

**REGULAR MEETING MINUTES OF THE
BARBERTON-NORTON MOSQUITO ABATEMENT DISTRICT
JOINT BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S / APPRAISER'S AND
DISTRICT ADVISORY COUNCIL**

Public Conference 888-919-5324, No PIN is required

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April 9, 2026

The joint meeting of the Barberton-Norton Mosquito Abatement District (MAD) was held on Thursday, April 9, 2026 at 131 Snyder Avenue, Barberton, Ohio and called to order at 6:00pm by Bill Braman, President.

Those answering roll call: Bill Braman, Steve Despot, Karen Miller, Matthew Swrydenko and Kimberly Trenary. Also in attendance: Harry Ciccolini (BOA), Beth Lester (BOA), Maureen Davis (BOA), Judith L.Lee (DAC), Andy Dobben, Operations Manager, Jill Easterling, Administrative Assistant and Atty. Rebecca Sremack

Excused: Brian Griffith, Treasurer / Fiscal Officer

Not in attendance: S. McNulty (DAC) and J. Hager (DAC)

AGENDA –

Motion made by Kim Trenary and seconded by Matthew Swrydenko to approve the 4-9-2026 agenda as submitted.

Roll Call: Yeas: Braman, Despot, Miller, Swrydenko, Trenary

Nays: None

Motion carried

MINUTES –

Motion made by Matthew Swrydenko and seconded by Steve Despot to approve the minutes as submitted of the 2-19-2026 regular meeting:

Roll Call: Yeas: Despot, Miller, Swrydenko, Trenary, Braman

Nays: None

Motion carried

COMMUNICATIONS:

Bill Braman (President) Nothing at this time

REPORTS –

A. **President (Braman)** -Nothing at this time

B. **Treasurer / Fiscal Officer (Griffith)** – EXCUSED

C. **Operations Manager (Dobben)**

- Tire Drive – Saturday 4-11-2026 / 9 – 12 noon / location Norton Community Center for Barberton & Norton resident
- Crew back to work
- Ordered new sprayer
- Gary, Mike, Kim and Andy attending Clarke Mosquito conference
- Clarke Mosquito contracts Drone services out \$8,000 (provided more detailed info)
- Dept. of Agriculture did inspection as we passed. They checked our treatment records and inspected the shop.
- Insurance – need to talk with Brian
 - EMC Ins. – general insurance liability, auto
 - Just renewed insurance – possibly get refund if we change companies
- Ordered MAD jackets for everyone for Tire Drive

Steve asked Andy if he’s had any contact with the State on tick activity – Andy replied no.

OLD BUSINESS -

A. **By-Laws -**

Atty. Sremack reviewed suggested additions / corrections / clarity. Board of Director’s asked to review one final time and let her know of any corrections needed. Atty. Sremack will prepare Regulation for approval at the next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS -

A. **Approve February and March 2026 Detailed Trial Balance**

Motion made by Karen Miller and seconded by Matthew Swrydenko:

“To approve the February and March 2026 Detailed Trial Balance.”

Roll Call: Yeas: Braman, Despot, Miller, Swrydenko, Trenary

Nays: None

Motion carried

B. **Approve February and March 2026 Bank to Book Reconciliation**

Motion made by Steve Despot and seconded by Kimberly Trenary:

“To approve the February and March 2026 Bank to Book Reconciliation.”

Roll Call: Yeas Despot, Miller, Swrydenko, Trenary, Braman

Nays: None

Motion carried

NEXT MEETING:

***Next regular board meeting set for May 14, 2026 @ 6:00 pm**

COMMENTS:

BOA - Harry stated if everything stays okay – the BOA will recommend for next year’s assessment to be the same.

DAC - No comments

BOD -

- Steve Despot advised he is having surgery 5/12/2026 and may not be at the next meeting.
- Steve advised with the help of Atty. Sremack – did not need to file with the Ethics office for 2025 earnings.
 - Atty.Sremack will get an update on this matter.
- Kim Trenary advised that the Herald Nation stated that Summit County was holding the Tire Drive – Kim called them and got it changed.
- Bill Braman stated the Tire Drive last year went great! Thanked Andy for the jackets for everyone.

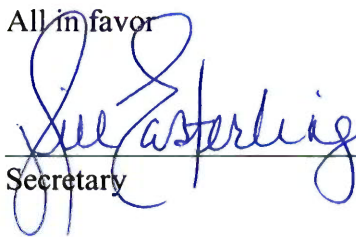
Citizens - No one in attendance

ADJOURN

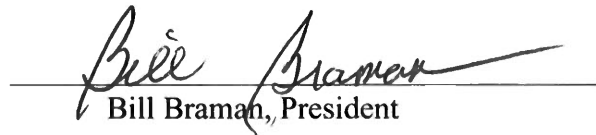
Motion to adjourn made by Karen Miller and seconded by Matthew Swrydenko there being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 6:28pm.

All in favor

Motion carried



 Secretary



 Bill Braman, President

Date approved: 5-14-2026

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