

**Resolution 2022-010**

The Board of Trustees of Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio met in person in a Regular session at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, January 13, 2021, and the following trustees were present:


**Leezer:**  YES/ NO    **Horn:**  YES/ NO    **Fleshman:**  YES/ NO

*Leezer made a motion for the adoption of the following resolution:*

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Trustees of Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio, that the Board approves to accept their annual benefits for 2022 as follows medical insurance from Medical Mutual of Ohio, vision insurance from Vision Service Plan (VSP), dental insurance from Delta Dental and life insurance from Dearborn Group effective through December 31, 2022, per O.R.C. §. 505.60

*Horn seconded the motion; with no discussion, the roll was called and the vote was as follows:*

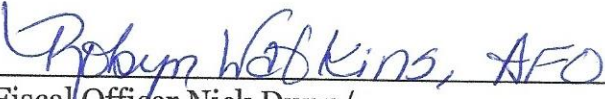
**Leezer:**  YES/ NO    **Horn:**  YES/ NO    **Fleshman:**  YES/ NO

  
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Trustee James Leezer, 2022 Chairman

  
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Trustee Ralph Horn, 2022 Vice-Chair

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Trustee John Fleshman

*Attested to on this 13th day of January, 2021:*

  
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Fiscal Officer Nick Dunn/  
Assistant Fiscal Officer Robyn Watkins

## Section 505.60 | Health insurance for township officers and employees.

Ohio Revised Code / Title 5 Townships / Chapter 505 Trustees

**Effective:** March 22, 2013 **Latest Legislation:** House Bill 347 - 129th General Assembly

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(A) As provided in this section and section [505.601](#) of the Revised Code, the board of township trustees of any township may procure and pay all or any part of the cost of insurance policies that may provide benefits for hospitalization, surgical care, major medical care, disability, dental care, eye care, medical care, hearing aids, prescription drugs, or sickness and accident insurance, or a combination of any of the foregoing types of insurance for township officers and employees. The board of township trustees of any township may negotiate and contract for the purchase of a policy of long-term care insurance for township officers and employees pursuant to section [124.841](#) of the Revised Code.

If the board procures any insurance policies under this section, the board shall provide uniform coverage under these policies for township officers and full-time township employees and their immediate dependents, and may provide coverage under these policies for part-time township employees and their immediate dependents, from the funds or budgets from which the officers or employees are compensated for services, such policies to be issued by an insurance company duly authorized to do business in this state.

(B) The board may also provide coverage for any or all of the benefits described in division (A) of this section by entering into a contract for group health care services with health insuring corporations holding certificates of authority under Chapter 1751. of the Revised Code for township officers and employees and their immediate dependents. If the board so contracts, it shall provide uniform coverage under any such contracts for township officers and full-time township employees and their immediate dependents, from the funds or budgets from which the officers or employees are compensated for services, and may



average premium paid by the township for its officers and employees under any health care plan it procures under this section.

(E) The board may provide the benefits authorized under this section, without competitive bidding, by contributing to a health and welfare trust fund administered through or in conjunction with a collective bargaining representative of the township employees.

The board may also provide the benefits described in this section through an individual self-insurance program or a joint self-insurance program as provided in section [9.833](#) of the Revised Code.

(F) If a board of township trustees fails to pay one or more premiums for a policy, contract, or plan of insurance or health care services authorized under this section and the failure causes a lapse, cancellation, or other termination of coverage under the policy, contract, or plan, it may reimburse a township officer or employee for, or pay on behalf of the officer or employee, any expenses incurred that would have been covered under the policy, contract, or plan.

(G) As used in this section and section [505.601](#) of the Revised Code:

(1) "Part-time township employee" means a township employee who is hired with the expectation that the employee will work not more than one thousand five hundred hours in any year.

(2) "Premium" does not include any deductible or health care costs paid directly by a township officer or employee.

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## Available Versions of this Section

March 22, 2013 – House Bill 347, 129th General Assembly