

## Blendon Township Board of Trustees

DAYTON LEGAL BLANK, INC., FORM NO. 10148

Held January 20, 20 2021

**Roll Call:** Mr. Welch, here; Mrs. Heichel, here; Mr. Flaherty, here; Mr. Smith, here.

The regular meeting of the Blendon Township Board of Trustees was called to order at 6:30pm. Mr. Flaherty moved to approve and waive the reading of the minutes as presented for the January 6, 2020 meeting. Mrs. Heichel seconded. Roll Call: Mr. Welch, yes; Mrs. Heichel, yes; Mr. Flaherty, yes. The Purchase Orders and Cemetery Deeds were signed by the Board.

**Administrator's Report:** Mr. Rhoads updated the Board on the following: Everyone is healthy. Monday is first JEDZ meeting for the year. Tuesday is IT audit by insurance for safe compliance.

Communications:

1. *Update Reports to the Board – Emailed from the Directors.*
2. *Updated OBM Guidance- Compliance for next round of funding for the coronavirus.*
3. *Extension Notice Real Estate Tax- Extension to January 29, 2021.*

New Business:

1. Resolution 2021-03 Zoning Adjustment Application- Mr. Rhoads requested approval to oppose City of Columbus board of Zoning Adjustment Application. Mr. Flaherty moved to approve Resolution 2021-03, to oppose the request for a variance at 6235 Westerville Road and Emrick Road, due to many odor and dust complaints from residents of surrounding area. Mrs. Heichel second. Roll Call: Mr. Welch, yes; Mrs. Heichel, yes; Mr. Flaherty, yes.
2. Resolution 2021-04 Amending Temporary Appropriation Resolution- Mr. Smith requested the approval for spending the remaining Covid 19 funds. Mrs. Heichel moved to approve Resolution 2021-04, as presented. Mr. Flaherty second. Roll Call: Mr. Welch, yes; Mrs. Heichel, yes; Mr. Flaherty, yes.
3. Franklin County Dispatch Agreement- Chief Belford requested approval from the Board for the renewal of the yearly contract with a small increase. Mrs. Heichel moved to approve the Franklin County Dispatch Agreement for 2021, as presented. Mr. Flaherty second. Roll Call: Mr. Welch, yes; Mrs. Heichel, yes; Mr. Flaherty, yes.
4. Kubota Back Hoe Replacement- Mr. Rhoads requested approval of the purchase of new backhoe to replace the 20+ years old backhoe, used for burials. Mr. Flaherty moved to approve the approval of the purchase of a Kubota back hoe, pricing at \$44,540.51, with trade-in, balance due \$39,000.00, to be paid out of cemetery funds. Mrs. Heichel second. Roll Call: Mr. Welch, yes; Mrs. Heichel, yes; Mr. Flaherty, yes.

Director/Staff Updates:

Mr. Rhoads noted with the next Waste Consortium meeting, contract expected in February or March.

Chief Belford stated no illnesses with Covid, and all equipment at full strength.

Fire Chief Miller noted his fire department will be assisting with the coronavirus vaccinations and with supply not meeting demand, hope to still vaccinate tier 1b and including Westerville City School staff and police.

**RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS**  
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Open Floor:

Mrs. Clegg 3614 Makassar, spoke for Mrs. Wiebel, 5519 Oslo Drive, that Huber Ridge Subdivision will be turning 60 years old this year.

Pay Bills:

Mr. Flaherty moved to pay the bills. Mrs. Heichel seconded. Roll Call: Mr. Welch, yes; Mrs. Heichel, yes; Mr. Flaherty, yes.

Mr. Welch advised that the next zoom meeting will be on Wednesday, February 3, 2021, at 6:30pm.

Being no further business before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 6:47pm.

Approved by \_\_\_\_\_

Shawn S. Smith, Fiscal Officer

Approved by \_\_\_\_\_

James F. Welch, Chairman