

2600 Easton St. NE  
Canton, OH 44721

**OPENING:** The regular meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by President Giavasis, who led the staff and audience in the pledge of allegiance.

**ATTENDANCE:**

Pamela Bossart, Louis Giavasis, Albert Leno, II, Claude W. Shriver, II, Eric Williams, Lisa Sabina-Campbell, Joe Iacino, Steve Peroz, John Sabo, Todd A. Alexander, Chuck Kegley.  
Media present: Cal Peters, WHBC; Natalie Lariccia, the Repository; Betty O'Neill-Roderick, Akron Beacon Journal.

**AGENDA:** Approved as prepared.

**SHERIFF'S REPORT:**

1. 2405 40<sup>th</sup> St. – there was discussion of the property by Chief Sabo, who went through the process of declaring a building a hazard. It is not a secure building. They have been contacted by the Health Department, the Plain Township Zoning Department and the Fire Department. All three of those letters have been returned, so obviously, at the present time, we have not been able to locate the actual owner of the property. Chief Sabo also explained Plain Township could not enter the structure, but only observe problems on the outside. Mr. Peroz said that the building appears to be continually vandalized, from day to day. Things are thrown out, etc. Mr. Leno said that he has been called by some residents, as well as the other Trustees. Kids go in and out of this building, and were possibly even setting fires inside the home. The Sheriff's Department will keep patrol and we will continue the process to get this structure taken care of.
2. 2718 Homedale – a complaint that there is no supervision of minors, the possibility of the use of drugs, and also they have a mini-bike that they go up and down the street on.
3. 3306 Martindale – Dogs Running at Large – this has been a complaint and they were cited before for this. This is a new complaint that the same thing is occurring.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

1. Municipal Publications Map - Mrs. Sabina-Campbell told the staff to please look over the map to see if there are any corrections or any input as it will be getting ready to go to final print.
2. Date of Next Meeting -

#07-182

Motion by Mrs. Bossart,  
WHEREAS, on January 9, 2007 (Resolution #07-007), the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio resolved to hold a Board of Trustees meeting on Thursday, May 10, 2007, and circumstances have changed;  
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio to reschedule this meeting to Wednesday, May 9, 2007, at 7:00 p.m., with a work session to be held at 6:20 p.m.  
Seconded by Mr. Giavasis.  
Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

1. Schneider St. Property – Mr. Bob Fonte, of Stark Parks, was present to go over a map that he had put together incorporating the 42 acres that is owned by Plain Township on Schneider St., and showing the walking trail which would incorporate that area and also an area around the high school all the way up into North Canton, for a total of about a four-mile walking track. Mr. Fonte explained that when the study was all complete they would see where the proper area for restrooms would be. Also, they hope to have at least one tunnel going under a street, that street to be determined. Mr. Giavasis felt that probably that street should be Schneider, because of the high school. Mr. Fonte said he was not disagreeing, but that would be something for when the bids go out for the architect and planners to decide.
  
2. Best Bid Criteria – Mr. Giavasis presented this. He had received it from the fire chief in Nimishillen Township, which is presently having a problem with the new fire station they built. Three individuals were present, including Mr. Mike McElfresh, to address the bidder criteria. He said that it basically points us in the right direction to responsible contractors. It judges their performance and their safety and accident records. He also pointed out that local contractors, since their money is going into these projects, should have the chance to bid on various projects that municipalities put together. Mr. Leno mentioned that we had been burnt before on various road projects, simply because we take the low bid. He felt it was important to let the constituents know that we were in line with looking at something that was going to guarantee us the best result for the money that we spend. The entire Board, as well as the Fire Chief, agreed that this was a good plan in using the best bid criteria. These gentlemen, as well as the Chief from Nimishillen, were invited back to the next meeting to talk about this further.

**FISCAL OFFICER’S REPORT:**

1. Pending Warrants –

#07-183 Motion by Mrs. Bossart,  
 BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio to authorize the payment of pending warrants in an amount of \$96,885.90 as attached hereto and made a part of these minutes.  
 Seconded by Mr. Leno.  
 Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes Mr. Giavasis, yes.

