Union Township July 21, 2025

Regular Trustee Meeting

The Union Township Trustees held a regular meeting on July 21, 2025, at 7:00 pm. The Fiscal Officer, Karen Nethers, called Roll, with the following trustees present: Roger Start and John Slater. Mr. Sharps was absent. Administrator Paula Greene and Road Superintendent Dave Cable were also in attendance. Trustee Start led the Pledge of Allegiance. Guest: Bill McWilliams and Martha Cable

Minutes – Mr. Slater motioned, and Mr. Sharps seconded to approve the July 7 Regular meeting. Motion Carried.

Bills – Mr. Slater motioned, and Mr. Start, seconded to approve the bills. Motion carried. Public Comments – None.

Fiscal Officer

Audit update- The State Auditor expected to conclude in office visits soon.

Vacant Position – Posted opening on Indeed job website. Received several applications.

Road and Bridge

Tractor – Mowing operations have stopped due to mechanical problems with the boom. Options for repair and the expected timeline were discussed. The tire rim has been repaired.

Refugee Cemetery – Contacting tree service providers has been challenging. Estimates are expected soon.

EPA Audit – The township passed its part of the recent countywide EPA audit with good status. Speed Limit – Mr. Start inquired about lowering speed limits; this will be reviewed.

Administration

Zoning Resolution Update – Attorney Carnes has submitted her comments. A date for the Planning review has not yet been scheduled.

Violation – Efforts are ongoing to address the Food Truck Violation. The food truck is scheduled for removal by August 1.

Robertson Drive – Paula met with Chad Brown, Health Director, as well as Assistant Prosecutors Carolyn Carnes and Darcy Cook, to discuss the issues related to the property. It was determined that a permanent solution is needed, given the property's location in a flood plain, which makes it unsuitable for residential development. Additional matters, such as identifying properties currently in foreclosure, will require further investigation.

Economic Development & Public Comments & Trustees - none

There being no further business Mr. Start moved to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Slater seconded. Meeting adjourned at 7:19pm.

The next regular meeting of the Union Township Trustees is Monday, August 18, 2025; Special meeting July 30 at 9am, for the purpose of reviewing road bids and possibility of awarding a project.

Roger/Start

President

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Vice President

John Slater / / Trustee

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