



FAIRFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING

Tuesday, November 12th , 2024, 6:30
PM

Fairfield Township Trustee's Office
718 Wabash Avenue, Lafayette IN 47905

Minutes

Present: Township Board: Arissa Beck, Susan Schechter; Trustee Monica Casanova;
Township Bookkeeper Rocky Hession; Legal Counsel: Kayla
Guests: Michelle Reynolds- Lafayette House Authority, Chief Alkire -LFD

I. Call to order- Pledge of Allegiance

II. Approve Minutes for October 11th, 2024.

Move to approve all minutes Motion by Susan, 2nd by Arissa. Approved.

Guest Speaker, Michelle Reynolds- Lafayette House Authority

LHA- Has a staff of 13. They offer Housing vouchers that is supported by federal money. No Public housing is offered, voucher only. Greater Lafayette has about 1440 housing vouchers. The money goes to the landlord. It is an income-based program where the families find the housing. They receive about 8.5 million in rental subsidies. 2,536 individuals are supported. The waitlist has about 2,000 people and can take around 4 months to process. They use the rules set up by HUD.

LFD- Chief Alkire, They are down about 650 runs mostly those were medical and overdose calls. The new truck is doing well. Chief Alkire had a sheet with the information for the new tanker truck we will be purchasing soon. The price is 740,000 and will take about 3 years to build.

III. New Business:

a. EOY Finances

- i. Additional Appropriation – Short fall on some funds, general and assistance.
- ii. Transfer of Funds between Major Fun Categories – Ask LGF is we can move some funds and make the budget less cluttered.
- iii. EOY transfer to Rainy Day Fund – Transferring money to funds we need and transferring money we didn't use. Will need appropriation and public hearing

IV. Old Business:

a. Receiving Vault, Greenbush Cemetery Project

Rn Halsema – restored the doors and is working on the shelves. There is a deadline by the end of February

b. December Board Meeting – Tuesday December 10th at 6:30pm

V. Trustee Report

Credit Card Limit – Asked to move the limit to 10,000 Susan moved to approve, Arissa 2nd. Approved.

VI. Public Comments

VIII. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 8:18 pm. Susan moved to adjourn. Arissa 2nd. Approved.