2. Regular Payroll –

#07-184 Motion by Mr. Giavasis,  
 BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio to authorize payment of the regular payroll in an amount not to exceed \$150,000.00.  
 Seconded by Mrs. Bossart.  
 Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

**FISCAL OFFICER’S REPORT: (continued)**

3. Payment of Medical Claims –

#07-185

Motion by Mr. Leno,  
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees,  
Stark County, Ohio to authorize payment for the following medical  
claims as provided by AultCare:

<u>DATE</u>	<u>WARRANT</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
04/17/07	10657	\$9,731.62
04/24/07	10719	9,887.82

Seconded by Mrs. Bossart.

Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

4. The Investment Report was given and accepted by the Board.  
Mr. Shriver noted that the interest rates were climbing upward  
and that we were still investing in rather small time increments  
to get our best interest rate that we could and maximize our  
interim fund dollars.

5. Estate Tax Settlement – this will be deposited into our general  
checking account on April 24.

**ADMINISTRATOR:**

1. District 19 Project – Applegrove St. – Mrs. Sabina-Campbell reported that all three entities (North Canton, Plain Township, and OPWC) were on board and that there were enough funds to do this project. Mr. Giavasis asked Mr. Iacino if he really felt that the four lanes were necessary. Mr. Leno was also concerned. They were both aware of the fact that this is a County project. If they lived there, they would not be in favor of having it turned into four lanes, but perhaps just a center lane would work. However, Plain Township is not in charge of the project; it is a County project; so our hands are somewhat tied.
2. Yard Waste Recycling - Mrs. Sabina-Campbell announced that the yard waste recycling area will be open until Memorial Day seven days a week.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT:**

1. Purchase of Protective Clothing – Chief Sabo said that they will be looking at replacing the protective clothing. It is presently ten years old. They are approximately \$2,000 per set, and we are talking about an item that would cost \$150,000. The old sets that are in good shape will be used as backup protective clothing.

**ROAD DEPARTMENT:**

- 1. Advertise for Bids – Paving and Road Repair

#07-186

Motion by Mr. Leno,  
 BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, to direct the Plain Township Fiscal Officer to place an Advertisement for Bids for the Plain Township 2007 Paving and Road Repair Project in a newspaper published in Stark County and of general circulation in the Township on April 26th and May 3rd, with bids to be received by 1:00 p.m. on May 17, 2007 and opened at 1:00 p.m. on May 17, 2007.

Seconded by Mrs. Bossart.

Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

- 2. List Bids – Culvert Pipe – bids were received from HD Supply, Marlboro, Pipelines, and Victory White (bid tabulation attached).

- 3. Award Bids – Culvert Pipe -

#07-187

Motion by Mr. Leno,  
 WHEREAS, the proposed Road Department projects will require primarily polyethylene storm sewer pipe; and  
 WHEREAS, in making its determination as to the best interests of the Township, the Plain Township Board of Trustees has properly considered its costs associated with materials loaded in township trucks at bidder's place of business; and  
 BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio to award the 2007-2008 Culvert Pipe Contract as follows:

CORRUGATED SMOOTH LINED POLYETHYLENE STORM SEWER PIPE  
 LOADED IN TOWNSHIP TRUCKS AT BIDDER'S PLACE OF BUSINESS)

Pipelines

08" Cor.	\$ 1.87
10" Cor.	\$ 2.75
12" Cor.	\$ 3.39
15" Cor.	\$ 4.52
18" Cor.	\$ 7.05
24" Cor.	\$ 10.86
30" Cor.	\$ 16.15
36" Cor.	\$ 21.22

CORRUGATED SMOOTH LINED POLYETHYLENE STORM SEWER PIPE  
 FOB PLAIN TOWNSHIP STOCKPILE:

Pipelines

08" Cor.	\$ 1.87
10" Cor.	\$ 2.75
12" Cor.	\$ 3.39
15" Cor.	\$ 4.52
18" Cor.	\$ 7.05
24" Cor.	\$ 10.86
30" Cor.	\$ 16.15
36" Cor.	\$ 21.22

**ROAD DEPARTMENT: (continued)**

PVC/SDR35 OR EQUIVALENT CULVERT PIPE  
LOADED IN TOWNSHIP TRUCKS AT BIDDER'S PLACE OF BUSINESS

Pipelines	
08" Dia.	\$ 3.84
10" Dia.	\$ 6.02
12" Dia.	\$ 8.65
15" Dia.	\$ 12.86
18" Dia.	\$19.63
24" Dia.	\$35.32

PVC/SDR35 OR EQUIVALENT CULVERT PIPE  
FOB PLAIN TOWNSHIP STOCKPILE:

Pipelines	
08" Dia.	\$ 3.84
10" Dia.	\$ 6.02
12" Dia.	\$ 8.65
15" Dia.	\$ 12.86
18" Dia.	\$19.63
24" Dia.	\$35.32

CATCH BASINS  
FOB PLAIN TOWNSHIP STOCKPILE

Marlboro	
2' x 2'	\$ 95.00
2' x 3'	\$115.00
2' x 4'	\$135.00
24" Precast CB Risers	\$ 75.00
12" Precast CB Risers	\$ 45.00
4" Precast CB Risers	\$ 35.00

Pipelines	
8" Precast CB Risers	\$ 37.80

GRATES  
FOB PLAIN TOWNSHIP STOCKPILE

Marlboro	
27" X 27"	\$ 76.80

FRAMES  
FOB PLAIN TOWNSHIP STOCKPILE

Pipelines	
27" X 27"	\$51.70

Seconded by Mr. Giavasis.

Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

4. Sign Contracts – Culvert Pipe -

#07-188

Motion by Mrs. Bossart,  
WHEREAS, the Plain Township Board of Trustees has awarded a bid for 2007-2008 Culvert Pipe to Marlboro Supply and Pipelines;  
WHEREAS, contracts have been prepared according to the terms and conditions of the bid specifications for 2007-2008 Culvert Pipe;  
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio to authorize the execution of the contracts for 2007-2008 Culvert Pipe, the language of which contract is incorporated by reference as if fully rewritten herein; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees to authorize payments to Marlboro Supply and Pipelines upon satisfactory performance of the terms of this contract and according to the following schedule set forth therein.

Seconded by Mr. Giavasis.

Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

**ROAD DEPARTMENT:** (continued)

- 5. List Bids – Road Materials - bids were received from Central Allied, J & D Mining, Massillon Asphalt, National Lime and Stone, Northstar Asphalt, and Oster Sand & Gravel (bid tabulation attached).
- 6. Award Bids – Road Materials -

#07-189

Motion by Mrs. Bossart,  
 WHEREAS, the Plain Township Board of Trustees' Invitation for Bids indicated that both price and the proximity of bidder's premises were to be considered in the evaluation of the bids received; and  
 WHEREAS, in making its determination as to the best interests of the Township, the Plain Township Board of Trustees has properly considered its costs associated with materials loaded in Township trucks at bidder's place of business;  
 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio to award the 2007 - 2008 Road Materials contracts as follows:

LOADED IN TOWNSHIP TRUCKS AT BIDDER'S PLACE OF BUSINESS:

<u>Oster Sand &amp; Gravel, Inc.</u>	
Gravel #4	\$10.00
Gravel #57	\$ 8.75
Gravel #310	\$ 5.00
Grit # 9	\$ 3.00
Gravel #304	\$ 8.50
Gravel, Bank Run	\$ 4.00
<u>Central-Allied</u>	
Grit #9	\$3.25
Gravel #304	\$9.50

FOB PLAIN TOWNSHIP STOCKPILE:

<u>Oster Sand &amp; Gravel, Inc.</u>	
Gravel #57	\$12.00
Gravel #310	\$ 8.25
Gravel, Bank Run	\$ 7.25
<u>Central-Allied</u>	
Gravel #4	\$13.00
Gravel #57	\$12.00
Gravel #310	\$ 8.25
Grit #9	\$ 4.80
Gravel #304	\$11.15

LOADED IN TOWNSHIP TRUCKS AT BIDDER'S PLACE OF BUSINESS

<u>J &amp; D Mining</u>	
Limestone #1	\$ 12.50
Limestone #2	\$ 12.50
Limestone #4	\$ 13.50
Limestone #57	\$ 13.50
Limestone #304	\$ 12.50
Limestone #411	\$ 12.50
<u>National Lime &amp; Stone</u>	
Limestone #2	\$ 13.50
Limestone #4	\$ 13.50
Limestone #57	\$ 13.50
Limestone #304	\$ 12.50
Limestone #411	\$ 12.50

**ROAD DEPARTMENT: (continued)**

FOB PLAIN TOWNSHIP STOCKPILE:

J & D Mining

Limestone #1	\$ 17.00
Limestone #2	\$ 17.00
Limestone #4	\$ 18.00
Limestone #57	\$ 18.00
Limestone #304	\$ 17.00
Limestone #411	\$ 17.00

National Lime & Stone

Limestone #2	\$ 16.50
Limestone #4	\$ 16.50
Limestone #57	\$ 16.50
Limestone #304	\$ 15.50
Limestone #411	\$ 15.50

LOADED IN TOWNSHIP TRUCKS AT BIDDER'S PLACE OF BUSINESS:

Central-Allied Enterprises, Inc.

