

JACKSON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES

MEETING AGENDA

February 24, 2026

1. 3:00 P.M. *Work Session:*
 - A. *Zoning:*
 1. *Text Amendments*
 - B. *Amphitheater:*
 1. *Special Event*
 2. *Movie in the Park*
 - C. *Administration:*
 1. *Capital Budget Request*
2. 4:15 P.M. *Executive Session:*
 - A. *Police Department (Personnel Appointment/Employment/Compensation) – Detective Bureau Position*
3. 5:00 P.M. *Call General Session to order
(Turn off cell phones)*
4. *Pledge of Allegiance*
5. *Public Speaks:*
 - A. *(Restricted to topics listed on the Agenda)*
6. *Administration Department*
 - A. *Community Improvement Corporation Appointment*
 - B. *Appointments to Joint Economic Development District Board of Directors:*
 1. *JEDD SS*
 2. *JEDD CD*
 3. *JEDD SM*

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4. *JEDD TOC*
5. *JEDD TSG*
7. *Police Department:*
 - A. *Ballistic Helmet Purchase*
 - B. *Cryptocurrency Investigation Agreement*
 - C. *MobilePro Systems User Agreement*
8. *Public Works Department:*
 - A. *Highway Division:*
 1. *5:00 P.M. - Materials Bid Openings*
 2. *2026 Curbing Replacement Project - Advertisement*
 3. *2026 Fulton Street Light Project*
 4. *Highway Maintenance Specialist Appointment*
 - B. *Park Division:*
 1. *Accept sponsorship donations to the 2026 Community Celebration:*
 - a) *\$5,000.00 from Toyota & BMW of North Canton*
 - b) *\$1,500.00 from First Commonwealth Bank*
 - c) *\$1,000.00 from Krugliak, Wilkins, Griffiths & Dougherty*
 - d) *\$500.00 from Merry Maids*
 - e) *\$250.00 from Neff & Associates*
 - f) *\$250.00 from Oster Sand & Gravel Inc.*
 2. *Appropriation Transfer Request*
 - C. *Central Maintenance Division:*

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1. *Appropriation Transfer Request*
- D. *Amphitheater Division:*
 1. *Lighting Package Agreement*
9. *Fire Department:*
 - A. *Notice of Retirement*
 - B. *Apparatus Equipment Mounting Purchase*
 - C. *Station 4 Flooring Project*
10. *Fiscal Office:*
 - A. *Pay Bills*
 - B. *Approve minutes for the February 10, 2026, Board of Trustees' meeting*
11. *Routine Business:*
 - A. *Announcements:*
 - B. *Next Regular **Board of Trustees'** meeting, March 10, 2026, 4:00 P.M., Executive Session and/or Work Session: 5:00 P.M., General Session, Jackson Township Hall*
 - C. ***CIC Meeting** – March 19, 2026, 2:00 P.M., Jackson Township Hall*
 - D. ***LOGIC Meeting** – March 4, 2026, 9:00 A.M., Safety Center*
 - E. ***Zoning Meetings:** - Jackson Township Hall:*
 - a. ***Zoning Commission** – None*
 - b. ***Board of Zoning Appeals** – March 12, 2026, 5:00 P.M.*
12. *Old Business:*
13. *New Business:*
14. *Public Speaks – Open Forum:*

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15. *Adjourn*

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

MINUTES OF JACKSON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING

FEBRUARY 24, 2026

Hawke called the meeting to order at 3:05 p.m. at the Jackson Township Hall with Trustees Todd Hawke, John Pizzino, and Justin Hardesty present. Fiscal Officer Gonzalez, Administrator/Law Director Vaccaro, Fire Chief Berczik, Police Chief Brink, Zoning Inspector Poindexter, and Public Works Director Rohn were also in attendance.

The first order of business was a work session for Text Amendments. The group also discussed a Special Event and the Movie in the Park. Capital Budget Requests were also discussed in the work session.

Hawke moved and Hardesty seconded a motion to go into Executive Session for Police Department (Personnel Appointment/Employment/Compensation) – Detective Bureau Position.

Hawke – yes
Hardesty - yes
Pizzino – yes

Hawke called the General Session to order at 5:11 p.m. He requested that all cell phones be silenced at this time.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Public Speaks – None

Administration Department

RESOLUTION 26-036 APPOINTMENT TO CIC

Hawke moved and Hardesty seconded a motion that we hereby reappoint Richard L. Cosgrove to serve as a governmental member of the Community Improvement Corporation (CIC) for a two-year term from 2/1/26 to 2/1/28.

