

SUMPTER TOWNSHIP
Regular Board Meeting Agenda
September 14, 2021
6:00 PM

PUBLIC NOTICE:

To mitigate the spread of COVID-19, protect the public health, and provide essential protections to Sumpter Township residents; this Board of Trustees' meeting will be conducted virtually in compliance with the emergency declaration of the Wayne County Executive Order) and Wayne County Department of Health regarding remote public meetings. To participate in this meeting electronically, please see posted instructions on Township Bulletin Board and/or the Township Website; www.sumptertwp.org. Thank you.

1. Pledge of Allegiance
2. Roll Call: Bowman, Hurst, Warren, LaPorte, Oddy, Rush, Morgan
3. Approve Agenda
4. Public Comment
5. Minutes
 - A. Approve Regular Board Meeting Minutes of August 24, 2021.
 - B. Accept HR Committee Meeting Minutes of August 19, 2021.
6. Approve Warrants:
 - Warrants totaling: \$889,091.86
7. Supervisor's Report – Bowman
8. Attorney's Report – Young
9. Police/Ordinance Report – Chief Luke
10. Building Report - Bowman
11. Fire Report – Chief Brown
12. Board Response:
13. New Business:
 - * A. Consider approval to hire Mr. Roderick Thompson, as the Parttime Senior & Community Center Driver at the AFSCME wage of **\$20.74** per hour, for

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an average of 20 hours per week or less, effective September 20, 2021, pending successful completion of background, Police records check and drug screening.

- ** ~~B. Consider approval of an emergency month-to-month independent contract (pending required certifications and insurances) with Ms. Cari Ford for finance & accounting duties originally handled by Post, Smythe, Lutz & Ziel of Wayne, LLP effective September 1st, 2021 at the rate of \$95.00 per hour.~~

- ** ~~C. **Consider** approval to solicit bids for the functions of finance & accounting duties.~~

- D. Consider approval to begin sale of township owned properties, selling two at a time, until all sellable are processed. This is due to the highest market values Sumpter Township has experienced in decades.

- E. Consider approval to hire John Danci as DPW Director for \$72,500 salary, MERS match of 8%, and no medical optout available, starting October 4, 2021.

- *** F. Consider approval to accept, with regrets, the resignation of Mr. Brad Wheelock, Building Department Secretary, effective September 24, 2021.

- *** G. Consider approval to hire Ms. Acheenia Hall, as the fulltime Building Department Secretary at the AFSCME wage of \$23.41 per hour, (with no loss of seniority earned as the Treasurer's Parttime Office Clerk, hired August 16, 2021) and resetting her 90-day probationary period, effective September 14, 2021.

- *** H. Consider approval to hire Ms. Ashley Harris as the Treasurer's Parttime Office Clerk at the AFSCME wage of \$20.74 per hour, for 21-29 hours per week, effective September 15, 2021."

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14. Announcements

15. Adjournment

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Esther Hurst, Clerk

Post: September 7th, 2021 at 4:00 pm

Revised: September 14th, 2021 at 1:00 pm

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