At the Salem Township Conference Room December 11, 2018

The Salem Township Board of Trustees met December 11, 2018 in regular session at the Salem Morrow Fire Station Conference Room for the purpose of transacting the business of the Township. President Ralph Blanton called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M. with member Susan Ramsey present. Mr. Blanton led all those present in the pledge to the flag.

Others present: Chief Harrison, Don Lynch, Greg Gatman, Bob Glancy and Barbara Hill

Cemetery Updates

12/7/18	Viola Hill	Sec 4	Lot 159	#2 NW	ashes
12/10/18	Tracy Gilbert	Sec 5	Lot 183	#2 SE	Tufts FH

The trustees read the minutes from the November 27, 2018 meeting and Susan Ramsey made a motion to approve these minutes. Ralph Blanton seconded the motion.

Vote: Mrs. Ramsey, yea Mr. Blanton, yea

Chief Harrison asked the board to approve the hiring of a new volunteer, Chelsey Branson. Susan Ramsey made a motion to approve hiring Chelsey Branson as a volunteer with EMT Basic training. Ralph Blanton seconded the motion.

Vote: Mrs. Ramsey, yea Mr. Blanton, yea

Chief then reported there had not been much going on this past week, other than a large house fire on Phillips Road. He stated they were able to save some of the back of the house.

Greg Gatman reported on the recent meeting held by the Board of Zoning Appeals. He was made chairman at that meeting. Mrs. Ramsey told him he did an excellent job.

Bob Glancy told the board there was more junk at the Lake Road house that has been a problem in the recent months.

Don Lynch complained that he couldn't find notices that are posted, and information about hearings.

He requested a copy of the notice that was in the paper regarding the recent zoning appeals meeting.

Susan Ramsey reported there are only two zoning manuals left. They will need to order more. Mrs. Ramsey made a motion to order more zoning books; seconded by Ralph Blanton.

Vote: Mrs. Ramsey, yea Mr. Blanton, yea

Susan will get an order in to Cincinnati Printers for 20 new zoning books.

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It was decided to hold off discussing pay rates until next meeting when Mr. Kilburn will be present.

Fiscal Business

The Fiscal Officer had prepared checks **#20271-20313**, **92886-92892** which totaled **\$55,044.55**.

The board examined the bills that were ready for payment and Susan Ramsey made a motion to pay the bills as presented. Ralph Blanton seconded the motion. Vote: Mrs. Ramsey, yea Mr. Blanton, yea

For this reporting period the fiscal officer deposited receipts in the amount of **\$6,062.20 which** included receipts **#10089- #10093.**

With no further business to come before the board, Susan Ramsey made amotion to adjourn the meeting at 7:15 P.M.Ralph Blanton seconded the motion.Vote:Mrs. Ramsey, yeaMr. Blanton, yea

Ralph Blanton, Chairman

Deborah Harper, Fiscal Officer

ABSENT

Heath Kilburn

Susan Ramsey