

Springfield Township Trustees  
Regular Trustees' Meeting

7:00 p.m. Monday, December 18, 2017

George Oravec 2807 W. Course Road stated that we all owe a debt of gratitude to Marylin. In the 1980's she fought against the annexation of all Springfield Township to the Village of Holland.

Tammy Linebrock of Maumee, stated that the Yoder family have always been a very political family and the residents always encouraged her mom to run for re-election.

**PUBLIC SAFETY:**

Sheriff's Report: By Capt. Matt Luettker

The Crime Report for November was accepted but Capt. Luettker was unable to attend the meeting.

**PUBLIC SAFETY (cont.):**

Fire/EMS Report: By Barry Cousino, Fire Chief

Fire Chief Cousino reviewed the Monthly Report and highlighted the following items:

- Chief Cousino congratulated Mrs. Yoder on her retirement and stated that it was a pleasure working with her over the years.
- Chief Cousino and his staff attended several meetings/events including:
  - Bimonthly Mobile Integrated Health (MIH) meeting.
  - Lutheran Village at Wolf Creek to discuss planning an evacuation drill.
- In compliance with NFPA 1932, all thirty-three ground ladders were tested and successfully passed.
- Accepted a generous donation from the residents of Lutheran Village at Wolf Creek. The donation was put into the house fund for the firefighter's holiday meal.
- Fire administrators continue to meet and evaluate solutions to enhance fire department access control and other security methods for each of the fire stations.
- Battalion Chief Moore hosted a visit from Anna Comfort Dog.
- Battalion Chief Moore conducted Fire Extinguisher training for 25 employees at Dura-Temp Corp.
- Station 53 hosted a visit from Webelos Scout Pack 144.
- Battalion Chief Moore and Lt. Sauder attended Fire Officer III class at the University of Findlay All Hazards Training Center.
- Chief Cousino, Captain Kokocinski, and Firefighter Hutchinson attended a seminar specific to trauma.
- Fire/EMS responded to 252 calls in the month of November, of which 45 were in the Village of Holland, and 42 were in the Spencer Township service area.

Other items:

Chief Cousino presented the Trustees a request to purchase ten sets of turnout gear.

**Motion made by Marylin Yoder to approve the purchase of ten sets of turnout gear from Fire Safety Services, at a total cost of \$22,980.00.** Seconded by Andrew Glenn and the roll call resulted as follows:

Marylin Yoder, yes  
Andrew Glenn, yes  
Robert Bethel, yes

Chief Cousino presented the Trustees a request to purchase a Genesis Rescue System which includes the portable battery blades, spreader, and cutter.

**Motion made by Andrew Glenn to approve the purchase of a portable battery Genesis Rescue System from Howell Rescue Systems, at a total cost of \$30,500.00.** Seconded by Marylin Yoder and the roll call resulted as follows:

Andrew Glenn, yes  
Marylin Yoder, yes  
Robert Bethel, yes