

**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF
CANTON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES
HELD MONDAY, APRIL 05, 2010**

The Canton Township Board of Trustees met in a Regular Session at 7:00pm
on Monday, April 5, 2010 with two Trustees present.

Also in attendance: Zoning Director Marshall Lewis (arrived late), Road Superintendent Tom Hewitt, and Fire Chief Scott McKibben. Absent: Trustee Christopher Nichols and Fiscal Officer Ron Smith.

MINUTES:

Mr. Wilcox made a motion to approve and waive the minutes from the March 23, 2010 Regular Meeting. Motion seconded by Mr. Smith and voting YES – Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Smith.

FIRE:

Fire Chief presented receipts for two weeks for the following: \$15,065.81, \$180.00=CPR, \$2,901.00=EMS Grant, for total receipts of \$18,146.81. Mr. Smith made a motion to accept report/fees as submitted, seconded by Mr. Wilcox and voting YES – Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Smith.

FYI: > Pay Increase for Full-Time and Part-Time, to be effective March 28th, as per union contract and employee handbook guidelines
> Pay Increase for Jonathan Peters, per union contract

ROAD:

Mr. Wilcox made a motion to approve closing 1 BC:

#18 = Material

Motion seconded by Mr. Smith and voting YES – Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Smith.

Mr. Smith made a motion to approve opening 1 new BC and 1 new PO:

BC
\$ 5,000.00 = Material

PO
\$10,000.00 = Central Allied Ent.

Motion seconded by Mr. Wilcox. Voting YES pending Fiscal Officer certification of funds – Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Smith.

Street Sweeping Quotes:

Buckeye Sweeping, Inc. – Akron, Ohio	\$95.00 per hour
Reilly Sweeping, Inc. – Walton Hills, Ohio	\$92.00 per hour

Mr. Smith made a motion to approve hiring Buckeye Sweeping Inc. to sweep the township streets at a cost of \$95.00 per hour. Motion seconded by Mr. Wilcox and voting YES – Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Smith.

Mr. Smith made a motion to approve re-hiring Dave Winn as a seasonal employee to mow the parks and vacant lots, effective April 6, 2010 at a pay rate of \$10.00 per hour, 3 days per week with no benefits provided. Motion seconded by Mr. Wilcox and voting YES – Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Smith.

- FYI: > Used 3,200 tons of road salt for 2009-2010 season - Plowed/Salted 39 times
 > Murdy Franks and John Philippi will return as seasonal employees, as approved at the 2010 Reorganizational Meeting - \$10.00 per hour - No benefits provided.
 M. Franks = will start April 6th for 3 hours per day, 5 days per week until MRDD school is out, then 8 hours per day
 J. Philippi = will start when Canton Local Schools is out, 8 hours per day, 5 days per week.
 > Have been patching Whipple SW (E.C. Levy Co), this section of road is very rough. Levy's big trucks really tear up the road. Road Superintendent talked to Dan Neilson, northeast sales manager for Levy's, who was in town and saw what bad condition the road is in. Levy's donated the material to help fill pot holes and said if the township needs more help just let him know. Also, he would like to meet with township officials to discuss this problem.

ZONING:

In the absence of the Zoning Director, Mr. Wilcox presented receipts for two weeks in the amount of \$266.00. Mr. Wilcox made a motion to accept the report/fees as submitted, seconded by Mr. Smith and voting YES – Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Smith.

CLOSED VIOLATION

Carl Gulia	4322 Millport Ave SW	Boat Removed
Roberta & Terry Corn	315 Marietta Ave SE	Vehicle Removed
Ronald Cogan	3207 - 9th St NW	Trash Removed
Massey Draper	5349 Ridge Ave SE	Boats/Auto Parts Removed

NEW VIOLATIONS

Norman Kinser	1132 Tremont NE	Trash & Debris	03/23/10
Timmy R Mayle	142 Trump NE	Semi in Residential District	03/23/10
Robert Nelson	Trump Property	Unlicensed Vehicles	03/23/10
Emma J Patterson	3237 - 24th St SE	Trash & Unsafe Structure	03/26/10
Roger Courtney	300 Central Ave SE	Unlicensed Vehicle	03/26/10

FYI :

- > Wednesday-April 28, 2010-7:00pm = Canton Township Board of Zoning Appeals Public Hearing
- > Zoning Inspector providing updated 2010 Violation Listing

FISCAL OFFICER: (absent)

In the absence of the Fiscal Officer, Trustee Wilcox presented bills in the amount of \$16,959.72 and payroll in the amount of \$56,116.54, for a total of \$73,076.26. Mr. Wilcox made a motion to approve the checks as presented, seconded by Mr. Smith and voting YES – Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Smith.

Payment Register and Fund Status reports handed out to all three Trustees and Department Heads. New Appropriation Status report and new PO & BC lists to be given to Department Heads on Thursday, April 8.

PUBLIC SPEAKS:

No Public Speaks this evening.

TRUSTEES:

MR. NICHOLS:

Absent this evening.

MR. SMITH:

No further topics for discussion.

MR. WILCOX:

New Lights – Garage = Mr. Wilcox made a motion to approve hiring Abbott Electric to install lights in old part of township garage, at a cost not to exceed \$4,500.00, to be paid equally from Fire and Road funds. Motion seconded by Mr. Smith and voting YES – Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Smith.

Mr. Wilcox made a motion to approve opening 1 new PO:

\$4,500.00 = Abbott Electric, Inc.

Motion seconded by Mr. Smith and voting YES pending Fiscal Officer certification of funds – Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Smith.

MR. SMITH:

Road Department = Mr. Smith made a motion to approve opening 1 new PO:

\$3,889.62 = Stark County Regional Planning (storm water mapping)

Motion seconded by Mr. Wilcox and voting YES pending Fiscal Officer certification of funds – Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Smith.

No further business coming before the Board, Mr. Wilcox made a motion to adjourn at 7:28pm, seconded by Mr. Smith and voting YES – Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Smith.

(absent)
Ronald L. Smith, Fiscal Officer

(absent)
Christopher B. Nichols, President

James A. Wilcox, Vice President

William C. Smith, Trustee