



October 3rd Meeting Highlights

Fire Department



The Fire Department recently purchased a 2023 Ram 3500 Brush/Grass fire response truck. The truck is fitted with a 250-gallon water tank, 10-gallon foam cell, and CET slip-in pump.

The Board authorized township legal counsel to prepare a Memorandum of Understanding for presentation to the CTFD Union pertaining to matters involving wages and work hours.

Save the Date

Canton Township Fire Department **Safety Day**

2023

October 14th

1 to 4pm

Fun & Information for all Ages

Demonstrations

Bouncy Houses

Health Representatives

Station Open House



Entertainment

Refreshments



Community Displays

Safe Home Info



Children Activities

Enjoy Fire Safety Information, Entertainment, & Food With Your Canton Twp. Community



Sunday, October 29th
3pm-5pm

Public Works Department

The Board authorized to grind and pave a portion of Bruening Circle, following completion of recent catch basin work, not to exceed \$75,000.

The Public Works Director updated the Board on crack sealing work that has been completed on township roads. Four tons of sealer was applied.

The Board will continue to receive bids for the Faircrest Park Project through October 17th at 2:00 pm. [Click here to view bid information.](#)

Residential Yard Waste Drop- Off Site

The residential yard waste site (**commercial yard waste dumping is prohibited**) is currently open on Wednesdays, Saturdays, and Sundays from 9am-7pm. The operation of this site is made possible through Stark Tuscarawas Wayne Joint Recycling District grant funding in the amount of \$40,300 for 2023. As of the October 3rd meeting, approximately \$1,000 of grant funding remains to offset the cost of yard waste hauling. The township is awaiting confirmation of additional funds available to keep this site open into the fall season.

Zoning Department

The Board approved the Fiscal Officer to sign a letter to the Stark County Auditor requesting a lien on the tax duplicate for lawn maintenance/ high

grass (15) parcels: 1303536, 1307734, 1307480, 1313644, 1302713, 1307234, 1307235, 1307233, 1307232, 1307798, 1312457, 1305320, 1308052, 1302514, and 1301591 totaling \$7,750.00.

The Board approved the Fiscal Officer to sign a letter to the Stark County Auditor requesting a lien on the tax duplicate for nuisance assessment on (1) parcel: 1303261 totaling \$6,064.60.

The Board declared the following properties as a nuisance as deemed by the Zoning Director, and order them abated per Ohio Revised Code 505.173 and/or 505.86 and/or 505.87. 3209 Sandy Ave SE for Unlicensed/ Junk Vehicles, 428 34th ST SE and 5350 East Sparta Ave SE for trash and debris, 235 Ironwood St SW for unlicensed vehicles.

The Board requested township legal counsel to prepare a resolution regarding towing vehicles in violation of zoning regulations from 839 Hollywood.

General News

The Board entered into an agreement with the Law Office of Eric J. Williams, LLC to perform an internal review and provide recommendations related to existing policies and procedures across departments and to review and potentially recommend updates to our employee handbook.

The Board signed letter to Ohio Development Services Agency regarding Young Truck Sales plans inside Canton Township.

Canton Township is proud to partner with the Veterans Service Commission again this year to offer the Community Center as a location for a Wish Tag Tree. The public is invited to take a tag from the tree and return the gift by November 28th.

Everbridge Emergency Alert Program

Get alerted about emergencies and other important community news by signing up for our Emergency Alert Program. This system enables the township to provide you with critical information quickly in a variety of situations, such as severe weather, unexpected road closures, missing persons and evacuations of buildings or neighborhoods.

You will receive time-sensitive messages wherever you specify, such as your home, mobile or business phones, email address, text messages and more. You pick where, you pick how.

This service was made possible through a grant from our friends at Marathon.

Two ways to join:

1. Download the Everbridge app from your play store, search Canton Township OH, and complete your registration, or
2. Click on the Everbridge link located on our website homepage at www.cantontwp-oh.gov

Upcoming Board Meetings

***October 17th Regular Meeting will be held at
Station #3- 3103 ParkwayNW**

**Regular Meetings are held the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month
at 6:00 p.m. at the Administration Office (4711 Central Ave SE).**

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