

# RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

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## BOWLING GREEN TOWNSHIP

### BOARD OF TRUSTEES

November 22, 2023

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

**Visitors:** Pete Smith, Carla Smith, Paul Hester, Minnie Hester, Tim May, Jack Ward, Wayne and Mary Doyle, Shannon Duval

Trustee Hupp made a motion to pay the bills; sign purchase orders and blanket certificates, and the bank statement. Trustee Mack seconded the motion. Motion Carried. It is lawfully certified that the amount \$8,122.80 is lawfully appropriated to pay the bills by the fiscal officer.

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| 6843 | Pleasant Valley Limestone | \$940.07   |
| 6844 | Ace Truck Equipment       | \$570.00   |
| 6845 | JENNIE DUVAL              | \$450.00   |
| 6846 | STUART MACK               | \$331.22   |
| 6847 | Daniel VanBuren           | \$225.00   |
| 6848 | BEN HUPP                  | \$450.00   |
| 6849 | BRIAN JAMES COTTRILL      | \$777.56   |
| 6850 | JENNIE DUVAL              | \$1,283.46 |
| 6851 | JOHN E HOFFER             | \$724.37   |
| 6852 | BENJAMIN C HUPP           | \$905.84   |
| 6853 | STUART MACK               | \$743.26   |
| 6854 | DANIEL NELSON VANBUREN    | \$903.67   |
| 6855 | JACK WARD                 | \$308.44   |
| 6856 | DONALD W WATKINS          | \$509.91   |
|      |                           | \$8,122.80 |

**Correspondence:** FO received letter from county reminded the township of the fire levy status. Trustee Hupp made a motion to place fire levy on ballot. Trustee Mack seconded the motion.

**Fire Company:** FO prepared contracts for 2024. Trustee Hupp made a motion to renewal fire contracts for National Trails, Hopewell and Licking Township Fire departments. Trustee Mack seconded the motion.

National Trails invited the trustees and fiscal officer to the Christmas dinner in January.

**Zoning:** Zoning inspector Jack Ward reported he fielded 6-7 phone calls. The whiskey company has filed an appeal with the county since the appeals board denied their application requesting conditional use for 19 storage buildings. He reported there was a lot split on a property on Mulberry.

Trustees discussed zoning amendment. Trustee Hupp made a motion to table the decision until special meeting on December 11<sup>th</sup>. Trustee Vanburen seconded the motion.

Trustees will need to hire a new zoning inspector since Jack was elected as trustee.

**Unfinished Business:** Trustees met with architect to discuss drawings. For them to adjust the drawings and apply for county permits will be \$5750. Trustee Mack made a motion to hire Northpoint to adjust drawings and apply for county permits. Trustee Hupp seconded the motion.

The board discussed the information from the county prosecutor's office regarding the passing of the marijuana bill in Ohio. Trustee Mack made a motion to prohibit any adult use cannabis in the township. Trustee Hupp seconded the motion. All in favor.

**Public Comment:** Carla Smith asked about the appeal for the application for the 19 whiskey barrel storage. Jack Ward explained the timeline for the new appeal.

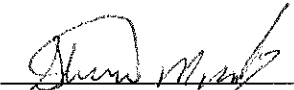
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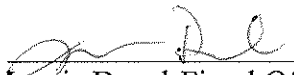
Tom Roberts from National Trails Fire Department said Santa will be at the fire house from 1-4 on December 10<sup>th</sup>. December 17<sup>th</sup> at 4pm the fire truck with santa will be in Brownsville.

Trustee Hupp made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Trustee VanBuren seconded the motion. With Business complete, the board adjourned at 7:30pm

  
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Ben Hupp- President

  
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Stuart Mack-Vice President

  
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Daniel VanBuren- Trustee

 12-26-23  
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Jennie Duval-Fiscal Officer