

OAKFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES
SPECIAL MEETING
January 26, 2022

2022-2

CALL TO ORDER:

A special meeting of the Oakfield Township Board of Trustees held January 26, 2022 @ 7:03 pm with all board members present in Oakfield Township.

Present were: Dean, Sowerby, Rittersdorf, Trainer, Koett, Porter & Riker

Absent: None

PURPOSE OF MEETING:

- The purpose of this meeting was for consideration of purchasing a new, used rescue truck.
Our current rescue unit has been and is still having wiring and other mechanical issues that are costing the Township thousands of dollars. In speaking with the auto mechanic shop, this is just the beginning of our problems. Dean has looked into a number of different possibilities for replacing our current truck. The best option is to purchase a 2018 Pierce Freightliner Commercial 4x4 Rescue unit from Aspen Colorado. It only has 3,210 miles on it and it is a heavy-duty unit so it should last for a number of years. They are selling it because it is too big for them to get up into the mountain areas. The original price of this truck was \$300,000.00 in 2019.

Motion to approve to spend up to \$235,000.00 to purchase a new Fire Rescue truck was offered by Sowerby second by Koett approved by roll call vote 7-0.

Motion to approve use ARPA (American Rescue Plan Act) Funds to purchase a new Fire Rescue truck was offered by Dean second by Porter approved by roll call vote 7-0.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:32 pm. Offered by Sowerby second by Riker approved per voice vote 7-0.

Susan Trainer
Oakfield Township Clerk