**FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE MEETING HELD ON SEPTEMBER 20, 2021**

President Jeremy Saling called the meeting to order at 3 pm with the following in attendance: Trustee Dave Lang, Fiscal Officer Molly Long, Road Worker- Rick Johnson and Mark and Sue Springer.

Trustees signed the pre-approved minutes from the August 16, 2021 meeting.

**OLD BUSINESS**

Lang- None

Saling- None

**NEW BUSINESS**

Lang- Mark Springer is the pastor at the church at the corner of Rt. 40 and Linnville Rd. The church is dissolving and has offered to give the building and property to the township. Trustees are not willing to accept this gift as they have no use for it. The Springers may look at making it a residence. Lang reported that the ODOT Township Grant will be submitted. Called Sue Spiker re: OPWC grant and if she would submit it for us the charge would be around $2000 which the trustees felt was not a necessary expense.

Saling- Took a call from Barbie Siner and told her she could sell but not from her house. Duda didn’t agree after his contact about this matter with the prosecutor’s office.

**ZONING-** Former Shook house looks good, rest not so much, will send letter to new owner.

**ROADS** Rick reported that he was still working on Ellis cemetery and 2nd mowing.

**SAFETY** – Checked all signs.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS-** See above Lang notes.

**FISCAL OFFICER LONG-** F.O. and trustees took a field trip to the community center rooms to take a look at the condition of the carpet. It was decided to try to match the existing tile and have the carpet removed as it is in bad shape. Long will get estimates. Long also reported receiving $628.43 5500 recall reimbursement and $118,106.82 ARPA first payment.

 Payments in the amount of $ 9,035.47 were made.

Motion to pay made by Lang, seconded by Saling.

Motion to adjourn made by Saling, seconded by Lang.

Trustee Trustee Trustee Fiscal Officer