

Resolution 2025-036
A Resolution Approving an Agreement with Linzie Justus, the
Franklin Township Fiscal Officer

The Board of Trustee of Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio, met in person in a Regular Meeting at 12:00p.m. on Thursday, March 6, 2025, at 2193 Frank Road, Columbus, Ohio. The trustee marked below made a motion for the adoption of the following resolution:

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

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees of Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio, approves and authorizes the rescinding of Resolution 2024-130 which forbids Linzie Justus from entering 2193 Frank Road without a majority vote of approval from the trustees.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees agrees with this new Resolution 2025-036 that Linzie Justus shall have access to the Administrative Building at 2193 Frank Road, with the intent to attend quarterly scheduled trustee meetings or as required.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees will afford Linzie Justus the opportunity to obtain the UAN desktop computer, controlled by the Ohio Auditor of State from her place of residency. It will be incumbent upon Linzie Justus to schedule times and dates to review and sign pertinent documentation required of the township fiscal officer.

BE 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 the 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

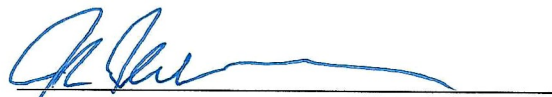
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall be declared an emergency and be in full force and effective immediately upon its adoption.

The following trustee marked below seconded the motion: (check one)

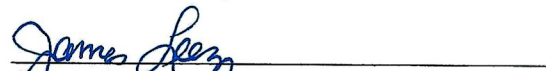
Trustee Fleshman **Trustee Leezer** **Trustee Blevins**

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

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



John Fleshman, Trustee



James Leezer, Trustee



Mike Blevins, Trustee

Resolution 2024-130

A Resolution Restricting the Access to Township Admin Offices located at 2193 Frank Rd, for Linzie Justus

The Board of Trustees of Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio, met in person in a Regular Session at 12:00p.m. on Thursday, August 22, 2024. The trustee marked below made a motion for the adoption of the following Resolution:

Leezer

Fleshman

Blevins

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio, has adopted a resolution after thorough consideration, restricting all access to 2193 Frank Rd for the current fiscal officer, Linzie Justus. The Board has carefully weighed all the facts and finds that it is in the best interest of the Staff and Township that Linzie Justus no longer be permitted to enter the building for any reason without prior approval from the majority of the Board. She is permitted to retrieve her personal belongings from her office at a future date and time agreeable to the Administrator and/or Police Department.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all formal actions of the 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.

The following trustee marked below seconded the motion:

Leezer

Fleshman

Blevins

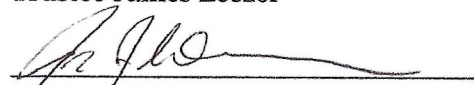
Roll was called for the adoption of the Resolution, and the vote was as follows:

Leezer: YES/ NO


Fleshman: YES/ NO

Blevins: YES/ NO

Trustee James Leezer



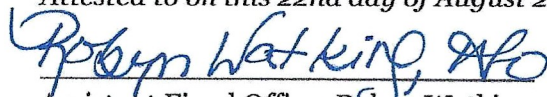
Trustee John Fleshman



Trustee Mike Blevins

Adopted on August 22, 2024

Attested to on this 22nd day of August 2024



Assistant Fiscal Officer Robyn Watkins

Section 507.021 | Assistants to fiscal officer - compensation.

Ohio Revised Code / Title 5 Townships / Chapter 507 Clerk

Effective: April 6, 2023 Latest Legislation: House Bill 501 - 134th General Assembly

(A) The township fiscal officer may hire and appoint one or more persons as the fiscal officer finds necessary to provide assistance to the township fiscal officer or deputy fiscal officer. The township fiscal officer may set the compensation of those persons subject to division (B) of this section.

Those persons shall serve at the pleasure of the township fiscal officer or, in the absence of the township fiscal officer, the deputy fiscal officer. The township fiscal officer may delegate to an assistant any of the duties the fiscal officer is otherwise required to perform. The appointment of assistants under this section does not relieve the township fiscal officer of responsibility to discharge the duties of the office but shall serve to provide assistance to the fiscal officer in performing those duties.

(B) The compensation of an assistant appointed under this section shall be included in the estimate of contemplated expenditures for the township fiscal officer's office that is submitted to the board of township trustees for approval as provided in section [5705.28](#) of the Revised Code or in an appropriation measure passed under section [5705.38](#) of the Revised Code.

(C) Except as otherwise provided in section [3.061](#) of the Revised Code, before serving, an assistant to the township fiscal officer shall give bond for the faithful discharge of the duties of the office as may be delegated by the fiscal officer. The bond shall be payable to the board of township trustees and shall be for the same sum as required under section [507.03](#) of the Revised Code for the township fiscal officer, with sureties approved by the board, and conditioned for the faithful performance of duties delegated by the fiscal officer. The bond shall be recorded by the township fiscal officer, filed with the county treasurer, and carefully preserved.

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Available Versions of this Section

December 20, 2005 – Senate Bill 107 - 126th General Assembly