3-0 yes

RESOLUTION 26-037

JOINT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS – STARK STATE

Hawke moved and Pizzino seconded a motion that, pursuant to 715.72(P)(1)(d) and Section 9 of the Jackson/Canton Joint Economic Development District Contract, we hereby appoint Aaron McClure, Math Department Chair, Stark State College, as the member of the JEDD Stark State Board of Directors representing the persons working within the District for a four year term from 10/23/25 to 10/23/29.

3-0 yes

RESOLUTION 26-038

JOINT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT CD BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Hawke moved and Hardesty seconded a motion that, pursuant to ORC Section 715.72 and Section 9 of the Jackson/Canton Joint Economic Development District CD Contract, we hereby appoint Michael Anderson, General Counsel, AR Global, as the member of the JEDD CD Board of Directors representing the owners of businesses operating within the District for a four year term from 3/22/26 to 3/22/30.

3-0 yes

RESOLUTION 26-039

JOINT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT SM BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Hawke moved and Pizzino seconded a motion that, pursuant to ORC Section 715.72 and Section 9 of the Jackson/Canton Joint Economic Development District SM Contract, we hereby appoint Jason Newburn, Vice President of Operations, Stolle Machinery, Inc., as the member of the JEDD SM Board of Directors representing the owners of businesses within the District for a four year term from 3/22/26 to 3/22/30.

3-0 yes

RESOLUTION 26-040

JOINT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT TOC BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Hawke moved and Pizzino seconded a motion that, pursuant to ORC Section 715.72 and Section 9 of the Jackson/Canton Joint Economic Development District TOC Contract, we hereby appoint Justin B. Hardesty, Trustee, Board of Trustees of Jackson Township, Stark County, Ohio, as the Township member of the Jackson/Canton Joint Economic Development District TOC Board of Directors for a four year term from 3/10/26 to 3/10/30.

Be it further resolved that, pursuant to ORC Section 715.72 and Section 9 of the Jackson/Canton Joint Economic Development District TOC Contract, we hereby appoint Marco Gomez, Store Director, Meijer, as the member of the JEDD TOC Board of Directors representing the persons working within the District a four year term from 3/22/26 to 3/22/30.

3-0 yes

RESOLUTION 26-041

JOINT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT TSG BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Hawke moved and Hardesty seconded a motion that, pursuant to ORC Section 715.72 and Section 9 of the Jackson/Canton Joint Economic Development District TSG Contract, we hereby appoint Orian L. Nutter, Vice President of Finance, Absolute Health Services, as the member of the JEDD TSG Board of Directors representing the persons working within the District a four year term from 3/22/26 to 3/22/30.

3-0 yes

Police Department

RESOLUTION 26-042

POLICE DEPARTMENT BALLISTIC HELMET PURCHASE

Hawke moved and Pizzino seconded a motion that we hereby adopt and authorize the purchase of 55 Ballistic Helmet ATE GEN3 HHV's in the total amount of \$40,480.00 from Hard Head Veterans.

3-0 yes

RESOLUTION 26-043

CRYPTOCURRENCY INVESTIGATION AGREEMENT

Hawke moved and Hardesty seconded a motion that we hereby adopt and authorize the placement of Chief Mark Brink's signature on the attached Cryptocurrency Investigation Agreement with the Stow Police Department effective February 12, 2026.

3-0 yes

RESOLUTION 26-044

MOBILEPRO SYSTEMS USER AGREEMENT

Hawke moved and Hardesty seconded a motion that, effective February 11, 2026, we hereby authorize the placement of our signatures upon the attached MPS User Agreement with the Massillon City Police Department.

3-0 yes

Public Works Department

Highway Division

5:00 P.M. – Materials Bid Openings. These will be reviewed and brought back to next meeting.

RESOLUTION 26-045

2026 CURBING REPLACEMENT PROJECT

Hawke moved and Hardesty seconded a motion that we hereby authorize the attached Advertisement for Bids for 2026 Curbing Replacement Project in accordance with the Specifications on file.

3-0 yes

**RESOLUTION 26-046
2026 FULTON STREET LIGHTING PROJECT**

Hawke moved and Pizzino seconded a motion that we hereby adopt and authorize the placement of the Board Chairman’s signature upon the attached quote from Thompson Electric, Inc. for the 2026 Fulton Street Lighting Project in the amount of \$50,995.00.

