

June 20, 2023
Agenda Meeting
Harrison Township Board of Commissioners

The Agenda Meeting of the Harrison Township Board of Commissioners was called to order at 6:00 P.M. by Chairman Gary Meanor. Roll call indicated the following present: Commissioner Gary Meanor, Commissioner Charles Dizard, Commissioner Jamie Nee, Commissioner James Erb, Commissioner Eric Bengel, and Manager Amy Rockwell.

Public Comment – Agenda Items

Bill Godfrey, 20 Walnut Street, spoke regarding the use of the Natrona Playground and the ongoing issues with the food pantry located within the park.

New Business

1. Discussed the Township Banner programs involving the veterans' banners and the Harrison Township Banners. The appearance of both banners is becoming very worn, and they are falling down. The veterans' banners were utilized as a fundraiser for the Honor Roll Committee and were not intended to be up forever. It was discussed to establish a takedown date at the end of this year and reach out to community groups to see if anyone wanted to take over the project. The Township banners were sponsored by businesses and residents.
2. Discussed the ongoing issues with the Natrona Park including concession stand usage, vandalism, and the food pantry. It was discussed moving the pantry to another location. This will continue to be reviewed.
3. Discussed the proposed changes to the Civil Service Commission Rules and Regulations.

Old Business

1. Discussed the proposed ordinance for Sale Inspection for Harrison Township. The Commissioners were in agreement to present this to the Planning Commission and the Solicitor for review prior to advertising for adoption.
2. Discussed the retainage for 3026 Old Freeport Road Demolition. This will be released to the Contractor.

Motion by Commissioner Dizard, seconded by Commissioner Erb to accept the offer from Cargill Inc. to extend the time within to meet the minimum 80% purchase requirement for the initial term of the contract and authorize the Township Manager to execute the documents. All in favor, motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Bengel, second by Commissioner Nee, to make a conditional offer of employment to Cory Rezak pending background, physical, psychological, and one-year probation. All in favor, motion carried.

Public Comment – Non-Agenda Items

Nancy Crum, 63 Garfield Street, spoke regarding her concerns about the food program at the park. She also announced that she brought a cake for Chief Klein in honor of his retirement and asked it to be delivered to him.

With no further business, a motion was made to adjourn the meeting.

ATTEST

TOWNSHIP OF HARRISON

Amy Rockwell
Township Manager/Secretary

Gary Meanor, Chairman
Board of Commissioners