Asphalt #402	\$ 40.00
Asphalt #404	\$ 40.00
Asphalt #412	\$ 60.00
Asphalt #301	\$ 37.00
Asphalt Cold Mix SS-921	\$ 75.00
HPM Mix	\$ 85.00
CURB Mix	\$ 60.00

Massillon Asphalt

Asphalt #402	\$38.50
Asphalt #404	\$38.50
Asphalt #412	\$50.00
Asphalt #301	\$34.00

Northstar Asphalt

Asphalt #402	\$40.00
Asphalt #404	\$40.00
Asphalt #412	\$45.00
Asphalt #301	\$35.00

Seconded by Mr. Giavasis.

Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

7. Sign Contracts – Road Materials -

#07-190

Motion by Mr. Leno,

WHEREAS, the contracts have been prepared according to the terms and conditions of the bid specifications for the 2007-2008 Road Materials;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio to authorize the execution of the contracts with Oster Sand & Gravel, Inc., Central-Allied Enterprises, Inc., National Lime and Stone, J & D Mining, Northstar Asphalt and Massillon Asphalt for the 2007-2008 Road Materials Project, the language of which contracts is incorporated by reference as if fully rewritten herein; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees to authorize payments to Oster Sand & Gravel, Inc., Central-Allied Enterprises, Inc., National Lime and Stone, J & D Mining, Northstar Asphalt and Massillon Asphalt upon satisfactory performance of the terms of the contracts and according to the schedule set forth therein.

Seconded by Mr. Giavasis.

Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

**ROAD DEPARTMENT: (continued)**

8. Purchase of Safety T-shirts -

#07-192 Motion by Mr. Giavasis,  
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, by the Plain Township Board of Trustees,  
Stark County, Ohio, to authorize the purchase of Safety Green T-shirts  
for the Road Department and Maintenance Department in an amount  
not to exceed \$801.37 from American Identity from Road Fund #2031-  
4330-599-0000; Maintenance Fund #1000-4120-599-000.  
Seconded by Mr. Leno.  
Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

9. Hauling Material to Landfill -

#07-191 Motion by Mr. Giavasis,  
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, by the Plain Township Board of  
Trustees, Stark County, Ohio, to authorize Plain Township Road  
Department to dispose of non-hazardous waste material at  
American Landfill Inc. not to exceed \$4,000.00 from Fund #2031-  
4330-599-0000.  
Seconded by Mrs. Bossart.  
Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

10. Purchase of Safety Equipment -

#07-193 Motion by Mr. Giavasis,  
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, by the Plain Township Board of Trustees,  
Stark County, Ohio, to authorize the purchase of safety equipment for  
the Road Department in an amount not to exceed \$888.40 from Evans  
Supply from Fund #2031-4330-420-0000.  
Seconded by Mrs. Bossart.  
Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

11. No Parking – 19<sup>th</sup> St. NW – Pete Spilios, of 3039 19<sup>th</sup> St., was  
present. He walked the area with a petition and the response was  
overwhelmingly negative to putting up No Parking signs. Mr.  
Iacino also pointed out that the actual request for No Parking  
signs came from a resident who does not even live on 19<sup>th</sup> St. The  
Board, in looking at this material, said that there is no sense  
putting the signs in if the people don't want them and there is no  
safety problem there presently. Mr. Spilios was also present to  
speak to this and thank the Board for their consideration in  
dismissing this idea.

**ZONING DEPARTMENT:**

1. Refund of Permit Overpayment -

#07-194 Motion by Mrs. Bossart,  
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees,  
Stark County, Ohio, to authorize the refund of \$10.00 for Zoning  
Permit #91744 Overpayment to Kauth Builders, 1276 New England  
Drive, North Canton, Ohio 44720.  
Seconded by Mr. Giavasis.  
Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

2. Notice of Subdivision Review – regarding Canton City Service  
Center and also a Rite Aid that will be established at the corner  
of Cleveland and Orion.

