULD LIKE SPEED SIGN TRAFFIC PATTERN DATA. OWEN FROM REGIONAL PLANNING WILL SEND IT TO CHRISTINA, AND WE WILL GET IT TO JIM.

CATHY CLEMENTZ

TRUSTEES

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT WAS GOOD AND GOOD TO SEE OUR TOWNSHIP REPRESENTED.

RESOLUTIONS

MOTIONS

COX MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE MEETING MINUTES FROM JULY 21, 2026, 2ND STOMBAUGH.
STOMBAUGH – YES, COX- YES, CLEMENTZ – ABSENT

COX MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE CORRECTED MEETING MINUTES FROM MAY 22, 2026 SPECIAL MEETING, 2ND STOMBAUGH
STOMBAUGH – YES, COX- YES, CLEMENTZ – ABSENT

COX MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE WORK SESSION MEETING MINUTES FROM JANUARY 16, 2026, 2ND STOMBAUGH
STOMBAUGH – YES, COX- YES, CLEMENTZ – ABSENT

COX MADE A MOTION TO PAY BILLS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$105,404.56, 2ND STOMBAUGH.
STOMBAUGH – YES, COX- YES, CLEMENTZ – ABSENT

COX MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE JULY 2026 BANK RECONCILIATION, 2ND STOMBAUGH.
STOMBAUGH – YES, COX- YES, CLEMENTZ – ABSENT

COX MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE CREDIT CARD RECONCILIATION FOR JULY 2026, 2ND STOMBAUGH.
STOMBAUGH – YES, COX- YES, CLEMENTZ – ABSENT

COX MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE THE INVOICES FOR HUFFMAN, KELLY AND BROCK FOR \$2,825 FOR VICTORY LOUNGE APPEAL, 2ND STOMBAUGH
STOMBAUGH – YES, COX- YES, CLEMENTZ – ABSENT

COX MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE THE INVOICES FOR ALLEN COUNTY RECYCLERS FOR CLEAN UP DAY FOR \$7,800, 2ND STOMBAUGH.
STOMBAUGH – YES, COX- YES, CLEMENTZ – ABSENT

COX MADE A MOTION TO APPOINT NORMAN CAPPS TO ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY, 2ND STOMBAUGH
STOMBAUGH – YES, COX- YES, CLEMENTZ – ABSENT

STOMBAUGH MADE A MOTION TO PURCHASE FIRE GEAR AS PRESENTED IN REQUEST FROM ATLANTIC IN THE AMOUNT OF \$7200, 2ND COX
STOMBAUGH – YES, COX- YES, CLEMENTZ – ABSENT

STOMBAUGH MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE RESIGNATION FROM MATT CARNEY FOR FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT AS OF 8/15/26 (RESIGNATION LETTER READ), 2ND COX, 2ND COX
STOMBAUGH – YES, COX- YES, CLEMENTZ – ABSENT

STOMBAUGH MADE A MOTION TO HIRE MATT CARNEY AS PART-TIME EMT AND APPOINT AS A VOLUNTEER AT APPLICABLE RATES, 2ND COX
STOMBAUGH – YES, COX- YES, CLEMENTZ – ABSENT

STOMBAUGH MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE RESIGNATION FROM THE FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR LACY PRICE AS OF 8/19/26 (RESIGNATION LETTER READ), 2ND COX STOMBAUGH – YES, COX- YES, CLEMENTZ – ABSENT

COX MADE A MOTION TO ADJOURN AT 7:27 PM, 2ND STOMBAUGH STOMBAUGH – YES, COX- YES, CLEMENTZ – ABSENT