

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Minutes of

SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES

Meeting

GOVERNMENT FORMS & SUPPLIES 844-224-3338 FORM NO. 10148

Held

August 18, 2025 20

The Board of Trustees met in Regular session with the following members present:

Mr. Paul L. Gleisinger
Mr. Don A. Daugherty
Mr. Brad Orewiler
FO Anita L. Kochheiser
Chief Adam Spellman

The meeting was called to order at 6:00p.m. by Trustee Gleisinger.
The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Approval of minutes were presented later in the meeting. The wrong meeting minutes were copied and presented to the Board and the correct meeting minutes were in the process of being copied.

The following bills were presented for payment:

754-2025	Charles Kleilein	\$1,758.50
755-2025	Samuel Kleilein	\$1,839.29
757-2025	Amanda Hike	\$83.77
759-2025	Harvey Bachmann	\$387.98
760-2025	Jacob Bartram	\$271.70
761-2025	Laverne Bickers	\$658.27
762-2025	Joshua Bradley	\$1,175.85
763-2025	Justin Brant	\$1,701.98
764-2025	Luke Bruce	\$1,490.69
765-2025	Cody Burden	\$1,256.10
766-2025	Michael Carey	\$1,653.55
767-2025	Roger Chambers	\$686.73
768-2025	Priscilla Dipadova	\$1,020.49
769-2025	Addison Fonner	\$630.65
770-2025	Kyle Foust	\$1,537.95
771-2025	Dennis Gast	\$2,259.91
772-2025	Dustin Gray	\$312.17
773-2025	John Gray	\$2,271.93
774-2025	Kirstin Gray	\$1,364.86
775-2025	Christopher Kohler	\$1,443.46
776-2025	Ellen Meredith	\$1,862.15
777-2025	Richard Metzger	\$1,608.55
778-2025	Reece Miller	\$1,542.97
779-2025	Lucas Morton	\$1,344.94
780-2025	Christopher Ott	\$1,704.69
781-2025	Benjamin Ricker	\$1,754.39
782-2025	Noah Sgambellone	\$1,696.28
783-2025	Anthony Shelton	\$1,888.37
784-2025	Colton Shelton	\$1,644.95
785-2025	Jonathan Smith	\$678.94
786-2025	Adam Spellman	\$2,163.05
787-2025	Jarrold Strouth	\$1,548.22
788-2025	Ryan Swank	\$1,018.62
789-2025	Michael Thomas	\$6.33
790-2025	Angelo Tino	\$1,577.10
791-2025	Michael Volz	\$1,683.54
792-2025	Michael Wilson	\$1,894.66
794-2025	Prudential Retirement	\$2,381.00
795-2025	Internal Revenue Service	\$9,465.47
45093	Park National Bank H.S.A. Account	\$529.00
45094	Cole Distributing, Inc.	\$1,069.17
45095	Amazon Capital Services	\$1,393.24
45096	Bound Tree Medical, LLC	\$1,389.55

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45097	Embroidery Wearhouse & Screen	\$2,313.79
45098	Your Fleetcard Program	\$266.12
45099	Speedway SuperAmerica, LLC	\$1,450.83
45100	Galion Community Hospital	\$88.00
45101	Harbor Freight Tools	\$159.99
45102	Hursh Drugs, Inc.	\$95.85
45103	Imperial Dade/Janton 1280	\$270.09
45104	JN&C Transport, LLC	\$1,100.00
45105	Lexipol	\$3,089.20
45106	LiquidSprings, LLC	\$736.43
45107	Mansfield Packing & Shipping	\$16.44
45108	Norweco	\$475.18
45109	Verizon Wireless	\$514.49
45110	Wilcox Sales & Service Company	\$1,290.57
45111	Rumpke	\$138.96
45112	City of Ontario-Water/Sewer Bill	\$149.13
45113	Charter Communications	\$947.91
45114	Columbia Gas	\$468.15
45115	Ohio Edison	\$2,413.57
45116	Hope419	\$600.00
45117	Mar Zane, Inc	\$282.08
45118	Napa Auto Parts-Col222	\$1,399.83
45119	Elan Financial Services	\$3,669.08
45120	Elan Financial Services	\$454.95
45121	Verizon Wireless	\$311.70

Total Payments: \$88,353.35

Motion #125-2025: Trustee Orewiler made a motion to pay the bills, seconded by Trustee Daugherty, motion carried.

I hereby certify that there are sufficient funds on deposit in the Springfield Township Treasury to pay the bills listed.

Anita L. Kochheiser, Fiscal Officer

Present: Craig Hunt, Nathan Volz, Joyce Taylor, AC Shelton, Jarrod Strouth, Kyle Foust, and Amanda Hike.

Trustee Gleisinger updated the Board on the Road Department. They have been mowing the cemetery, helped the Fire Department install a new tank on the mule, provided a burial on the 11th of August, and did some patch work on Eckstein and Lewis Rd. They also helped Sandusky Township with ditching along the roads.

Trustee Gleisinger discussed the generator that is needed for Station #2. Gleisinger talked to Mr. Burger who is an electrical engineer because he provided the bid and designed the generator for Station #1. Trustee Daugherty is going to meet with him tomorrow to discuss whether Mr. Burger can get bid specs drawn up to send out for bid to make sure the Township gets the right design for the building.