**ZONING DEPARTMENT:** (continued)

3. Nuisance Abatements -

a. 3107 33<sup>rd</sup> St. NE (high grass and/or weeds) -

#07-195

Motion by Mr. Giavasis,  
WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code Section 505.87 authorizes the Board of Trustees to provide for the abatement, control, or removal of vegetation, garbage, refuse, and other debris from land in the Township if the Board determines that the property owners maintenance of such vegetation, garbage, refuse and other debris constitutes a nuisance; and  
WHEREAS, a complaint was filed and processed regarding a nuisance property condition at 3107 33<sup>rd</sup> Street NE, Stark County, Ohio (Parcel # 52-06963) and  
WHEREAS, a certified notice providing the property owner with seven (7) days to address the matter with the Zoning Director was sent April 5, 2007 and returned "Unclaimed"; and  
WHEREAS, the Zoning Director has provided evidence of a nuisance condition on the property;  
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio that:

1. High grass and/or weeds constitutes a nuisance under Ohio Revised Code Section 505.87, and
2. Trash and/or debris constitutes a nuisance under Ohio Revised Code Section 505.87, and
3. The nuisance shall be abated, controlled, or removed according to the procedures outlined in ORC Section 505.87, and
4. Instruct and authorize the Plain Township Fiscal Officer to prepare and publish notice of this decision by publication in a newspaper of general circulation within Plain Township.

Seconded by Mrs. Bossart.

Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

b. 3107 33<sup>rd</sup> St. NE (junk motor vehicles) -

#07-196

Motion by Mrs. Bossart,  
WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on April 24, 2007 by the Board of Trustees regarding the Junk Motor Vehicles at 3107 33<sup>rd</sup> Street NE, Stark County, Ohio (Parcel # 52-06963) and  
WHEREAS, Freddie & Michelle McMeans, have failed to demonstrate satisfactory progress in correcting the violations at the above property; and  
WHEREAS, the Plain Township Board of Trustees have provided the owner(s) of the property with notice and opportunity to be heard on this matter;  
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio that:

1. A Junk Motor Vehicle/Vehicles constitutes a nuisance under Ohio Revised Code Section 505.173 and
2. The nuisance shall be abated or removed according to the procedures outlined in ORC Section 505.173, and
3. Notice of this decision will be provided to the property owners.

Seconded by Mr. Giavasis.

Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

**ZONING DEPARTMENT: (continued)**

c. 2405 40<sup>th</sup> St. NE -

#07-197

Motion by Mrs. Bossart,  
 WHEREAS, Ohio Revised Code Section 505.87 authorizes the Board of Trustees to provide for the abatement, control, or removal of vegetation, garbage, refuse, and other debris from land in the Township if the Board determines that the property owners maintenance of such vegetation, garbage, refuse and other debris constitutes a nuisance; and  
 WHEREAS, a complaint was filed and processed regarding a nuisance property condition at 2405 40th Street NE, Stark County, Ohio (Parcel # 52-03069) and  
 WHEREAS, a certified notice providing the property owner with seven (7) days to address the matter with the Zoning Director was sent April 5, 2007 and returned "Unable to Forward"; and  
 WHEREAS, the Zoning Director has provided evidence of a nuisance condition on the property;  
 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio that:

1. High grass and/or weeds constitutes a nuisance under Ohio Revised Code Section 505.87, and
2. Trash and/or debris constitutes a nuisance under Ohio Revised Code Section 505.87, and
3. The nuisance shall be abated, controlled, or removed according to the procedures outlined in ORC Section 505.87, and
4. Instruct and authorize the Plain Township Fiscal Officer to prepare and publish notice of this decision by publication in a newspaper of general circulation within Plain Township.

Seconded by Mr. Giavasis,

Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

Mr. Leno discussed some swimming pools that he saw in some of the pictures, and wanted to know if we can still contact the Health Department. Mr. Iacino and Mr. Peroz both said yes and they can treat for mosquitoes in these stagnant swimming pools.

**PARKS & RECREATION:**

1. Main Event World League – they have contacted Mr. Alexander. They are a league that does wrestling and they would like to entertain the idea of moving their wrestling to the indoor soccer complex. Mr. Alexander said it would be very important that the proper matting be put down; also, in looking at chairs, that our floor is protected. Currently, they are using a facility in Alliance and pay \$500 per time. Mr. Alexander thought that this would be a good way to earn revenue into the department. The Board gave him permission to consider this option, making sure that the floor in the building was properly protected should we go forth with this.

