## RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

## **BOWLING GREEN TOWNSHIP**

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES** 

August 28, 2023

Bowling Green Township Board of trustees opened this regular business meeting at 7:00pm with roll call. All trustees and fiscal officer (FO) were present.

<u>Visitors:</u> Ed Monroe, Tim May, Jack Ward, Shannon Duval, Tammy Koerner, Evelyn Diehl, Eve Newell, Alicia Burrows, Carla Smith, Paul Hester, Minnie Hester, John Hoffer, Don Watkins, BJ Cottril, Steve Love, Debbie Love, Jonathon Mack, M. Hughes

Trustee Hupp made a motion to pay the bills; sign purchase orders and blanket certificates, and the bank statement. Trustee VanBuren seconded the motion. Motion Carried. It is lawfully certified that the amount \$14,200.47 is lawfully appropriated to pay the bills by the fiscal officer.

6781	BEN HUPP	\$450.00
6782	STUART MACK	\$331.22
6783	Daniel VanBuren	\$225.00
6784	JENNIE DUVAL	\$450.00
6785	Mar-Zane Inc.	\$535.50
6786	KLEEM INC	\$1,325.19
6787	Pleasant Valley Limestone	\$271.46
6788	Wilson Phillips & Agin CPA's Inc	\$2,720.00
6789	MNCO	\$62.05
6790	Lowes Companies, Inc.	\$113.07
6791	BRIAN JAMES COTTRILL	\$1,253.76
6792	JENNIE DUVAL	\$1,283.46
6793	JOHN E HOFFER	\$1,171.51
6794	BENJAMIN C HUPP	\$905.84
6795	STUART MACK	\$743.26
6796	DANIEL NELSON VANBUREN	\$903.67
6797	JACK WARD	\$308.44
6798	DONALD W WATKINS	\$1,147.04
		\$14,200.47

<u>Safety:</u> The road crew has been mowing and is about 1/3 of the way done. John Hoffer would like to look into getting forks and basket for tractor for tree trimming. Red truck is using transmission fluid.

**Zoning:** Zoning inspector Jack Ward reported he issued 3 permits for ag building. Also took 14 phone calls. Checked in to the Bazaar at the barn on Somerset RD

<u>Unfinished Business</u>: Trees have been removed from building lot. Trustee Hupp discussed moving dirt with Nate Brown of KNK Construction. He gave a price of \$8,500. County wants dirt moved before they survey and pin the lot. Trustee Hupp made a motion to hire KNK Construction to move the dirt for the building. Trustee VanBuren seconded the motion. All in favor. Trustees discussed the road bids. Trustee Mack feels the township should hold onto the money and roll it over for next year. Trustee Hupp agrees.

<u>New Business</u> Appeals board will held their public hearing on August 26<sup>th</sup>. They will issue their decision within 30 days.

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Paul Hester suggested trying to take up a collection for an attorney to fight the whiskey company. Trustees feel that would be extremely expensive and would probably not receive enough donations to hire an attorney. Carla Smith asked if the court has made a decision on their appeal. None has been made so far. She suggested the residents write letters to the judge. Trustee Hupp said the judge would not read them. They go by previous cases. Trustee Hupp talked to the EPA and they were planning a site visit.

Tammy Koerner, owner of the Bazaar at the Barn on Somerset Rd was present. She apologized for not coming to the trustees first, she was not aware she needed to. Her and her husband purchased the land and wanted a way to share it with community. They are currently not making money from the events they have held. The have had 3 so far, 1 per month. Trustees told her they would look into the issue further and report back to her.

Trustee Hupp made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Trustee VanBuren seconded the motion. With Business complete, the board adjourned at 7:48pm

Ben Hupp- President

Stuart Mack-Vice President

Daniel VanBuren- Trustee

Jennie Duval-Fiscal Officer