

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS
Jerome Township Board of Trustees

Minutes of

Meeting

GOVERNMENT FORMS & SUPPLIES 8-41-224-3533 FORM NO. 101-0

Held December 3, 2018 20 _____

The Jerome Township Board of Trustees met in special session on December 3, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. for the purpose of conducting the first of two public hearings pursuant to ORC 4504.18 to consider whether to adopt an additional township license tax. Board Chairman Ronald Rhodes called the meeting to order. Ronald Rhodes, Joe Craft and C.J. Lovejoy answered the roll call. Also in attendance were Robert Caldwell (Fiscal Officer), Thayne Gray (Union County Prosecutor's Office) and members of the public.

Mr. Caldwell read the public notice.

The notice indicated that any such tax would be levied at the rate of five dollars (\$5.00) per motor vehicle on all motor vehicle the owner of which reside in the unincorporated area of the township. The earliest effective date would be January 1, 2020. If adopted, the tax would remain in effect until repealed.

The first of two required public hearings is being held on December 3, 2018 and the second to be held on December 10, 2018.

Public Participation

Barry Adler questioned the Board as to the need of additional tax revenue for future road maintenance. He stated that he has previously heard how new development should pay for additional needs. He also questioned whether the TIF approved for the Jacquemin had any effect on this added need.

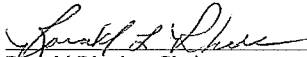
Mr. Rhodes reminded Mr. Adler that the Township is not permitted to assess an impact fee on developers for roads.

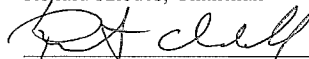
Mr. Craft asked Thayne Gray of the Union County Prosecutor's Officer whether a vote of the Board of Trustees needed to be a majority or unanimous. Mr. Gray responded that a majority vote was needed.

Mr. Rhodes reviewed some of the known road maintenance needs for the spring and the needed for additional staffing.

The Board indicate that the next public hearing is scheduled for December 10, 2018.

At 7:18 p.m. it was moved by Ron Rhodes and seconded by C.J. Lovejoy that the Jerome Township Board of Trustees adjourn. The motion carried.


 Ronald Rhodes, Chairman


 Robert Caldwell, Fiscal Officer

