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TRUSTEE MEETINGS
1st Tuesday - 11:00 a.m.
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TRUSTEE NOTES

Board of Trustees Meetings

As your elected officials, we would like to encourage your involvement in your community. We hold Trustee meetings on the first and third Tuesdays of each month at the Painesville Township Hall – 55 Nye Road (the first Tuesday meeting begins at 11:00 a.m., and the third Tuesday meeting begins at 7:30 p.m.).

Overlook Road Stormwater System

As you are aware, the construction and repairs to Casement Avenue and Fairgrounds Road are almost completed. There will be some additional restoration efforts early this spring. The next project, currently under review, is the Overlook Road Stormwater Drainage System. We are in the process of collecting data for a possible engineering study. We will share more information as it becomes available. If you live on Overlook Road, you may see some activity in your area.

Lake County Rehab Program

The Board of Lake County Commissioners receives funding from the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for the Home Rehabilitation Program serving Single Family – Owner Occupied homes and offered through the Western Reserve Community Development Corporation. The Program includes:

- **Emergency Repairs:** One-time relief for income eligible homeowners experiencing an emergency situation with Furnace or Boiler, Hot Water Tanks, Electrical or Plumbing repairs or replacements.
- **Housing Rehabilitation:** Assists eligible homeowners with funding General Structural Issues not considered to be an imminent threat to health, and not addressed by the Emergency Repairs Program. Projects may include; roof replacement, foundation repairs, septic tank upgrades and chimney repairs.
- **Mobility Accessibility Program (MAP):** Assists permanently disabled - income eligible homeowners in addressing dwelling access issues through installation of adaptive accommodations.

For more information – please contact Toni Marie at the Western Reserve Community Development Corporation at (440) 357- 4400.

Next-of-Kin Emergency Contact Enrollment

If, due to an accident, you are left unconscious and/or unable to provide Next-of-Kin information, there is a very simple procedure that takes less than 3 minutes to complete online. All you need is your Ohio Drivers License or State ID.

1. Go to www.ohiobm.com
2. Go to the Center Column “Features”
3. Click on “Emergency Contact Enrollment – Next of Kin” to enter up to two people you would like to be notified if you are injured and unable to speak.

Your emergency contact information is secure and can only be accessed by authorized law enforcement personnel.

School Bus Safety Laws

There are two specific Ohio laws that deal with School Bus operations:

Section 4511.75 of the Ohio Revised Code Section (A) states that all vehicle drivers shall stop at least ten feet from the front and rear of a school bus that has activated its visual Stop Signal lights.

Under Section (C), when a road is divided into four or more lanes, vehicles traveling in the opposite direction of the stopped school bus do not have to stop. This is an allowance under Section (D) that mandates that children are to be picked up on the residence side of the roadway. This avoids the need for children crossing multi-lane streets.

Section 4511.751 allows the Sheriff’s Department to issue citations to motorists that fail to stop for school buses that have activated their visual stop signal based on a statement from the bus driver alone - unlike most traffic offenses that require an officer to witness the offense.

Please help keep our children safe by stopping when appropriate!



TRUSTEE NOTES

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Recycling Program

As you know, the Township currently provides three recycling drop-off sites:

- Fire Station #1 – 55 Nye Road
- The Recycling Center (with posted Hours of Operation) – 141 Bowhall Road
- The Road Service Garage – 558 Fairport Nursery Road

Please remember to **Break Down All Your Cardboard Boxes** to allow for the maximum collection of materials.

If you have any questions, please contact the Township Hall and Thank You For Recycling!!

Metal Recycling - Free Appliance Pick-Up

For free pick-up and removal of Refrigerators, Stoves, Washers & Dryers, Hot Water Tanks, and other appliances - Contact (440) 669-7552 for Service.



ZONING DEPARTMENT

2010 Zoning Permit Summary

A total of 207 Permits were issued and processed during 2010

* New dwellings	13
* Commercial	8
* Industrial	2
* Zoning Use & Occupancy	21
* Alterations	5
* Fences	49
* Signs	25
* Pools	8
* Residential additions	30
* Accessory Buildings	28
* Site Plan Review	1
* Appeals	5
* Conditional Use	8
* Transient Vendor	4

There were a total of five (5) Zoning Appeal Cases, eight (8) submissions for Conditional Use and four Transient Vendor Permits issued. A total of eleven (11) permit applications were denied for various reasons.

ZONING DEPARTMENT - cont.



Township Board of Zoning Appeals

The Township Board of Zoning Appeals meetings are held on an "as needed" basis the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7:30 PM at the Township Hall. The Board is comprised of five (5) Township residents that review requests for appeals, variances and conditional use applications.

Township Zoning Commission

The Township Zoning Commission meetings are held on the 2nd Monday of each month at 6:30 PM at the Township Hall. The Commission is comprised of five (5) Township residents that assist in administration, interpretation, amendment and enforcement of the Township's zoning resolution.

