

1. The Beaver Township Board of Trustees met in Regular Session on Tuesday, August 11, 2026 at 6:00 P.M. Chairman Kappler called the meeting to order with roll call as follows: Mr. Kappler, here; Mr. Tabor, here; Mrs. Simmons, here.
2. The next regular Township Trustee Meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 8, 2026 at 6:00 PM at the Beaver Township Administration Office, 11822 South Ave., North Lima OH 44452.
3. FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT: Larry Sauerwein, Fire Chief reports as follows:

For the month of July, the Beaver Township Fire Department responded to 273 calls for service, bringing our year-to-date total to 1,552 calls. These include, but are not limited to:

27	Public service
16	Dispatched and cancelled
13	Alarm Activations
4	Power lines down
4	Unauthorized burning
2	Motor vehicle accidents with injuries

I would like the Trustees to accept the resignation of Gary Borman from the department with extreme gratitude. He has served our community for 50 years as Firefighter, EMT and Fire Chief.

4. A Motion was made by Mr. Kappler, seconded by Mrs. Simmons to accept the resignation of Gary Borman from the department with extreme gratitude. He has served our community for 50 years as Firefighter, EMT and Fire Chief. Roll Call as follows: Mr. Kappler, aye; Mr. Tabor, aye; Mrs. Simmons, aye.

Trustee Simmons presented Gary Borman with a plaque in appreciation for his 50 years of service with the Fire/EMS Department. She also gave his wife flowers in appreciation of her support through all those years. In person, State Representative Tex Fischer presented Gary with a proclamation for his service. U.S Representative Michael Rulli also sent a proclamation that was given to Gary commending him for his years of service. Stan Boney from WKBN and a representative from the Vindicator were also in attendance and interviewed Gary after the meeting. Applause and standing ovation were given by all that were present.

5. PUBLIC RESPONSE

- All persons presenting information must give name and address.
- All comments must be directed to the Board.
- Comments & disruptive discussion are not to be held among audience.

Gary Delost, 9302 Harvard Blvd., asked if the township was working on plans for the data centers. Trustee Tabor reminded him that a moratorium resolution was passed at last months meeting. Mr. DeLost also commented on how nice it was to see the community supporting the market night at Crouse Hardware.

Lee Kurtz, 3550 W. South Range Rd., asked whatever happened to the possible roundabout at SR 165 and SR 46. Trustee Simmons said that it was not funded. Mr. Kurtz was happy about that.

6. CHECK APPROVAL

A Motion was made by Mrs. Simmons; seconded by Mr. Kappler to pay the following bills from the payroll account checks 10,848 thru 10,853 and 120,947 thru 121,067 and from the regular account checks 48,178 thru 48,259 for a TOTAL= \$167,240.79. Roll Call as follows: Mr. Kappler, aye; Mr. Tabor, aye; Mrs. Simmons, aye.

7. POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT

Eric Dattilo, Police Chief reported for the month of July 2026:

Calls for Service: 1,038

Traffic Stops: 230

Miles: 12,092

Arrests: 14

Citations: 48

Crashes Inv: 20

I am requesting that the Board of Trustees move Officers Wilkeson and Wieri to Full-Time status, retroactive to August 9, 2026.

8. A Motion was made by Mr. Kappler, seconded by Mrs. Simmons to move Officers Wilkeson and Wieri to Full-Time status, retroactive to August 9, 2026. Roll Call as follows: Mr. Kappler, aye; Mr. Tabor, aye; Mrs. Simmons, aye.

Trustee Simmons led both officers in the Oath of Office. Applause by all in attendance.

9. EMS/INSPECTION DEPARTMENT REPORT

Frank Dispenza, EMS Chief/Lead Fire Inspector was not here this evening. Fire Chief Sauerwein reported for the month of July 2026:

EMS:

(219) Responses; (231) Patients Seen; (180) Transports to Hospital; and (590.1) Loaded Miles

The monthly responses included: (84) ALS Transports; (88) BLS Transports; (1) Medic Back Up to Other Department; (12) Backup to Other Department; (5) Backup to BTFD Crew; (1) BLS Treatment-No Transport; (41) Refusals; (8) Cancelled Requests; (4) False Alarm; (1) Fire Stand-by and (10) Lift Assists.

