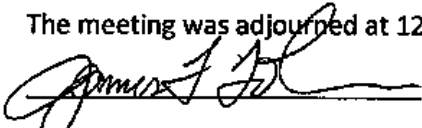


Center Township Advisory Board
Minutes for June 25th, 2025

A Center Township Board Meeting was held on June 25th, 2025 at Noon at the Deerhead Sidewalk Cafe. In attendance were Trustee Gary Burdsall, Tom Gant, J. Stucki, and Jim Tolen.

1. Minutes from the March 27th, 2025 Township Board meeting were viewed, discussed, and modified with extended discussion. At issue was the statement by the Secretary, ***"The majority of the Board and the Trustee are in agreement that the contract with the McCutchanville Fire Department signed in January 2025 will be honored, and that we are satisfied with the protection offered by the McCutchanville Fire Department, which has recently added additional full-time staff, and provides ongoing training to their members"***. J. Stucki said that during the March 27th meeting that he had asked the Board to consider the Evansville Fire Chief's proposal, and that he would like to consider it again at a later date. There was continued discussion about the EFD Chief's proposal, and the majority of the Board again decided not to pursue the matter. The minutes were finally approved with the following modification: ***"Mr. J. Stucki dissented to the agreement and wanted to further discuss the possibility of an agreement with the EFD at a later date"***. The minutes were signed by the Trustee, Tom Gant and James Tolen. J. Stucki dissented and did not sign.
2. Proof of Debt Management submission on the Gateway was shown to the Board. The Board's debt includes payments for a Pierce Fire Truck that has been ordered, and will be delivered in the future.
3. Proof of Contracts Submission on Gateway was presented to the Board. Contracts include the purchase of a firetruck from Pierce, the contract with McCutchanville Fire Department, and a contract to mow the Township property.
4. Fire Department mileage for the quarter was shown to the Board. There was no discussion.
5. The McCutchanville Fire Department Dodge Durango claim was presented to the Board. The Assistant Chief drove the Durango into water too deep to traverse, which stalled the vehicle. The Durango was towed to Full Throttle where it was determined that the engine had water in the cylinders, and the interior flooded, probably causing irreparable damage to the vehicle.
6. Quarterly compensation was provided to Board members.
7. A resident near St George Road east US 41 asked the Board to help her get vehicles to reduce speed on St. George Road. She is afraid that a speeding vehicle will hit a car leaving the residential area. The Trustee will advise the Sheriff's Department.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:50 PM.



James F. Tolen, Secretary/Treasurer,
Center Township Advisory Board of Vanderburgh County

Accepted this 15th of September, 2025.



Center Township Advisory Board Member



Center Township Trustee

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