

## What Are Some Of A Trustee's Responsibilities?

The Board of Trustees is the overall governing body of the township and rules on policy issues as well as being responsible for the following:

- ~ Roads—Paving, repairs, snow removal, and weed control for about 25 miles of roads
- ~ Cemeteries—Sell plots, set fees for services, maintain, and expand the cemetery
- ~ Personnel—Hire and appoint employees as necessary to execute the duties and functions of the township
- ~ Zoning—may work with board to regulate the use of land and buildings and oversee development
- ~ Fire—provide full-time, part-time, or volunteer fire/EMS protection or contract with other townships and municipalities

## Township Web Site

We are looking into creating a website for our township. You would be able to access the Community Room Guidelines, meeting minutes, and other information. We will keep you posted in the newsletter about our progress.



## Trustee Meeting Schedule

Reminder that trustee meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd Monday of each month at the Township Firehouse/Community Center on Flint Ridge Rd. They are held at 7:00 p.m. in the trustee room.

January 1 and 18

February 1 and 15

March 3 and 15

April 5 and 19

May 3 and 17

June 7 and 21

July 5 and 19

August 2 and 16

September 7 and 20

October 4 and 18

November 1 and 15

December 6



## Mailbag: Answering Your Questions

We look forward to answering questions you may have. Since you may not be the only one wondering something, we plan on publishing some of the questions and answers in the future.

## Who's Different For 2010

The township road department has one full time employee, Rick Johnson, and hired one part time employee, Jim Hundley. Two new trustees were elected, Jay Clark, and Jeremy Saling. Rusty Arnold joined the zoning committee.

## Fire Department

Our township receives fire and EMS protection from three departments: Licking Township Fire Company, Heath, and National Trails. Franklin Township provides money for two F.F./EMT's to be at our Station on Saturdays and Sundays from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Stop in and say hello!

Contact info and run totals for the three stations in '09 are as follows:

### Licking Township Fire Company

6800 Phil Linn Pkwy.

P.O. Box 228

Jacksontown 43030

Chief Mike Wilson

Station 1 hours: 8:00-4:00

323-0211

*Total: 122*

### Heath Fire Department

193 Heath Rd., Heath 43056

Chief Mark Huggins

Station 1 hours:8:00-4:00

522-4585

*Total Fire: 8 and Total EMS: 16*

### National Trails Volunteer Fire Dept.

362 Church St.

Gratiot 43740

Chief Ted McNamara

349-6758

*Total Fire: 11 and Total EMS:22*



L.T.F.C. members practice their car fire skills.

*Remember to contact our Fire Prevention Officer if you need a home inspection and before you burn outdoors.*

## Road Department

Some of their duties are:

- plowing and salting almost 25 miles of township roads
- mowing road side ditches
- building maintenance
- patching pot holes
- trimming trees

(For emergencies call the garage at 323-3374)

## Zoning Department

Remember that before you build a house, deck, garage, or other outbuilding to contact our zoning inspector for a township permit.



One of two trucks ready to clear roads this winter.

## Community Room Perfect For Gatherings

Need a place to hold a birthday party or meeting? The Franklin Township Community Room can meet your needs.

The Center offers two rooms, one with a kitchen and one without. If you choose, you may rent both rooms that when combined can seat about 120 people. The kitchen includes a stove, oven, microwave, and refrigerator.

You would place a \$50 deposit and \$50 rental fee for each day of use. After your event, the deposit is returned provided the room is clean and without damage. Non-township residents would place the \$50 deposit and a \$100 rental fee for each day of use.

The applicant agrees to bagging and taking with them all trash, wiping up spills on floors, countertops, food prep areas, and cabinets, removing food items, utensils, and personal property.

Handicap parking is available. Smoking in the building is not permitted.

Contact Molly Long for the full rental agreement and scheduling at 323-4228



Spacious rooms make any size of gathering simple.



*A full service kitchen makes entertaining easy.*

# Franklin Township Contact Information

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**Franklin Township's Community Link**