

Springfield Township Trustees  
Regular Trustees' Meeting

7:00 p.m. Tuesday, January 16, 2018

The Springfield Township Trustees met in regular session, open to the public, on Tuesday, January 16, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. in the Township Chambers, 7617 Angola Road, Holland, Ohio with the following members present:

Tom Anderson Jr.  
Robert Bethel  
Andrew Glenn

Andrew Glenn called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. All present were asked to rise for a silent prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance.

**ADOPTION OF AGENDA:**

**Motion made by Robert Bethel to approve the agenda, as presented.** Seconded by Tom Anderson Jr. and the roll call resulted as follows:

Robert Bethel, yes  
Tom Anderson Jr., yes  
Andrew Glenn, yes

**PUBLIC COMMENT:**

None.

**PUBLIC SAFETY:**

**Sheriff's Report:**

Capt. Luettker was not able to attend the meeting, but he did provide the Crime Report for December 2017 for the Trustees to review.

**PUBLIC SAFETY (cont.):**

**Fire/EMS Report:** By Barry Cousino, Fire Chief

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

- Chief Cousino continues to chair the Medical Committee for Lucas County EMS.
- Springfield Township Fire Department is experiencing a shortage of Paramedics, to help relieve the situation we are teaming up with Four County Career for paramedic training. We currently have four interested firefighters who would like to take the training classes.
- There were three structure fires in the month of December.
- Training throughout the month included a scene size up command course, five metrics of CPR, and an interactive drill for winter operations.
- Fire/EMS responded to 222 calls in the month of December, of which 38 were in the Village of Holland, and 50 were in the Spencer Township service area.

Other items:

Chief Cousino presented the Trustees with a request to purchase a new ambulance which includes power load and cot systems.

**Motion made by Robert Bethel to approve the purchase of a 2018 McCoy Miller 174 Ambulance from Burgess Ambulance Sales, at a total cost of \$226,830.00.** Seconded by Tom Anderson Jr. and the roll call resulted as follows:

Robert Bethel, yes  
Tom Anderson Jr., yes  
Andrew Glenn, yes

Chief Cousino presented the Trustees with a request to purchase a lights and siren package for the Assistant Fire Chief's new vehicle.