Zoning Application Forms

All Township zoning application forms are currently being updated with the intent to make them more "User-Friendly." Application forms, information sheets and fee schedules are available at the Township Hall between 8 AM and 4:30 PM Monday through Friday. These forms, along with the Painesville Township Zoning Resolution and Zoning Map, are available on the Township website: www.pvilletwp.com

ROAD SERVICE DEPARTMENT

Winter Reminder

There is **NO PARKING** on any Township Roads when the snowfall exceeds two inches or more. This is for your safety, and your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

AND

Do not plow, shovel or blow snow into or across the roadways. This can cause a serious hazard to motorists, and also create hazards for snowplow operators. Please inform your private snowplow contractor of this "good-neighbor" practice.

Winter Is Rough On Our Roads

The winter snowplowing and salt season is very rough on road surfaces. As a result, Township roads will require pothole and patching maintenance. The Road Service Department makes every effort to repair all damage – Please call (440) 352-2661 to report any road maintenance needs that you encounter.



Salting Our Streets Not Our Creeks

Road salt in surface water can be very harmful to plants and organisms, and it can contaminate the drinking water. By using the correct amount and applying it in the proper manner, we will save money, maintain safe roadways and protect our waterways. For more information on how you can help, contact the Lake County Stormwater Management Department at 440-350-5900 or visit their website at www.lakecountyohio.org/smd

How Many Received Services In 2010?

In 2010, the Township accepted brush, leaves, and branches (twice weekly) from over 3,500 resident drop-offs at the Road Service Garage. That averages to serving over 100 vehicles per week.

The Road Service Department also picked up over 160 Christmas Trees during the annual curbside collection.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Firefighter's Union Agrees To Wage Freeze

The Labor Contract with the full-time fire fighters (IAFF Local 3411) expired December 31, 2010. After meetings between the Union and the Township, it was agreed to extend the current contract for another year, which means a wage freeze as well as all other considerations within the contract would not change.



Reductions In Revenue

The Township is facing a significant reduction in Tangible Personal Property Tax (TPPT) revenue. Several years ago, the Ohio legislators passed HB 66 that called for the elimination of Tangible Personal Property Tax and replacing that system with the Commercial Activities Tax (CAT). The replacement plan called for the gradual reduction of the local reimbursement from the TPPT, with total elimination of the reimbursement in 2017. Painesville Township will lose approximately \$500,000 in local revenues at that time. This year we are receiving 80% of the TPPT with a reduction of 67% next year, decreasing every year to no reimbursement in 2017. The Township is addressing the loss in revenue and doing what we can to reduce expenditure.

Shared Rescue Squad

We are hosting a Fairport Harbor rescue squad in one of our stations; this unit serves as a backup to both departments and saved the township about \$135,000 in the cost of a new squad. We also have an agreement to utilize Fairport's spare fire engine as our spare fire engine. We are working out the maintenance agreement similar to the rescue squad agreement.

Grand River Village

We are still helping to staff the Grand River Village fire station - 12 hours a day, 5 days a week. There is mutual benefit to this arrangement; Grand River's station is positioned much better to respond to the North West areas of the Township than we are from the Nye Rd station.

2010 Response Statistics

We responded to a total of 2548 calls for service in 2010. The following is a breakdown:

Fire	131
Rescue/EMS	1702
Hazardous Condition	118
Service	280
Good intent	221
False Alarm	92
Other	4





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DATES TO REMEMBER

April 2nd – Township Yard-Waste Drop-Off

Starts every Saturday (10:00 am to 2:00 pm) and every Wednesday (7:30 am to 3:00 pm) thereafter (through December 3rd) at the Painesville Township Road Service Garage - 558 Fairport-Nursery Road
This service is for Painesville Township residents ONLY.

April 22nd – Good Friday

Township offices will close at noon.

**April 23rd –
Scrap Tire Collection by the Lake County Solid Waste District**
From 8:00 am to 1:00 pm at the Lake County Fairgrounds. Up to six tires without rims per resident will be accepted without charge. Call (440) 350-2582 or (440) 350-2645 for more information.

**May 7th –
Computer Collection by the Lake County Solid Waste District**
From 9:00 am to 1:00 pm at the Lake County Fairgrounds Commercial Building. Accepting home computer equipment, CPU's, monitors, keyboards, printers, modems and Cell Phones. No Televisions, Microwave Ovens, typewriters, DVD or VCR Players or cameras will be accepted. Call (440) 350-2582 or (440) 350-2645 for more info.

May 30th – Memorial Day

Township offices will be closed.

June 4th – Household Hazardous Waste Collection

From 9:00 am. to 3:00 pm. at the Lake County Fairgrounds
Accepting: used oil, antifreeze, batteries of all sizes, oil-based paints, grease, mercury, lawn chemicals, pesticides, fluorescent light blubs, propane tanks and old household cleaning products. Call (440) 350-2582 or (440) 350-2645 for more information.

**June 13th –
Painesville Township Residential Curbside Brush Pick-Up**
All brush must be tied in bundles not to exceed 4 feet in length.
The collection is on a one pass – one time only basis.
Please have your tied bundles ready at the curb by 7:00 am.

