

**Resolution 2024-040**

**Approving the Acceptance of the 2024 M.O.R.E.  
(Managing Ohio's Risk Exposures) Grant  
for the Road Department from OTARMA**

The Board of Trustee of Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio met in person in a Special Meeting at 10:00am on Thursday, March 28, 2024. The trustee marked below made a motion for the adoption of the following Resolution:

**Leezer**                       **Fleshman**                       **Blevins**

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Trustees of Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio that the Board approves and authorizes the acceptance of a \$1,000.00 (one-thousand dollar) M.O.R.E. (Managing Ohio's Risk Exposures) Grant administered by OTARMA (Ohio Township Association Risk Management Authority) for the Township Road Department. (see exhibit)

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that all formal actions of this Board concerning and relating to this Resolution were passed in an open meeting of the Board, and that all deliberations of this Board and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in a meeting open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that this Resolution shall be declared an emergency and shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption.

*The following trustee marked below seconded the motion:*

**Leezer**                       **Fleshman**                       **Blevins**

*Roll was called for the adoption of the Resolution, and the vote was as follows:*

**Leezer:**  YES/  NO    **Fleshman:**  YES/  NO    **Blevins:**  YES/  NO

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Trustee James Leezer

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Trustee John Fleshman

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Trustee Mike Blevins

Adopted on March 28, 2024  
Attested to on this 28th day of March 2024

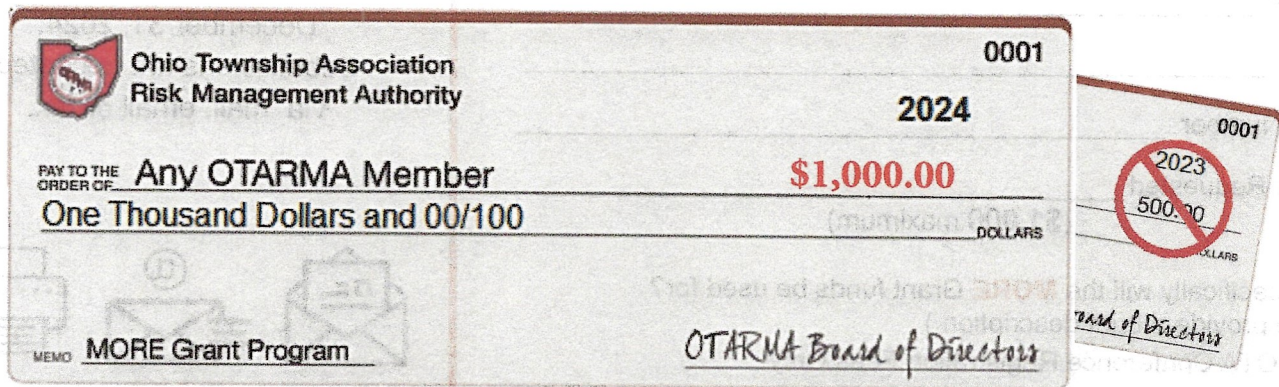
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Fiscal Officer, Linzie Justus

# Get more - with **M.O.R.E.** in 2024!!

## OTARMA MORE Grant Program

(**M**anaging **O**hio **R**isk **E**xposures)

### **OTARMA** - Investing in the Safety of its Members



The OTARMA Board of Directors is pleased to announce this increase as they continue the risk control and risk management initiative - **MORE** Grant.

Since 2013, the **MORE** (**M**anaging **O**hio **R**isk **E**xposures) Grant has been assisting Ohio townships in eliminating or preventing risk exposures that lead to liability claims and property losses.

#### Program Details

The **MORE** Grant Program is only available to OTARMA Members. All members are encouraged to participate and apply for a grant during the application period January 1 - December 31, 2024. Applications that are incomplete or are not submitted within the required time frame may be deemed ineligible. Each applicant must be an OTARMA Member both at the time of submission and issuance of the grant funds. Approved funds will be issued once membership is verified.

Only qualified expenses will be considered for **MORE** Grant funds, these include but are not limited to:

- Safety equipment purchases
  - Playground surface materials
  - Safety signage
  - Safety cones or other hazard warning items
  - Automated External Defibrillators
  - Fire extinguishers
  - Life jackets
  - Hand sanitizers, masks, gloves
- OTA Annual Conference registration fees
- OTA Township Education Subscription
- Costs associated with fulfilling risk control recommendations
- Risk management training or education fees.

The primary purpose of the purchase is the prevention or reduction of liability claims or property losses.

The funds are available for purchases or expenses incurred during the application period.

The **MORE** Grant Program has a brief online application that may be found at [www.OTARMA.org](http://www.OTARMA.org).

