

**RICHFIELD TOWNSHIP  
LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO  
BOARD OF RICHFIELD TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES  
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES**

April 19, 2024

The special meeting of the Richfield Township Trustees was called to order by Andrew Lumbrezer at 3:00 p.m. at the Maintenance Building, 3951 Washburn Rd., Berkey, Ohio. Public notice was placed on the township meeting room door 48 hours prior.

**ROLL CALL:**

Chairman Andrew Lumbrezer – present  
Co-Chairman Steve Bettinger – present  
Andrew Bick – absent

The meeting was scheduled to discuss the proposals for road projects on Washburn Rd (between Central Avenue and Richfield Center Rd.) and Richfield Center Rd. (between Sylvania Avenue and Sylvania Metamora Rd.).

Discussion held on micro surfacing versus chip seal. Chip seal has a shorter life span and would need to be replaced more frequently, which can be costly in the long run. Chip seal also has loose gravel. The advantages of the micro surfacing would be a smoother road, has a longer life span with less maintenance.

Andrew Lumbrezer made a motion to approve the bid from Strawser Construction Inc for \$229,784.98. Including micro surfacing on Washburn Rd. from Central Avenue to Richfield Center Rd. and Richfield Center Rd. from Sylvania Ave to Sylvania Metamora Rd. Steve Bettinger seconded the motion. Roll call: Lumbrezer-yes, Bettinger-yes, Bick -absent. Motion approved.

Discussion on the State of Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program. ODOT is using ohiobuys.com for the state bid process in 2024 therefor the township will need to set up a user account along with a resolution authorizing the township to participate in the program.

Cooperative Purchasing Program is an optional resource that allows government entities the benefit to purchase goods and services from state contracts awarded by the Department of Administrative Services (DAS) and receive the same pricing negotiated for state agencies under these contracts.

See attached Resolution 041924-02 Authorizing Richfield Township To participate in the State of Ohio COOPERATIVE PURCHSING PROGRAM.

There being no further business Andrew Lumbrezer made a motion to adjourn at 3:20 p.m., which was seconded by Steve Bettinger: Roll call: all voted yes. Motion approved.

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Richfield Township Fiscal Officer

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