

November 10, 2025

The board of Cessna Township Trustees opened in regular session on Monday November 10, 2025 at 7:00 P.M. at the township hall with the fiscal officer and all trustees present. The minutes from the previous meeting were read along with the presentation of the monthly financial reports. Mr. Eibling moved to accept all reports as presented. Mr. Vermillion seconded the motion with all voting aye.

The board welcomed Ohio House of Representative Jim Hoops. Rep. Hoops was on hand to seek support for his run for the Ohio Senate District one seat in the upcoming 2026 election. Mr, Hoops discussed current issues regarding property tax collections in Ohio.

The board thanked the township voters for the passage of the township’s fire and cemetery levy renewals in the recent general election. It was also noted that Craig Eibling and Chris Vermillion were reelected as trustees for the township.

Mark Schwemer updated the board on zoning matters in the township. He noted that he has been working with the Hardin County Engineers office to update the engineer’s countywide zoning maps that designate zoning classifications for individual parcels.

The board reviewed part time road mower Clayton Jackson’s pay scale for 2025 and agreed that Mr. Jackson was doing an excellent job for the township. Mr. Eibling made a motion to increase Mr. Jackson’s hourly rate of pay for 2026 to \$17.00 per hour. Mr Hull seconded the motion with all voting aye.

Mr. Vermillion thanked Mr. Schwemer for his work in updating the township’s zoning regulations as well as keeping the board up to date on the renewable energy activities in the area and therefore motioned to increase the Zoning and Nuisance Officer’s annual pay to \$2,950.00 for 2026. Mr. Eibling seconded the motion with all voting aye.

Resolution #2025-14

Whereas: The Cessna Township Board of Trustees agree to set the compensation rate for the trustees in 2026 to be set at the maximum daily rate allowed by the Ohio Revised Code, not to exceed 200 days per year with 2/3rds of the salary coming from the Gas Fund and the remaining 1/3rd to be paid from the General fund based upon the percentage of time spent.

Wetherefore: After review, agree to the rates and days of service as presented.

BeItResolved: Mr. Eibling motions to approve the resolution with Mr. Vermillion seconding.

Roll Call Vote : Mr. Eibling Yes, Mr. Vermillion Yes, Mr. Hull Yes. Resolution Adopted

The board discussed preliminary budget needs for 2026 and offered up the possibility of replacing the townships rotary disc mower as well as the need to budget for tree trimming along various roadsides. The budget for 2026 will be completed during the December meeting.

The following voucher packets were presented for board approval and payment:

Check#				
5737	Visa	\$ 177.70	5738	Craig Eibling \$ 915.34
5739	Bill Hull	\$ 915.34	5740	Clayton Jackson \$ 749.56
5741	Wesley Potter	\$ 668.21	5742	Mark Schwemer \$ 149.53
5743	Chris Vermillion	\$ 912.50	5744	Ohio Def. Comp. \$ 400.00
5745	OPERS	\$1,439.38	5746	B-Sealed \$ 882.60
5747	Ohio Treasurer	\$ 120.00	5748	McGuffey Fire \$2,972.83
5749	The Kenton Times	\$ 11.60	5750	Sparks Tire \$ 568.00
5751	MedMutual Life	\$ 56.40	5752	Visa \$ 133.22
5753	Central Ohio Farmers	\$ 503.25	5754	Motter Lawn Service \$1,710.00
Electronic Debit	SLRF	\$ 206.16		

Mr Hull motioned to pay all bills as presented, Mr.Eibling seconded with all voting aye. Mr.Vermillion moved to adjourn with Mr.Eibling seconding, all voting aye. Meeting adjourned until the next regular meeting scheduled for Monday December 8th, 2025 at 7:00 pm.

Wesley J. Potter, Fiscal Officer