

**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES REGULAR MEETING  
APPROVED MINUTES**

Tuesday, March 8, 2022  
7:00 PM



**CALL TO ORDER AT 7:00 P.M.**

**ROLL CALL:** Kurt Heise, Supervisor  
Jerry Vorva, Clerk  
Mark Clinton, Treasurer  
Chuck Curmi, Trustee  
John Stewart, Trustee  
Bob Doroshewitz, Trustee  
**EXCUSED:** Audrey Monaghan, Trustee

**ALSO PRESENT:** Dan Phillips, Fire Chief  
Pat Conley, Assistant Fire Chief  
Thomas Tiderington, Police Chief  
Dan Kudra, Assistant Chief  
Kevin Bennett, Township Attorney  
Nani Wolf, Township Planner  
Jeremy Schrot, Township Engineer  
Denisa Terrell, Recording Secretary  
14 Members of the Public

**A. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE** Ryan Krebs

**B. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**  
Tuesday, March 8, 2022

Moved by Clerk Vorva and supported by Trustee Doroshewitz to approve the Board of Trustees agenda for the regular meeting held on March 8, 2022.  
All Ayes

**C. APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA**

**D.1 Approval of Minutes:**

a. Regular Meeting, February 22, 2022

**D.2 Consent Agenda – New Business**

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- a. Planning Commission Annual Report, *Laura Haw, Township Planner and Nani Wolf, Assistant Township Planner*
- b. Adoption by Reference of 2021 International Fire Code, Second Reading, **Resolution # 2022-03-08-12**, *Fire Chief Dan Phillips and Kevin Bennett, Township Attorney*
- c. Police Department Purchase and upfit of Four (4) 2022 Model Year Vehicles, **Resolution # 2022-03-08-13**, *Assistant Police Chief Daniel Kudra*

**D.3 Acceptance of Reports**

- Building Department Monthly Report - February 2022
- Fire Department Monthly Report - February 2022
- Planning Department Monthly Report - February 2022
- Police Department Monthly Report - February 2022
- FOIA Monthly Report - Clerk's Office - February 2022
- FOIA Monthly Report - Police Department - February 2022

**D.4 Correspondence**

- a. Historic District Commission Publication of "The Historic Sites of Plymouth Township" Brochure, *Wendy Harless, Chair, Plymouth Township Historic District Commission*

**D.5 Approval of Township Bills:**

<b>FUND</b>	<b>ACCT</b>	<b>ALREADY PAID</b>	<b>TO BE PAID</b>	<b>TOTAL:</b>
General Fund	<b>101</b>	<b>525,041.58</b>	<b>182,026.01</b>	<b>707,067.29</b>
Drug Forfeiture Federal	<b>262</b>	<b>.00</b>	<b>5,518.80</b>	<b>5,518.80</b>
Drug Forfeiture		<b>.00</b>	<b>4,045.00</b>	<b>4,045.00</b>

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State	<b>265</b>			
Drug Forfeiture IRS	<b>266</b>	<b>.00</b>	<b>.00</b>	<b>.00</b>
Improvement Revolving (Capital)	<b>446</b>	<b>.00</b>	<b>.00</b>	<b>.00</b>
Senior Transportation	<b>588</b>	<b>2,886.23</b>	<b>.00</b>	<b>2,886.23</b>
Water/Sewer Fund	<b>592</b>	<b>49,136.63</b>	<b>31,248.79</b>	<b>80,385.42</b>
Solid Waste Fund	<b>596</b>	<b>2,675.77</b>	<b>1,131.26</b>	<b>3,807.03</b>
Tax Pool	<b>703</b>	<b>3,798.26</b>	<b>.00</b>	<b>3,798.36</b>
Police Bond Fund	<b>710</b>	<b>200.00</b>	<b>.00</b>	<b>200.00</b>
Special Assessment Capital	<b>805</b>	<b>.00</b>	<b>.00</b>	<b>.00</b>
<b>TOTALS:</b>		<b>583,738.47</b>	<b>223,969.86</b>	<b>807,708.33</b>

Moved by Clerk Vorva and seconded by Trustee Stewart to approve the Consent Agenda for the Board of Trustees meeting of March 8, 2022.  
All Ayes of Trustees Present.

**D. PUBLIC COMMENT *(Limited to 3 Minutes)***

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Larry Kummer expressed appreciation to the Board of Trustees and the wonderful job they do for the community. He also expressed concern with the condition of the roads and the process of road repairs. (Attached Statement)

Ruth Deljevic shared the same view on road repair. She asked for assistance from the Board with the process.

**E. NEW BUSINESS**

1. Public Hearing concerning the use and distribution of funds received from the U.S. Government pursuant to the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA),  
*Township Clerk Jerry Vorva*

**Open Public Hearing**

Moved by Clerk Vorva and supported by Supervisor Heise to open the public hearing at 7:14 p.m.

Roll Call Vote.

All Ayes of Trustees Present.

Supervisor Heise opened the public hearing addressing the need for road repair as well. He advised that his office is in constant contact with the community, State of Michigan, and Wayne County. He indicated costs to repair road would exceed \$10 million dollars and the American Rescue Plan Act Funds (ARPA) would not cover the full extent of road issues. He shared the Township received \$2.83 million of ARPA funds. Supervisor Heise asked for suggestions on spending.

There were suggestions for solar energy supply, sidewalk gaps, and a public pool.

**Close Public Hearing**

Moved by Clerk Vorva and supported by Trustee Doroshewitz to close the public hearing at 7:34 p.m.

Roll Call Vote.

All Ayes of Trustees Present.

2. Discussion of ARPA Funding Options, *Township Supervisor Kurt Heise*

The Board of Trustees had a dialogue on ARPA Funds use on projects that would benefit the largest number of residents, promote public wellness, safety, and quality of life.

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Suggestions on projects that would align with the referenced model include a possible ambulance for the fire department, sidewalk gaps, repair and replace Township Park Driveway, New Ann Arbor Trail Golf Course entrance, basketball court, pickleball court at Township Park, and a 2nd Senior Transport Van. There will be future discussions as the Board will have to vote on the projects.

**F. PUBLIC COMMENT (*Limited to 3 Minutes*)**

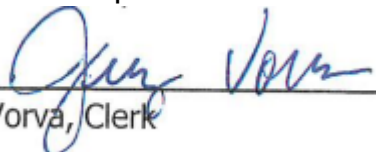
Duane Zantop inquired about the Senior Bus. Supervisor Heise shared the Senior Bus Service is an alternative transportation service available to seniors.

**G. BOARD COMMENTS**

- Trustee Stewart -Shared he wants the Board to support the Athletics for the Arts Program.
- Trustee Curmi-He would like to create a workaround for the West Middle School due to massive traffic jams. He would also like a police training summary. He would like a summary of the Census.
- Supervisor Heise-Shared that he has had conversations with Warren Evans and Melissa Daub concerning the problems with the Township roads. The County has worker shortages and the funding for the roads does not work well. It is a challenge and the Township makes every effort to address the problem.

**H. ADJOURNMENT**

Moved by Trustee Stewart and supported by Clerk Vorva to adjourn the Board of Trustees meeting of March 8, 2022, at 8:20 p.m.  
All Ayes of the present Board of Trustees.

  
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Jerry Vorva, Clerk

**The public is invited and encouraged to attend all meetings of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Plymouth**