

The Suffield Township Board of Trustees met at the Suffield Community Room on February 11, 2020 for the purpose of paying the bills of the Township. Chairman Jeff Eldreth called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM. Present were Board Members Jeff Eldreth, Jared Phillip, Thomas Calcei and Township Fiscal Officer Lori Calcei.

#### ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

1. The Trustees acknowledged the letter from the Board of Elections that states that the Primary Election will be held on March 17, 2020.
2. The Trustees acknowledged receipt of Resolution 20-015 from the Board of Commissioners that reduces load limits 35% on all county and township road in Portage County effective January 31, 2020 or as soon thereafter as signs are posted.

#### FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT

Fire Chief Robert Rasnick reported that the Fire Department had (5) Continuing Ed Classes and the following (71) Calls during the month of: January

(55) EMS Calls, (3) Vehicle Accident Call, (8) Fire Response Calls, & (5) Mutual Aid Calls

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT GRANTS

It was moved by Mr. Calcei and seconded by Mr. Phillip to grant Chief Rasnick permission to apply for four grants. Two FEMA grants, one Fire Marshall Grant and one Energy Transfer Grant.

Roll Call: Mr. Eldreth- Yes-, Mr. Calcei-Yes, Mr. Phillip-Yes

#### STARK STATE COLLEGE (PO)

It was moved by Mr. Calcei and seconded by Mr. Eldreth to approve a PO for \$4308.65 to Stark State College for classes for Ryan Evans and Grace Fonk.

Roll Call: Mr. Eldreth- Yes-, Mr. Calcei-Yes, Mr. Phillip-Yes

#### THANK YOU TO DAVID(Pete) EINLOTH

Chief Rasnick thanked Dave Einloth for his assistance with training our new members on the roads in the township.

#### ROAD DEPARTMENT REPORT

1. There was discussion about building the new salt shed and about the possibility of buying a new pickup truck for the road department.

#### H L LULI (PO)

It was moved by Mr. Eldreth and seconded by Mr. Calcei to approve a PO to H L Luli Construction for \$6,000. This PO is for a project that will put in one culvert and basins at Arehart Dr. and Bixler Rd.

Roll Call: Mr. Eldreth- Yes-, Mr. Calcei-Yes, Mr. Phillip-Yes

ZONING

Mr. Phillip informed us of the following:

- 1. The dam work at Wingfoot Lake has been completed and ODNR is now refilling the lake to its normal levels.
- 2. There is more interest in the purchase of the old SUCC Church on Waterloo Rd.

RESIDENT COMPLAINTS AND CONCERNS

- 1. A resident again complained about the house at 1560 Carriage House Lane. He complained that the new owners have allowed their building permit to expire and that the renovations seem to have come to a stop. Mr. Eldreth will look into this.
- 2. A resident complained about 387 Waterloo Rd. He believes this place needs to be cleaned up and that they are running a business out of this location. Mr. Phillip will look into this.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 1. The Board of Elections is in need of poll workers.
- 2. The US Census Bureau is looking for workers to help with the Census.
- 3. The Suffield League's Chili Cook-Off was a huge success.
- 4. The Memorial Day Parade time is changing. The memorial service will now be at 9:00 with the parade kicking off at 10:00.

PAYMENT OF BILLS

It was moved by Mr. Eldreth and seconded by Mr. Calcei to approve payment of all Wages, Invoices, Bills and/or Committed Obligations as prepared by the Fiscal Officer per warrants No.44212 through 44236, vouchers 75 and 71 and EFT's 33-73.

Roll Call: Mr. Calcei-Yes-, Mr. Eldreth-Yes, Mr. Phillip-Yes

ADJOURNMENT

It was moved by Mr. Eldreth and seconded by Mr. Phillip to adjourn the meeting. (7:55PM)

Roll Call: Mr. Eldreth- Yes-, Mr.Calcei-Yes, Mr. Phillip-Yes

Jeff Eldreth, Chairman	Date	Lori Calcei, Fiscal Officer
Jared Phillip	M02112020	Thomas Calcei