Deputy Josh Loney from the Richland County Sheriff's Office applied for a grant through the Ohio AG's Office requesting funds to conduct a "No Littering" Signage Campaign and the grant was approved. His plan was to provide every township with at least one 30x48 "\$500 penalty" sign, two 10ft galvanized posts, one 12x18 "No Dumping Allowed" sign, one 6-foot

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galvanized post, and all the needed hardware. The signs are to replace either old, broken, or worn-out signs and posts or to place them in areas townships are experiencing dumping complaints. The signs are completed and can now be picked up by the township.

Chief Spellman was contacted by Mike Thompson who is starting a Public Safety Program at Pioneer and wanted to know if the department could donate any equipment. The department has equipment in the barn that is outdated and can no longer be used in service of residents. Chief Spellman requested approval from the Board to donate the outdated gear to Pioneer for the program. Board Approved.

At the beginning of the year, two students were offered to be reimbursed for paramedic school and at that time an employee was already in class and paid out of his own pocket. Chief Spellman requested Kyle Foust be reimbursed \$6,500.00 if he stays with the department for 3 years. Trustee Gleisinger asked if there was a max amount that the Trustee's had set in the past for reimbursement. Trustee Daugherty responded tuition varies so much depending on where employees have gone to school so the Trustee's really couldn't put a dollar amount on it.

Motion #126-2025: Trustee Gleisinger made a motion for Springfield Township to enter into an agreement with FF Kyle Foust to reimburse him the \$6,500.00 he paid out-of-pocket for paramedic school once he completes 3 years of employment with Springfield Township, seconded by Trustee Orewiler, and upon a roll call vote all members voted "Aye".

Chief Spellman discussed earlier in the year about updating heart monitors. The sales rep for Stryker was in the area and informed Chief that the company is implementing a 5% rate increase starting October 1st. The department's monitors are 8 years old, the service contract is expensive, and Stryker will not cover the monitors after 14 years. The department can put an order in for next year on a payment plan and the old monitors will be removed. For three monitors with maintenance packages the cost will be \$166,628.00 minus \$24,000 for trade in credit for old monitors and each ambulance would have one. The department could save \$5,000.00 by not getting the printers because everything is electronic now. The software built into these monitors will tell what type of heart attack it is, and the paramedics won't have to stop doing compressions to get underlying rhythm, so you know if you need to stop or keep going. If the department orders sooner than October it will save the department \$5,000.00 due to the 5% increase. Chief Spellman is going to try to get group pricing with other departments if they are interested. FO Kochheiser informed Chief Spellman that if the department were to wait until next year the additional money to purchase the monitors wouldn't be available until April. Trustee Gleisinger asked what the life expectancy of these monitors are. Chief Spellman responded it's a little longer than 8 years, however he wanted to get a good return on the old monitors, and the service contract only lasts until 14 years. The monitors have had a lot of wear and tear on them and recently had to have a service guy come and fix one of the monitors last month. The monitors get used and abused and just staying up with the technology is the right thing for the residents. The \$9,000.00 in Opioid funds could be used toward it. Trustee Gleisinger asked if the Board could have one more meeting to think about it. Trustee Orewiler agreed. FO Kochheiser asked if Ohio Health could help with some of the cost. Chief Spellman will ask Ohio Health and Avita as well. Chief Spellman added the pulse ox could be removed and that would be an additional \$1,700.00 savings. Sales rep offered to come into the meeting and answer any questions the Trustees may have about the contract.

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Motion #127-2025: Trustee Orewiler moved to approve the regular meeting minutes of August 04, 2025, seconded by Trustee Gleisinger, motion carried.

Trustee Orewiler has a safety council meeting, and he cannot go. Any Trustee or employee of the Fire Department can go for credit. Trustee Daugherty offered to attend, and Anthony Shelton would like to attend the meetings in the future.

FO Kochheiser informed the Board that the vision insurance through VSP is up for renewal on December 1st, 2025, and Rinehart is aware of the renewal. There is not a rate increase if the coverage stays the same. FO Kochheiser gave the Trustees paperwork with different options, and they need to let Rinehart know what is decided. They can bring their decision to the next meeting, so they have time to look over the different plans.

Ohio Plan is coming up for renewal in November. FO Kochheiser will email Trustee Gleisinger the equipment schedules tomorrow and he will do the questionnaire. FO Kochheiser asked Chief Spellman if he had talked to insurance about Tilly. Chief Spellman responded he has not yet but will.

HB 96 talks about Ohio's new Cybersecurity Law. Chip from IT is spearheading the project and putting everything together to comply with the new laws. The new mandates are due on September 30th. Chip will schedule a meeting with the Trustees once everything is together.

Public Comment: No comments

Motion #128-2025: Trustee Gleisinger made a motion to go into executive session at 6:55 pm for the appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, or compensation of an employee or official, or the investigation of charges or complaints against an employee, official, licensee or student, unless the employee, official, licensee or student requests a public hearing; seconded by Trustee Daugherty, motion carried.

Motion #129-2025: Trustee Gleisinger made a motion to return to regular session at 7:12 pm, seconded by Trustee Daugherty, motion carried.

There being no further business to come before the Board,

Motion #130-2025: Trustee Orewiler made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Trustee Daugherty, motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 7:13pm.

APPROVED Paul Gleisinger
ATTESTED Antia L. Kochheiser