

## Clermont County Township Association Meeting

Date: May 18, 2017

Host: Goshen Township

**Meeting was called to order:** The meeting was called to order at 6:30 pm by Bonnie Batchler. She welcomed everyone to the meeting and asked everyone to stand for the pledge of allegiance. She then asked Commission Painter lead the prayer. After the prayer everyone enjoyed the dinner.

**Opening remarks:** After dinner Mrs. Batchler asked Donna Cann to send out an email to all members regarding the CCTA picnic that is scheduled for June 15<sup>th</sup> so see if there are enough members interested in attending. Last year only about twenty people showed up for the picnic and Bonnie did not feel that it is a good idea to spend money to purchase chicken if no one is interested in attending. She also wanted to see if Batavia Township Park or Ohio Township Park would be available on that date.

Bonnie then introduced Lee Ann Watson, Assistant Director for the Mental Health and Recovery Board. Ms. Watson then talked about the opiate epidemic in Clermont County. She said that Clermont County ranks first for drug overdoses in the State. She talked about how often people relapse after they have been in a treatment program and also how long the wait is to get into a program. She passed out a brochure titled "Breaking the Cycle" put out by the Opiate Task Force of Clermont County.

Bonnie then introduced Jay Sell and Michael Megert, Senior Energy Consultants from Aspen Energy. They spoke about aggregation for electric and natural gas for the townships.

**Motion to approve meeting minutes:** A motion was made by Skeets Humphries and seconded by Bob Hausermann to approve the March 16, 2017 meeting minutes. Motion passed.

**Treasurer's Report:** A motion was made by Rick Hinson and seconded by Skeets Humphries to approve the treasurer's report from April 1, 2017. Motion passed.

A motion was made by Skeets Humphries and seconded by Bob Hausermann to approve the treasurer's report from May 1, 2017. Motion passed.

A motion was made by Bob Hausermann and seconded by Matt Beamer to approve the suggested donations to the various charities in Clermont County from the proceeds from the 2017 Clermont County Township Association Spring Banquet. Motion passed.

**The next meeting will be held:** The next meeting will be the CCTA picnic on June 15<sup>th</sup> if there are enough members interested in holding the event.

**Other comments and suggestions:** Ed Humphrey thanked everyone for their prayers after his car accident late last year.

Skeets Humphrey talked about the lack of attendance at the Health Department meeting held in February. He said that the township trustees and fiscal officers have a responsibility as elected officials to show up at the meetings.

**Motion to adjourn the meeting:** A motion was made by Skeets Humphries and seconded by Bob Hausermann to adjourn the meeting. Motion passed.