INSPECTION DEPARTMENT:

(3) Annual Inspections; (1) Occupancy; (1) Inspector CE; (1) Re-Inspections; (4) Fire Alarm Issues; (3) Plan Reviews and (3) Miscellaneous. Total Inspections: 18

10. ROAD DEPARTMENT REPORT

Brad Burbick, Road Superintendent, reported for the month of July 2026:

Building is painted and looks good.

Extension for salt building will hopefully be here in the next couple of weeks.

I'm still waiting to hear from Lindy Paving to find out when they are going to start paving.

11. ZONING REPORT

Lindy Mitchell, Zoning Inspector, reported for the month of July 2026:

Permits: (8); Year to Date Permits: (58); Fees: \$2,006.00; Year to Date Fees: \$26,599.00; Est'd Value: \$878,929.00; Year to Date Est'd Value: \$6,737,042.00
Number of Violations: 0

12. PARK DEPARTMENT REPORT

Scott Conway, Park/Maintenance Administrator reported for the month of July 2026:

Music continues with two more regular concerts and a makeup concert.

Community day was not that well attended. Something different will need done in the future.

Senior meeting is on August 21st with Frank Dispenza will be the speaker.

13. RECYCLING REPORT

Cindy Sauerwein, Recycling Coordinator, reported as follows for the month of July 2026:

Everything is good.

Cindy also reminded everyone that tickets are on sale for the Fire Department's chicken dinner on September 19 at the South Range School.

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14. FISCAL OFFICE REPORT

Richard Lotze, Fiscal Officer, reported as follows for the month of July 2026:

Everyone received their financial reports.

I am requesting that the Board of Trustees approve the following Appropriation changes as presented.

Increase 28-A-1 (Salaries)	\$30,000.00	New Balance=\$375,000.00
Increase 10-A-15 (Other)	\$10,000.00	New Balance=\$ 63,000.00
Increase 10-A-1 (Salaries)	\$ 5,000.00	New Balance=\$240,000.00
Increase 9-A-10 (Contracts)	\$13,000.00	New Balance=\$236,500.00
Decrease 9-A-14 (Other)	<\$13,000.00>	New Balance=\$ 91,500.00
Increase 25-A-5 (T & E)	\$11,000.00	New Balance=\$ 51,000.00

15. RESOLUTION 26-36

A Motion was made by Mr. Kappler to adopt the following Resolution:

WHEREAS, on behalf of the residents of Beaver Township that the Board of Trustees approve the following Appropriation changes as presented.

The Motion was seconded by Mr. Tabor with Roll Call as follows: Mr. Kappler, aye; Mr. Tabor, aye; Mrs. Simmons, aye.

I am requesting the Board of Trustees to approve a "Then & Now" purchase order for Medicount Management, Inc. in the amount of \$3,775.13 (CK#48194 dated 7-21-26). This is for EMS billing services.

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17. NEW BUSINESS/OLD BUSINESS

None

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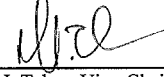
18. EXECUTIVE SESSION: According to Ohio Revised Code 121.22 to go into executive session at 6:20 PM to consider the compensation of a public employee. Roll Call as follows: Mr. Kappler, aye; Mr. Tabor, aye; Mrs. Simmons, aye.
19. RETURN FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION: Returned from executive session at 6:40 PM PM with roll call as follows: Mr. Kappler, aye; Mr. Tabor, aye; Mrs. Simmons, aye.

The following action was taken after returning from Executive Session:

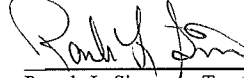
20. A Motion was made by Mrs. Simmons, seconded by Mr. Kappler to allow Fire Chief Larry Sauerwein to work shifts as a part time member of the Fire Department. He will be paid bi-weekly at his certification rate. He also cannot exceed 1,197.5 hours with this position. Roll Call as follows: Mr. Kappler, aye; Mr. Tabor, aye; Mrs. Simmons, aye.
21. With no further business, a Motion was made by Mr. Kappler, seconded by Mr. Tabor to adjourn the meeting. Roll Call as follows: Mr. Kappler, aye; Mr. Tabor, aye; Mrs. Simmons, aye.



Ronald L. Kappler, Chairperson



Erik J. Tabor, Vice-Chairperson



Pamela L. Simmons, Trustee

ATTEST:



Richard R. Lotze, Fiscal Officer