The regular meeting of the Green Township Board of Trustees held on September 26, 2022 was called to order at 5:30 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call: Trustee Linnenberg, present; Trustee Rosiello, present; Chairman Callos, present; Fiscal Officer Straus, present.

Chairman Callos moved to approve the minutes for the regular meeting of September 12, 2022. Trustee Rosiello seconded the motion. All voted Yes.

**RESOLUTION #22-0926-A**

Chairman Callos moved to accept and approve the financial reports as submitted. Trustee Rosiello seconded the motion. The resolution passed unanimously.

**RESOLUTION #22-0926-B**

Chairman Callos moved to accept and approve the tax rates and estimated revenue for 2023. Trustee Rosiello seconded the motion. The resolution passed unanimously.

**RESOLUTION #22-0926-C**

Chairman Callos moved to accept and approve the Amended Appropriations for 2022. Trustee Rosiello seconded the motion. The resolution passed unanimously.

**RESOLUTION #22-0926-D**

Chairman Callos moved to accept and approve the Amended Estimated Resources for 2022. Trustee Rosiello seconded the motion. The resolution passed unanimously.

**RESOLUTION #22-0926-E**

Chairman Callos moved to approve proclamation to recognize October 9, 2022 through October 15, 2022 as Childhood Cancer Awareness Week. Trustee Rosiello seconded the motion. The resolution passed unanimously.

Administrator Frank Birkenhauer spoke about the honor of supporting Childhood Cancer Awareness Week in Green Township.

**RESOLUTION #22-0926-F**

Chairman Callos moved to approve the hiring of Patrick Enneking as a Green Township Police Officer with a starting salary of $35.22 per hour and effective October 3, 2022. Trustee Rosiello seconded the motion. The resolution passed unanimously.

Police Chief Jim Vetter gave a description of the many qualifications for new police officers Patrick Enneking and Ricardo Thompson.

**RESOLUTION #22-0926-G**

Chairman Callos moved to approve the hiring of Ricardo Thompson as a Green Township Police Officer contingent on the successful passing of the medical and psychological exam with a starting salary of $35.22 per hour and effective October 3, 2022. Trustee Rosiello seconded the motion. The resolution passed unanimously.

Fiscal Officer Tom Straus swore in new police officers Patrick Enneking and Ricardo Thompson.

Police Officer Patrick Enneking thanked Administrator Birkenhauer, Chief Vetter, the Board of Trustees, his family and friends for their support.

Police Officer Ricardo Thompson thanked the Board of Trustees and his family for their support.

The Board of Trustees congratulated and welcomed Police Officer Patrick Enneking and Police Officer Ricardo Thompson to Green Township.

**RESOLUTION #22-0926-H**

Chairman Callos moved to approve the closure of the north lane of Boomer Road east of North Bend Road to the lower driveway of St. Ignatius School on October 1, 2022 from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. for a 5K race. Trustee Rosiello seconded the motion. The resolution passed unanimously.

Chief Vetter reported on the details of the St. Ignatius School 5K race.

**RESOLUTION #22-0926-I**

The following properties were declared as nuisances due to high grass & weeds, or garbage, junk & debris. The Township Attorney was directed to notify the owner of the properties listed below of this resolution:

1. 3350 Dickinson Road (550-0061-0140) Motion made by Chairman Callos and seconded by Trustee Rosiello. The resolution passed unanimously.

2. 3391 Hader Avenue (550-0061-0015) Motion made by Chairman Callos and seconded by Trustee Rosiello. The resolution passed unanimously.

3. 4210 Harrison Avenue (550-0121-0215) Motion made by Chairman Callos and seconded by Trustee Rosiello. The resolution passed unanimously.

4. 4329 Harrison Avenue (550-0121-0385) Motion made by Chairman Callos and seconded by Trustee Rosiello. The resolution passed unanimously.

5. 4331 Harrison Avenue (550-0121-0325) Motion made by Chairman Callos and seconded by Trustee Rosiello. The resolution passed unanimously.

6. 3362 Kleeman Road (550-0074-0026) Motion made by Chairman Callos and seconded by Trustee Rosiello. The resolution passed unanimously.

7. 3263 Van Zandt Drive (550-0061-0234) Motion made by Chairman Callos and seconded by Trustee Rosiello. The resolution passed unanimously.

8. 4491 West Fork Road (550-0102-0017) Motion made by Chairman Callos and seconded by Trustee Rosiello. The resolution passed unanimously.

Administrator Birkenhauer announced **t**he Coffee with the Chiefs event will take place at White Oak Coffee House located at 5935 Cheviot Road on October 15, 2022 from 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Chairman Callos thanked Police Chief Vetter and Fire & EMS Chief Scott Souders for meeting with residents in this manner.

Administrator Birkenhauer announced Green Township Touch a Truck Safety Expo will take place on October 1, 2022 at the Green Township Administration Complex from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Fiscal Officer Tom Straus reported the Local Government Fund will receive approximately $660,000. A Federal Home Loan Bank Bond was purchased with 4.4% yield. Fiscal Officer Straus met with Red Tree Investments to discuss banking issues.

Township Attorney Frank Hyle did not have anything to report.

Administrator Frank Birkenhauer reported the new Hampton Inn located on Harrison Avenue will open in October.

Director of Public Services Joe Lambing reported Jessup Road rehabilitation is progressing well. Muddy Creek Road pavement project is complete. The Hamilton County Engineer has scheduled Ebenezer Road “hairpins” to Werk Road for paving on October 1st. Also, a hitting wall on the tennis courts at Kuliga Park is almost complete.

Fire & EMS Chief Scott Souders reported residents should have a working carbon monoxide detector in their homes.

Police Chief Jim Vetter did not have anything to report.

Director of Development Adam Goetzman did not have anything to report.

Trustee Rosiello thanked Paul Wagner and Nancy James for conducting a concert at Kuliga Park last weekend and Mary Jo Barnett for sponsoring the concert. He thanked all Green Township employees for their efforts in preparing for the concert.

Trustee Linnenberg read a thank you letter to the Public Services staff for their efforts in trimming tree branches for safety on Candlelite Terrace.

Chairman Callos announced the next regular meeting of the Board of Trustees will be held on Monday, October 10, 2022 at 5:30 p.m.

Chairman Callos moved to adjourn the meeting. Trustee Rosiello seconded the motion. All voted Yes. Meeting was adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

ATTEST: