

A Resolution Authorizing Continuation of Health and Life Insurance Benefits for Certain Township Officials Injured in the Line of Duty

The Board of Trustee of Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio, met in person in a Regular Meeting at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 2, 2026, at 2193 Frank Road, Columbus, Ohio. The Trustee marked below made a motion for the adoption of the following resolution:

Trustee Fleshman

Trustee Blevins

Trustee Fuller

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of Franklin Township, Franklin County, is authorized pursuant to the Ohio Revised Code, including but not limited to Sections 505.60 and related provisions, to provide health and life insurance benefits for township officers and employees; and

WHEREAS the Board of Trustees recognizes the importance of supporting township officials who are injured in the line of duty while serving and protecting the residents of the township; and

WHEREAS the Board of Trustees desires to establish a policy providing for the continuation of employer-paid health and life insurance premiums for certain township officials during periods of disability resulting from job-related injuries;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio:

SECTION 1. That in the event the Police Chief, Police Lieutenant, Fire Chief, or Road Superintendent of Franklin Township is injured in the line of duty and is unable to perform their official duties as a result of such injury, the Township shall continue to pay the employer's share of health insurance and life insurance premiums for such official for a period not to exceed six (6) months from the date of injury.

SECTION 2. That the Board of Trustees may, upon review of the circumstances of the injury and the status of the official, extend the continuation of such benefits beyond the initial six (6) month period, in its sole discretion, for such additional time as the Board deems appropriate.

SECTION 3. That eligibility for continuation of benefits under this Resolution shall be contingent upon verification that the injury was sustained in the line of duty and may require appropriate medical documentation as determined by the Board.

SECTION 4. That this Resolution is intended to supplement any other benefits available under applicable law, policies, or collective bargaining agreements, and shall not be construed to limit or replace any such benefits.

SECTION 5. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Board concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Board, and that all deliberations of this Board and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were conducted in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements.

SECTION 6. That this Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency and shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

The following trustee marked below seconded the motion:

Trustee Fleshman

Trustee Blevins

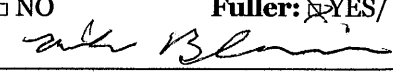
Trustee Fuller

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

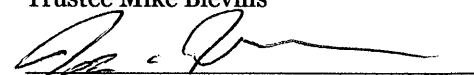
Fleshman: YES / NO

Blevins: YES / NO

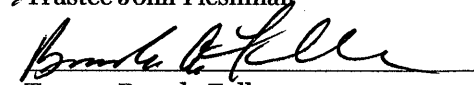
Fuller: YES / NO

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Trustee Mike Blevins



Trustee John Fleshman



Trustee Brenda Fuller