

**HARRISON TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE MEETING**  
**October 21, 2025**

**REGULAR MEETING CALL TO ORDER:**

Chairman Donnie Mayse called the Regular Trustee Meeting of October 21, 2025 to order with the Pledge of Allegiance at 5:00pm at the Harrison Township Fire Department, 3625 State Route 752, Ashville, Ohio 43103. Attending was Trustee Donnie Mayse, Trustee Bill Welsh, Trustee Jim Deal, Roads and Zoning Operations Manager Austin Cline, Cemetery Operations Manager Jared Conner, Assistant Chief Colt Cline, Fiscal Officer Lindsay Mayse, Fire Chief Shawn Davidson and Township Clerk Sara LeMaster.

**HEARING OF VISITORS:**

1. Jeff Hauerman and Macy Ramsey were present to discuss the early stages of the Data Center.

**ZONING:**

1. Kelly Spriggs, Chair of the Harrison Township Rural Zoning Board, expressed her concerns for not having anything in our zoning ordinances about noise for residential areas.

**ROADS:** None.

**CEMETERY:** None.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT:**

1. Fire Chief Shawn Davidson shared that the new tanker has been delivered and training will begin on it next week.

**OTHER BUSINESS:**

1. The Trustees discussed the proposed annexation related to the data center project with Jeff Hauerman, who was present to provide information on the project. Residents in attendance expressed various concerns regarding the annexation and its potential impacts, including traffic issues, limited employment opportunities (estimated at 50–100 jobs), possible tax abatements, visual impact (“concrete jungle” appearance), economic implications, and the lack of early involvement by Harrison Township in the process. It was noted that the CEDA agreement had been rewritten over the last 18 months. Jeff Hauerman expressed that the annexation has been approved by county commissioners.

**RESOLUTION 25-98**

**A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE AMOUNTS AND RATES AS DETERMINED BY THE BUDGET COMMISSION AND AUTHORIZING THE NECESSARY TAX LEVIES AND CERTIFYING THEM TO THE COUNTY AUDITOR.** Mr. Welsh moved, Mr. Mayse seconded, and the Trustees voted with three affirmative votes to approve R25-98.

**RESOLUTION 25-99**

**A RESOLUTION TO OPPOSE THE ANNEXATION OF 485.957 ACRES± IN HARRISON TOWNSHIP INTO THE VILLAGE OF ASHVILLE.** Mr. Mayse moved, Mr. Welsh seconded, and the Trustees voted with three affirmative votes to approve R25-99.

**ACTION ON MINUTES:** October 7, 2025, Regular Meeting: Mr. Mayse moved and Mr. Welsh seconded to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of October 7, 2025, and the Trustees voted with three affirmative votes to approve the motion.

**FISCAL OFFICER'S REPORT:**

**RESOLUTION 25-100**

**A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AND PAY THE ATTACHED LIST OF BILLS AS THE LAWFUL OBLIGATIONS OF HARRISON TOWNSHIP.** Mr. Welsh moved, Mr. Mayse seconded, and the Trustees voted with three affirmative votes to approve R25-100.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

With no further comments and all scheduled matters attended to, Mr. Mayse moved, and Mr. Welsh seconded the motion to adjourn the October 21, 2025, Board of Trustees Meeting. All were in favor and the meeting adjourned at 6:37pm.