Akron Town Council Meeting December 20, 2024

Present: Jim Saner, President; Rich Solano, Vice-President; Tony Rameriz, Member; Rebecca Hartzler, Clerk-Treasurer; Anthony Newcomer, Assistant Superintendent

The meeting opened at 9:00 a.m.

Rebecca presented a quote from Donley Safety for the purchase of 5 air packs for Engine 2, the truck the town owns and maintains. Henry Township Advisory Board approved at their December 17th meeting to purchase 11 air packs and the compressor from Donley Safety for the fire department. Rich made a motion to approve the Donley Safety quote of \$40,190 for 5 air packs. Jim 2nd. 2 ayes. Tony abstained due to being a member of the volunteer fire department. The air packs will be paid for with Public Safety funds in 2025.

Rebecca discussed with the council updating the annual agreement between the Town of Akron and Henry Township Volunteer Fire Department. Rebecca found the last agreement was signed back in 2015. Rebecca will work with Lisa Paxton, Henry Township Trustee to make amendments to the document and will present it to the respective boards at their January meeting.

The Akron Welcome Sign on SR14 was discussed following Jim meeting with the residents. The council held a conference call with Bill at Graycraft and discussed the process of trying to relocate the sign. Bill will discuss internally with his team and follow up after the holidays to come up with a solution.

Rebecca provided an updated that MD7 is a third-party company trying to buy out our lease with AT&T. The council discussed the documents provided and will not proceed with signing. They will maintain the current lease directly with AT&T.

The next council meeting is Friday, December 27, 2024 @ 9:00 a.m.

Jim made a motion to adjourn at 10:10 a.m. Rich 2nd. 3 ayes.

Jim/Saner, President

Rebecca Hartzler, Clerk-Treasure