



Minutes of Leesburg Township Regular Meeting Monday, August 4, 2025

The Trustees of Leesburg Township met in a regular session.

Members present: Chairman Kevin Dotson, Jeff Robinson, Bill Lowe

Others in attendance: Mellisa Weigand -Fiscal Officer, Nigel Pence - Zoning, Ben Laird, Chad Wilson, Matt Furer, Jean Smith, Dpty Reid, Corporal Rocklin, Sheriff Mike Justice, Chuck Husted, Denny Hall

Kevin called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Minutes were reviewed from the previous meeting. Motion to accept the minutes from July 7, 2025 made by Bill. Jeff seconded the motion, motion passed unanimously.

Old Business

The Trustees looked over the contract from Stillwater Metal for the storage building. The only edit was 9.6, Stillwater will pay for the building permits and inspections. Bill made a motion to pay the deposit, seconded by Jeff, motion passed unanimously.

The tornado sirens in the township had software updates. This allows the sirens to only go off if there is a tornado in the immediate area.

Kevin celebrated the newly installed walking trail and playground with a ribbon cutting. Tracy Richardson was in attendance for the event. She also presented the Trustees with a proclamation from the State House of Representatives. The last thing left to do for the park project is put up signage. Bill made a motion, seconded by Jeff, to allow the Union County Engineers office to install the signs at the park. Motion passed unanimously.

New Business

The sidewalk bridge in Magnetic Springs by the ballfield is falling into the creek. A new sidewalk needs poured. Jeff Graham has offered to fix the bridge. Kevin made a motion to accept Jeff Graham's offer to fix the sidewalk with a \$2200 max spend on the project.

Sherriff Justice spoke about all the happenings and updates at the Sherriff's office. Among some of the events are a citizen's academy, women's firearm safety, golf outing



and turkey shoot. Chad asked the Sherriff to check on kids that are playing in the creek while the construction is ongoing in Magnetic Springs.

Ben reported having one inurnment to do this month.

Denny informed the Trustees that he is in the beginning stages of building The New Family Life & Rec Center behind the church in Pharisburg. He is proposing child care and sports grounds for basketball and volleyball. The plans are to build in a few years from now. He will be creating focus groups in the area to figure the residents' needs.

House Bill 96 (the budget bill) requires townships to adopt a cybersecurity program. Chad Wilson has volunteered to help put a plan together. The deadline is September 29, 2025.

Nigel wrote three zoning permits last month. Jeff mentioned to Nigel there is property on St. Rt. 37 that is over grown with rag weed. Jeff suggested letting Union County Soil and Water know about the property. He also mentioned a few other properties in the township that have noxious weed problems.

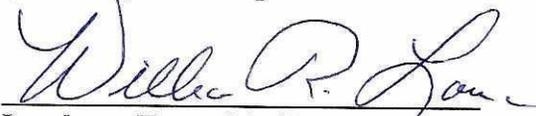
Park Enterprise sent a thank you letter for allowing them to be a part of the walking path project.

The F.O. circulated warrants, purchase orders, vouchers, automatic payments and receipts for trustee approval.

Jeff made a motion, seconded by Kevin, to adjourn the board meeting. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned.



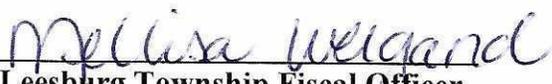
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