

Athens Township, Athens County, Ohio

Board of Trustees Regular Meeting on Tuesday, July 23, 2024
5:30 PM at the Athens Township Hall, 313 W. Union Street, Athens, Ohio 45701
(* Items requiring a vote)

- Call to Order
- Roll Call of Officers
- Guests wishing to speak
- Approval of June 25, 2024 minutes and current Fund Account Balances*

REGULAR BUSINESS

- The Plains Volunteer Fire Department** – Dave Williams, TPVFD Fire Chief
 - Volunteer firefighter add/drop/demotion/promotion/suspension/M&D Board actions
 - Equipment repairs/condition
 - Training scheduled/completed
 - SFM reporting software
 - Accident response – USR 33W, Thursday, July 18, 2024

- The Plains Community Park** – Jason McCain, TPLC Liaison
 - Playground area light
 - Shelter house area light - AEP
 - Security system – keys/access codes/invoice
 - Facility use agreement – nut free facility, use of stage area, use of parking lot
 - Bird netting, sound dampening, insect extermination

- Road Foreman’s report/comment/public road matters** - Jerrimy Marcum, Road Supervisor
 - Solar speed sign – Lavelle Road
 - National Pavement Analysis meeting, June 29, 2024
 - Grass at end of High Street
 - Hydraulic repair services

- Zoning Report**– Steve Pierson, Athens Township Trustee
 - 2024 Right-of-Way permits issued (8)
 - 2024 Letters/Communication of Zoning Clearance issued (22)
 - 2024 Zoning Certificates filed (26), issued (19), pending (4), denied (3)
 - 2024 Notice of Violation issued (19) Order to Comply issued (9) Forwarded to Prosecutor (2)
 - 2024 Grass and Weed Notices (8)
 - HAPCAP Conditional Use voided - 30 Connett Road - communication
 - Rural Action ramp – 8 N. Plains Road - communication
 - BZA membership – Fred Mathias, signature document
 - 25 Roy Avenue use of ROW – 2nd communication
 - 37 High Street use of ROW – 2nd communication
 - 20 N. Clinton Street DTE-55 submittal update

OLD BUSINESS

- Zoning Workshop with Zoning Commission – Tuesday, July 16, 2024, 6:00 PM, Plains Library
- Update employee handbook
- Nuisance abatement Resolution/grass
- Road and fire levy update
- Cable Lane annexation agreement - comments
- Township website and email RFP
- ARPA Update

NEW BUSINESS

- Zoning Inspector job description
- AHSWD funding letter response
- AHRC request for donation
- Athens County Active Transportation Plan draft
- Ditch drainage adjacent to Bean Road/911 Call Center
- Public Records Request: property and casualty insurance policies including premium, or a summary document that includes coverage, carrier, limits, deductibles and premium.
- ODNR NatureWorks grant application, Round 30 – due by August 15

OFFICER’S REPORTS AND/OR ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

- Ted Linscott
- Brian Baker
- Steve Pierson
- Brenda Cox

EXECUTIVE SESSION

- Under *Ohio Revised Code §121.22 (G) (2)* to consider the purchase of property for public purposes

GOOD OF THE ORDER

ADJOURNMENT

Next Regular Meeting: Tuesday, August 13, 2024, 5:30 PM, Athens Township Hall

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