Goshen Township Board of Trustees

Regular Meeting Minutes

April 7, 2025

**Attending:** *Trustees:* Daryl G. Flowers-R Allen Barrett-Tye Sherman

*Fiscal Officer* Tammy L Sherman

*Zoning* Officer Bob Wood

*Guest-* N/A

Not Present: N/A

The April meeting of the Goshen Township Trustees took place on Monday April 7, 2025 at the Goshen Township Allen called the meeting to order at 5:30pm

Minutes were read and approved; Motion made Allen approved the Minutes as presented. Seconded by Daryl (3 yes- 0 nay)

Tammy presented the following financial reports with the board members: bank statements as well as the Bank Rec for each month, Star Ohio, Quest & Middlefield statements, Revenue Status report as of 3/1/2025, Receipt Listing, Payment Listing, Appropriation Status by Fund as of 3/31/2025, Comparison of Budget and Appropriated funds report and Appropriation Supplemental report for the year.

Upon certification from the Fiscal Officer that funds were available, Daryl motioned to pay invoices and payroll as presented. Motion seconded Tye (3yes-0 nays) With no further discussion, checks were distributed and signed.

Old Business:

Trailer tag has been obtained for the Township

Goshen Cleanup will be April 19 9-11am at the Goshen Grange Hall

McKendree mower has been serviced

New Business

SLFRF annual filing due by 4/30/2025

Tye motioned to donate the old UAN printer to Salem UCC with Allen seconding the motion.

(3 yes 0 nays)

Tye motioned to donate the old UAN laptop to LEPC with Allen seconding the motion

(3 yes-0 nays)

Roads:

Trustee Flowers to contact the ODOT for a culvert needed at TR 225/67

Trustee Barrett noticed a hole N of Dave Sherman’s property and flagged it for repair

Trustee Flowers will draft a letter for the landowner Perkins to repair a culvert on their property TR 90

Trustee Sherman received a call from Joey Ramge regarding his 911 sign missing. Sherman contacted the Engineers office and a new sign was installed.

Ditch mower tractor has been returned from Streakers

Trustee Flowers reported a T is needed at TR 90/197 water is trapped

TR 100/197 drain at the SW corner and an additional culvert is needed at TR 100

Zoning:

Bob, Allen and Daryl met with the HC Prosecutor for clarification on the 50 and over Solar farms

After a brief discussion Allen motion to sign a resolution for the HC Commissioner to not allow 50 and over megawatt solar farms to be allowed in Goshen Township. Daryl seconded the motion. (3 yes and 0 nays)

The Trustees asked the Fiscal officer to review what language is needed to amend our current zoning regulations for residential and 50 and under solar farms.

Zoning officer reported he took pictures of 3 properties in zoning violation

Wolf Sawmill, 3 properties that need to be mowed no less than 2 times a year and trash at a home on TR 209. TR 90 property was sent a certified letter for the property it was returned unsigned, will send by regular mail

Watkins installed 2 culverts on their property after purchasing a permit.

McKendree:

Daryl rolled the grave of our last burial and Bill Legge added dirt to Ramsey and Rickenbacher graves.

Committee:

Trustee Barrett- Levy will be on the May ballot. BKP continues to make runs for Forest and Roundhead

Trustee Sherman- reported the chapel funds are currently at 48K, save the chapel now has an active website and items no longer needed/used were taken to the consignment sale.

Trustee Flowers -reported the health dept. and the local townships, city and villages have agreed upon a 10% increase for the 2026 year.

There being no further business brought before the Board, Daryl motioned to adjourn the meeting at 6:30pm. Second by Allen motion carried.

The next Regular Meeting of the Goshen Township Board of Trustees will be held Monday May 5, 2025 – 5:30pm at the Goshen Township Hall.

Respectfully Submitted,

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R. Allen Barrett, Chairman Tammy L Sherman, Fiscal Officer

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Daryl G. Flowers, Trustee Tye AJ. Sherman, Trustee