**PARKS & RECREATION:** (continued)

2. Football Camp -

#07-198

Motion by Mrs. Bossart,

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio to authorize the use of one outdoor football field at Diamond Community Park for the Bobby Olive Football Skills Camp on May 5, 2007 from 1:00 to 6:00 p.m.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio that fees for use of the outdoor field will be 10 percent of each participant's registration fee.

Seconded by Mr. Giavasis.

Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

3. Littering at Diamond Park – Mr. Alexander reported on some littering at Diamond Park, where the person's license number was obtained, and the person who did the littering was cited with a fine.

4. Challenger Group – the Challenger baseball group will be playing at our facility starting in June for four continuous weeks.

5. Non-resident Fee for Shelters and Community Room – Mr. Alexander was given permission to go forth with this idea; however, the Board is adamantly against charging our residents for using those facilities.

6. J-Serve Volunteers – Mr. Alexander reported he worked with eight high school students at Alpine Park on a clean-up project that worked out very nicely. The volunteers were told if they need another project in the future to please contact Todd Alexander.

**COMMUNICATIONS:**

1. Edgewood Campus Open House – set for May 19 at 2:00 p.m.

2. Stark Parks- an Environmental Conference on November 16, which Todd Alexander will be attending on behalf of the Township.

3. Robert D. Oates – a thank you note to the Trustees thanking them for a drainage problem correction in his neighborhood.

**CONCERNS OF CITIZENS:**

John Ghezzi, of 5650 Berwick, said that the residents in his area take care of a boulevard and have taken great pride in the plantings and so forth. He came back from Florida and saw electrical boxes haphazardly sitting there. Mr. Iacino explained that it is AT&T doing some work and that right now no one can get any topsoil. Mr. Leno asked Mr. Iacino to call AT&T to see when the project was going to be completed and get back to Mr. Ghezzi with an answer.

**CONCERNS OF CITIZENS:** (continued)

Bryan Daniels, of 1301 Spangler Rd. NE, was present to discuss the Nimishillen Creek clean-up. A date has not been set. He was very upset with this, and went on with his disregard for the City of Canton, the Commissioners and everybody that was involved in not setting a date to clean up the Nimishillen Creek. He didn't feel that it was necessary to have a walking track around the creek if it was not going to be cleaned up. He also had some complaints about the SARTA bus sign that is near his yard, and also about bass music and boomboxes in his neighborhood.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

- #07-199 Motion by Mrs. Bossart,  
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio to waive the reading of the minutes of the regular meeting held April 10, 2007 and make them a part of the record as if read in their totality; and  
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held April 10, 2007 as presented.  
Seconded by Mr. Giavasis.  
Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

- #07-200 Motion by Mr. Giavasis,  
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio to adjourn to executive session at 8:33 p.m. from this regular meeting of April 24, 2007 as authorized under Ohio Revised Code 121.22(G) for the purpose of the consideration of: appointment of a public employee or official; employment of a public employee or official; compensation of a public employee or official; a conference with the law director or other retained counsel concerning pending or imminent court action.  
Seconded by Mr. Leno.  
Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.
- #07-201 Motion by Mr. Giavasis to return to regular session at 9:38 p.m.  
Seconded by Mrs. Bossart.  
Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- #07-202 Motion by Mrs. Bossart,  
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio to hire Scott Mercer, as a summer employee effective May 14, 2007 at a rate of \$8.50 per hour with no benefits.  
Seconded by Mr. Leno.  
Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.
- #07-203 Motion by Mrs. Bossart,  
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees, Stark County, Ohio to hire Dave Bernabei, II, as a summer employee effective May 14, 2007 at a rate of \$8.50 per hour with no benefits.  
Seconded by Mr. Leno.  
Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

PLAIN TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Regular

2600 Easton St. NE  
Canton, OH 44721

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS:** (continued)

#07-204 Motion by Mrs. Bossart,  
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees,  
Stark County, Ohio to hire Joseph Iacino, III, as a summer employee  
effective May 14, 2007 at a rate of \$9.50 per hour with no benefits.  
Seconded by Mr. Giavasis.  
Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

#07-205 Motion by Mrs. Bossart,  
BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Plain Township Board of Trustees,  
Stark County, Ohio to adjourn at 9:40 p.m.  
Seconded by Mr. Giavasis.  
Vote: Mr. Leno, yes; Mrs. Bossart, yes; Mr. Giavasis, yes.

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Pamela S. Bossart  
Trustee

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Louis P. Giavasis  
Trustee

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Albert P. Leno, II  
Trustee

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
Claude W. Shriver, II  
Fiscal Officer