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

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August 17, 2023

The joint meeting of the Barberton-Norton Mosquito Abatement District (MAD) was held on Thursday, August 17, 2023 at 131 Snyder Avenue, Barberton, Ohio and called to order at 6:15 PM by Steve Despot, President.

Those answering roll call: Bill Braman, Steve Despot, Karen Miller, Matthew Swyrydenko and Kimberly Trenary. Also in attendance: Harry Ciccolini (BOA), Beth Lester (BOA), Ted Collins (BOA), Brian Griffith, Fiscal Officer, Jill Easterling, Administrative Assistant, Andy Dobben, Operations Manager and Attorney Rebecca Sremack.

#### **MINUTES**

Kimberly Trenary made the motion and seconded by Bill Braman to approve the minutes of the June 8, 2023 regular meeting.

Roll Call:

Yeas: Braman, Despot, Swyrydenko, Trenary

Abstain: Miller

Nays: None

Motion carried

### **<u>COMMUNICATIONS:</u>** Nothing at this time

#### REPORTS -

- A. President (Despot) Attended the DAC meeting and Bill Braman was reappointed the MAD Board of Directors. Advised DAC they will need to find a replacement for Ted Collins (BOA)
- B. Treasurer / Fiscal Officer (Griffith) On Agenda
- C. Operations Manager (Dobben)
  - 3 positive WNV pools Ward 2 & 4 (Barberton), Ward 3 (Norton)
  - Advised Norton Post of positive pools
  - State has 300 positive WNV total / MAD has the lowest in State of 15,000 mosquitoes that were tested
  - Trap counts are low concentrating on Parks and swampy areas
  - 50 property treatments so far
  - Still looking to hire another tech would like to get hired before end of season to get trained
  - Spoke to Barberton and Norton City Councils regarding positive WNV areas
  - Andy and Kim renewed their Pesticide License



#### **OLD BUSINESS** Nothing at this time

### **NEW BUSINESS** -

### A. Approve June and July 2023 Detail Trial Balance

Motion made by Karen Miller and seconded by Bill Braman: "To approve June and July 2023 Detailed Trial Balance."

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

Nays: None

Motion carried

#### B. Approve June and July 2023 Bank to Book Reconciliation

Motion made by Kim Trenary and seconded by Karen Miller: "To approve June and July 2023 Bank to Book Reconciliation."

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

Nays: None

Motion carried

#### C. Election of President (serving a 2 year term)

Motion made by Kim Trenary and seconded by Steve Despot:: "To appoint Karen Miller as President for a 2 year term."

Roll Call: Yeas: Braman, Despot, Swyrydenko, Trenary

Nays: None

Abstain: Miller Motion carried

# D. Election of Vice President (serving a 2 year term)

Motion made by Karen Miller and seconded by Steve Despot::

"To appoint Bill Braman as Vice President for a 2 year term."

Roll Call: Yeas: Miller, Despot, Swyrydenko, Trenary

Nays: None

Abstain: Braman Motion carried

# E. Discussion of BOA replacement for Ted Collins

Harry and Beth will start review for replacement

Atty. Sremack added comments regarding BOA requirements:

- Must own property in State of Ohio
- Appraisal background

# **NEXT MEETING:**

\*Next regular board meeting set for Thursday, October 12, 2023 @ 6:00 pm

### **COMMENTS:**

BOA - Nothing at this time

DAC - No one in attendance

**BOD** - Congratulations to Karen and Bill on their appointments

Citizens - No one in attendance

### **ADJOURN**

Motion to adjourn made by Kimberly Trenary and seconded by Karen Miller, there being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 7:00pm.

All in favor

Secretary

Date approved:

Motion carried

Karen Miller, President

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