

TURTLECREEK TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES

ON

AUGUST 4

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The work session scheduled by the Board of Trustees of Turtlecreek Township was held on August 4, 2016 at 9:30 a.m. with the following person present:

TRUSTEES: Jim VanDeGrift and Dan Jones
ADMINISTRATOR: Tammy Boggs
ROAD SUPERVISOR: Ron Chasteen
GUEST: Tim Castle, Chuck Petty, and Therman Bennett

The Mr. VanDeGrift opened the work session at 9:30 a.m.

Mr. Bennett explained his concern with the ditch located on McClure Road (parcel # 12-10-102-004, account #5317304) that the sides of the ditch are eroding. Mr. Petty, Warren County Engineer's office explained that the county has no responsibility for the ditch and that the information that was provided to Mr. Bennett previously pertained to Single County Ditches. Mr. Petty stated that the county has not had a Single County Ditch since approximately 1910. The township has the responsibility for the repair and maintenance of a particular road and as part of that responsibility, must clean and maintain the ditches which run along the side of the road for drainage purposes and to prevent erosion of the road surfaces. Mr. Bennett asked if the township would tile this ditch and the Trustees explained that if Mr. Bennett wanted the ditch tiled it would be at his expense and his responsibility to contact the county engineer's office for the permit. The ditch is maintaining the flow of water and not causing any road erosion, so the Trustees do not see a need to provide any work on this ditch at this time. Mr. Bennett requested that he be provided with information in writing that stated what the Township was responsible for regarding ditches. Ms. Boggs stated that she would provide Mr. Bennett with this information.

_____ President

_____ Recording Secretary/Township Administrator