



## *January 4th Meeting Highlights*

Thank You  
Trustee Mittas  
You Will Be Missed

Below are a few items occurring around our community in honor of the memory of Trustee Mittas.

### 1. Township LED Displays

Each sign (Faircrest Park, Admin Building, Community Center, plus each fire station) now display the message included in this post thanking Bill. Special thanks to Canton Local as the high school display includes the same message.

\*Meyers Lake sign is a new install and working through some connectivity issues.

### 2. US Flags

Flags at all township buildings are flying at half-staff through sundown Friday.

### 3. Final Roll Call

At the Board of Trustees meeting Tuesday evening, we conducted a final attendee roll call, including Bill, where upon his noted absence - we immediately held a moment of silence in Bill's honor.

### 4. Basketball Game Moment of Silence

At the Canton South varsity boys home basketball Tuesday evening a moment of silence was held in honor of Bill. Thank you again to Canton Local/Brett Yeagley.

## 5. Community Communication

The township released a Constant Contact email, social media, and website communication simultaneously with some of our favorite Bill pictures included.

## 6. Friday Service

The township was honored to be asked by the Mittas family to have a presence and some small participation in the service.

Please continue to keep the Mittas family in your thoughts and prayers.

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## ***Fire Department***



Trustee Nichols swore in current part-time fire/ medic Ryan Dustman as our newest full-time Firefighter/ Medic. We wish Ryan a long and healthy career!

The Assistant Fire Chief provided an update on CTFD staffing concerns. The Board thanks our full-time and part-time staff for working extra hours and picking up additional shifts to ensure adequate coverage across the township.

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## ***Public Works Department***

The Board approved the Public Works Director to sign the 2022 Hauling/ Removal Services contract with Bull Country Compost, LLC for the hauling of yard waste, with a price increase per container, in anticipation of 2022 yard waste site opening.

The Canton Township Park rates were set for the 2022 season. The Public

Works Department will begin accepting reservations for future use at the beginning of next month.

Community Park and Faircrest Park (old pavilion)- Resident rate \$50.00

Non- Resident rate \$100.00

Faircrest Park (new pavilion)- Resident rate \$65.00 Non- Resident rate \$130.00.

Security deposits will no longer be taken for pavilion rentals.

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## **Zoning Department**

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 and the Canton Township Property Maintenance Code. 3221 Allenford Dr SE and 3811 Waynesburg Dr SE both for trash and debris, 3963 Richville Dr SW for unlicensed vehicles.

The Board received an update from the Zoning Director regarding the need for an asbestos study at 2465 Waynesburg Drive.

The Board voted to decline adopting the proposed texts amendments to the Canton Township Zoning Resolution as listed in the application by resolution CA-6-21. In light of the current time frame parameters, the Board felt it prudent to decline the original application with the anticipation of submitting a revised application by resolution at a later date.

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## **General Updates**

The 2022 Reorganization Meeting was held on January 3rd. Mark Shaffer was appointed as Board President and Chris Nichols was appointed as Board Vice President.

New message board installation has been completed, following a back order of materials, at the Administration Building and Station #3. The message boards were paid for through the use of Cares Act funding.

Two special meetings were scheduled:

Monday, January 10th at 6:00 p.m. for a work session regarding the appointment of a public official.

Friday, January 14th at 7:45 a.m. to begin interviewing attorneys and /or firms that have submitted a Request For Proposal for Additional Legal Services to be provided to Canton Township.

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### **Live Christmas Tree recycling**

The Public Works Department will again be accepting live Christmas Trees for recycling



this season. There will be a designated location at the Township Administration Building- 4711 Central Ave SE. during normal business hours Monday- Friday from 7:00 a.m.- 3:00 p.m. These will be accepted the whole month of January.

## **Upcoming Board Meetings**

### **January 18th**

Regular Meeting 6:30 p.m. will be held at the Administration Office at 4711 Central Ave SE

## **Canton Township**

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### **Elected Officials**

Board President: Mark Shaffer

Vice President: Christopher Nichols

Member: William Mittas

Fiscal Officer: John Ring

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