3-0 yes

**RESOLUTION 26-047
HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE SPECIALIST, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
HIGHWAY DIVISION**

Hawke moved and Hardesty seconded a motion that we hereby authorize the employment of William C. Garman for the full-time position of Highway Maintenance Specialist, Public Works Department, Highway Division, at the Step 2 starting rate of \$28.54, effective February 22, 2026 at 0600 hours, in accordance with the negotiated agreement between the Jackson Township Board of Trustees and the Utility Workers Union of America, AFL-CIO, Local 568, contingent upon a negative pre-employment drug screen.

Be it further resolved that Willima C. Garman will serve a seven hundred thirty (730) day probationary period during which time he may be terminated without cause by the Board of Trustees.

3-0 yes

Park Division

Hawke moved and Hardesty seconded a motion to accept the following sponsorship donation for the 2026 Community Celebration:

1. \$5,000.00 from Toyota & BMW of North Canton
2. \$1,500.00 from First Commonwealth Bank
3. \$1,000.00 from Krugliak, Wilkins, Griffiths & Dougherty
4. \$500.00 from Merry Maids
5. \$250.00 from Neff & Associates
6. \$250.00 from Oster Sand & Gravel Inc.

3-0 yes

ATTACHMENT 02/24/26A

Hawke moved and Hardesty seconded a motion to approve the following appropriation transfer request for a total transfer of \$6,000.00.

FROM CODE	DESCRIPTION	TO CODE	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
214.510.5299	Discretionary – P/S	214.510.5195	Snow Control Chargebacks-Pks	\$ 6,000.00
			TOTAL	<u>\$ 6,000.00</u>

3-0 yes

Central Maintenance Division

ATTACHMENT 02/24/26B

Hawke moved and Hardesty seconded a motion to approve the following appropriation transfer request for a total transfer of \$1,790.00.

FROM CODE	DESCRIPTION	TO CODE	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
101.115.5387	Discretionary – CM	101.115.5652	Capital Equipment - CM	\$ 1,790.00
			TOTAL	\$ 1,790.00
				3-0 yes

Amphitheater Division

RESOLUTION 26-048

2026 NASH FAMILY JACKSON AMPHITHEATER LIGHTING PACKAGE AGREEMENT

Hawke moved and Pizzino seconded a motion that we hereby adopt and authorize the placement of the Board Chairman’s signature on the attached Agreement with AL Stage Lighting for the 2026 Nash Family Jackson Amphitheater Lighting Package in the amount of \$34,200.00.

3-0 yes

Fire Department

ATTACHMENT 02/24/26C

Hawke moved and Hardesty seconded a motion to accept the attached retirement notice from full-time Firefighter/Paramedic, Matthew R. Anstine, effective, March 3, 2026, at 08:00 hours.

3-0 yes

RESOLUTION 26-049

FIRE DEPARTMENT APPARATUS EQUIPMENT MOUNTING - PURCHASE

Hawke moved and Hardesty seconded a motion that we hereby authorize the purchase of an Apparatus Equipment Mounting for the Fire Rescue Truck in the amount of \$19,019.00 from Sensible Products Inc.

3-0 yes

RESOLUTION 26-050

FIRE DEPARTMENT FLOOR COATING PROJECT – STATION 4

Hawke moved and Hardesty seconded a motion that, we hereby adopt and authorize the placement of the Board Chairman’s signature upon the attached pricing quote for epoxy coating of the kitchen, lobby, radio room, entrance, weight rooms and other floors and adjoining rooms as specified with Superior Floor Coatings LLC at Station 4 in the amount of \$23,865.87.

3-0 yes

Fiscal Office

ATTACHMENT 02/24/26D

Hawke moved and Pizzino seconded a motion to pay the bills in the amount of \$ 1,466,819.70.

3-0 yes

ATTACHMENT 02/24/26E

Hawke moved and Pizzino seconded a motion to approve the minutes of the February 10, 2026 Board of Trustees' Meeting.

3-0 yes

Routine Business

Announcements

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 - March 12, 2026, 5:00p.m.
 - **Zoning Commission :**
 - None

Old Business – None

New Business – None

Public Speaks – Chris Thomas, MCTV representative. He dropped off updated information for MCTV since it had been a year or two since he had been in.

Hawke moved and Pizzino seconded a motion to adjourn.

3-0 yes

Todd Hawke

Kody Gonzalez