

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS
MINUTES OF ZANE TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES
December 23, 2024

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Doug Henry at 8:00am. Those present included Jack Graham, Steve Lithgo, Joni Cox, and two local residence.

AGENDA: Purpose of the meeting for 2025 budget.

Steve moved to increase the Road Worker/Cemetery worker 4%, Jack second. Steve moved to increase the Zoning Inspector \$100, Jack second that. Increase the pay of Cemetery help from \$14 per hour to \$15 per hour. All in favor of pay increases.

Discussion for an additional part-time, temporary employee for the cemetery help. Pay rate at \$15 per hour, only for the busy season. Create a fund for \$1000 for 2025, re-evaluate later in the year.

Lawnmower budget will remain the same as in years past. Considering to purchase a zero turn mower. Current mower is relatively new. Allocate funds for leaf catcher/leaf roller, budget \$8000 for the replacement.

Jack moved to increase Slemmons services for grave digging to \$300. Steve second. Increase the burial fees \$100. All in favor

Discussed cell phone for cemetery/road worker. All agreed to keep it the same.

Discussed the road culvert on road 161. Slemmons will fix the pipe.

BZA is dealing with an appeal. Doug to keep everyone updated on the status.

Doug updated on the legal issue and meeting with an attorney. Will keep everyone updated. Question was raised about the BZ board ability to create zoning laws for gun ranges. Doug will follow up with the BZ board for further discussion.

Doug moved to adjourn the meeting, Jack seconded the motion.

_____	Chairman, Doug Henry	_____	Date
_____	Trustee, Steve Lithgo	_____	Date
_____	Trustee, Jack Graham	_____	Date
_____	Fiscal Officer, Joni Cox	_____	Date