

FAIRFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING

Friday, October 11th, 2024, 6:30 PM Fairfield Township Trustee's Office

718 Wabash Avenue, Lafayette IN 47905

Minutes

Present: Township Board: Arissa Beck, Susan Schechter, Perry Schnarr; Trustee Monica Casanova; Township Bookkeeper Rocky Hession; Legal Counsel: Chou-il Lee Guests: Yolanda Johnson and Elva James from Area IV

- I. Call to order- Pledge of Allegiance
- II. Approve Minutes, July 16, August 13th, and September 10th

 Move to approve all minutes Motion by Perry, 2nd by Arissa. All approved.
- III. Guest Speaker, Yolanda Johnson, Area IV Energy Assistance Program

Assistance program Starts Nov 1-April 14th. Assistance ending 1 month earlier than other years. The new application is simplified, and the benefit amount has changed. 250 or more applications will not be approved as eligible and a state mandate makes it so thy cannot apply again. Dec 1-March 14th no disconnects allowed. Last year over 8,000 were approved. The township was given many pamphlets explaining the Area IV services.

IV. New Business:

a. Public Hearing Proposed 2025 Budget.

Susan opened the public hearing at 7:10pm for comments.

No comments.

Perry moved to close the hearing. Arissa 2nd. Comments closed at 7:11pm

b. Form17 Salary Ordinance FY2025

First reading of salary ordinance, pushing to the Budget meeting.

c. PPM MOU addendum

V. Old Business:

a. Weeds, TOH, TCHA, Board Chair Susan helped clear and treat some TOH.

b. PTO policy update, Trustee

VI. Trustee Report

Cemetery updates

Did a big records purge and had things shredded.

VII. Calendar

- a. Budget Adoption Meeting Tuesday, October 22nd, 2024 6:30pm
- b. November Board Meeting would be Tuesday November 12th, 2024, 6:30pm

VII. Public Comments

VIII. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 8:46 pm. Perry moved to adjourn. Susan 2nd. All moved to approve.