

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

June 15, 2026

The regular meeting of the Richfield Township Trustees was called to order by Andrew Bick at 7:00 p.m. at the Richfield Township Fire Department at 11450 W Sylvania Ave, Berkey, OH. All present were asked to rise for the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL: Chairman Andrew Bick – present
Co-Chairman Vicky Loeffler-Bernheisel – present
Kim Ronau – present

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS:

The clerk provided copies of the minutes from the June 1, 2026 meeting, current Cash Summary Report, Revenue Report, May Bank Reconciliation and Pending Warrants Report.

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Kim Ronau made a motion to approve the June 1, 2026 minutes as presented. Vicky Loeffler-Bernheisel seconded the motion. Roll call: all voted yes. Motion approved.

PRESENTATION OF THE BILLS:

The attached listings of warrants (14589– 14606) were presented for approval:

Vicky Loeffler-Bernheisel made a motion to approve payment of the attached listing of invoices and the corresponding pending warrants. Kim Ronau seconded the motion. Roll call: all voted yes. Motion approved.

PUBLIC COMMENTS;

During public comment, a resident raised concerns about the handling and follow-up of an April 1, 2026 incident he felt was threatening, while trustees noted it had been addressed in executive session but could not be publicly discussed, with further follow-up to occur outside the meeting.

Presentation – Crossroads Community: Comprehensive Plan & Zoning Update

Remote Presenters: Molly Ridge - Crossroads Community Senior Planner, Ben Harder – Crossroads Community Planner.

The Comprehensive Plan is a long-range policy document that guides community growth and development by translating the community's vision into goals, objectives, and action steps,

providing the policy foundation for zoning decisions, while the zoning code is the binding regulatory tool that implements this vision; the two are complementary but distinct. Existing Conditions & Public Engagement.

The Plan reviews physical conditions, demographics, regional context, and key organizations, and was informed by robust public engagement, including a steering committee of township and village representatives, a community survey with over 300 responses, two public open houses in March and April, and agricultural focus groups to capture farm-related issues and goals. Vision & Major Goals (Highlights)

The vision emphasizes preserving the community's rural lifestyle, agricultural heritage, and small-town character, protecting farmland and open space while supporting public safety services, and ensuring that future growth is deliberate, thoughtful, and consistent with that character.

Key goals:

1. Protect Rural Character – preserve agricultural land; use zoning standards for lighting, architecture, viewsheds, and conservation residential overlays.
2. Support Farmers – promote agricultural districts, ASAs, easements, agritourism, and protection of historic farms.
3. Manage Growth Deliberately – replace Central Ave Corridor District with Light Industrial and Neighborhood Business overlays; limit data centers (conditional use only); develop a cost-of-services vs. revenue growth model; support local business.
4. Maintain/Improve Community Resources – support long-term fire department viability, improve ditch communication, advocate safety along Route 20, and create a capital improvement plan.
5. Foster Community Connection – strengthen social media, consider State of the Community events, and build email lists for direct communication.

Future Land Use Map

The Future Land Use Map is a policy guide, distinct from the zoning map, that identifies where development is appropriate and which areas should remain agricultural, residential, or open space.

- Categories include:
 - Agricultural, Recreation, R-1/R-2 Residential.
 - CCR – Clustered Conservation Residential overlay.
 - Village Center (Berkey) – mix of small businesses, community spaces, rural-style housing.
 - Neighborhood Business (Overlay) – local-serving businesses.
 - Light Industrial (Overlay) – aggrotech, R&D, advanced manufacturing to diversify tax base.

The next steps involve finalizing two parallel documents—the Comprehensive Plan as the policy/narrative framework and the Zoning Code/Book as the regulatory tool that implements that framework. Both documents 95% complete and sent to Lucas County for review.

A roughly 30-person working group (steering team, zoning group, BZA, agricultural committees, and others) has systematically reviewed the drafts, with all comments funneled through Tim Clancy (steering committee) for consolidation and revision by Crossroads, resulting in multiple zoning iterations and this land use plan being the first “final form” draft presented for township review.

The Comprehensive Plan is fully township-controlled. Zoning Code: requires Lucas County feedback, but final decisions on both rest with Township Trustees.

Remaining steps include continued internal review and adjustments by township officials and committees, followed by public release of the drafts for comment, after which the Trustees will determine any final changes and consider formal adoption.

FIRE:

Presenter: Interim / Fire Chief Ryan Sedlock

Chief reported on the recent line-of-duty death of Napoleon firefighter Tony Druhot and described a multi-agency funeral procession—from Toledo Hospital to Wauseon, led by Ohio State Patrol and Napoleon Fire—in which Richfield Township Fire personnel staged at Central & Lathrop to participate in the salute, demonstrating the department’s regional support and respect.

Chief reported that this month’s training is focused on pumps and operations, and that a ~7-week, state grant-funded local fire academy opportunity has been arranged through the Lucas County Fire Chiefs to enroll members who lack Fire I certification, with the goal of increasing the number of fully trained firefighters.

Chief reported that call volume is up slightly from this time last year by a handful of runs and noted that the crew is doing a very good job.

Chief provided an update on an open burning incident on Central Avenue, noting the case is with the Lucas County Sheriff’s Department and may be forwarded to the prosecutor, he is awaiting EPA follow-up, and that while brush burning for land management is generally permitted, a recent fire involving prohibited materials caused heavy smoke and prompted reminders about seasonal burn restrictions, increased wildfire risk in dry, windy conditions, and the need for residents to monitor wind and keep water available when burning.

Chief reminded residents that, under state rules, the Ohio Fire Marshal’s Office typically imposes an open burning ban from April through late May, during which open burning is prohibited statewide between 6:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

ZONING:

In the Zoning Inspector’s absence, it was reported that four zoning certificates were issued for two properties—one on Kilburn Road (house, outbuilding, pool, and pond) and one on Sylvania Avenue (house, outbuilding, and pond)—indicating two new residential construction projects

with related accessory structures and ponds.

FISCAL OFFICER:

Timesheets, the May bank reconciliation, and meeting minutes were distributed for trustee review and signature; the Lucas County Sheriff's report showed 4 hours of service over the past two weeks with no enforcement actions; Harding Township's first-quarter payment was received with second-quarter billing planned for July.

TRUSTEE REPORTS:

Trustee Kim Ronau:

Roads & Maintenance

- Under Roads & Maintenance, it was reported that the Irwin Road project is included with Sylvania Township in the 2028 OPWC application at an estimated cost of \$525,000, with the project to be cost-shared between Richfield and Sylvania Townships and the county pursuing grant funding. Estimated total cost after anticipated 50% grant leaves townships share approximately \$130,000.00 – 135,000.00.
- The Log Jam Removal Project will be bid through Bid Express, following consultation with Kyle Warner (Stormwater Engineer) on bid questions, with the selected contractor performing the work and billing the township, which will then pass the costs on to Lucas County.
- The maintenance building roof is leaking, and Dan Walters (Rd. Maint. Supervisor) will be tasked with contacting vendors to obtain quotes for flat roof repairs.

Kim Ronau made a motion to share cost of Irwin Road project with Sylvania Township, including the project on Sylvania Townships 2028 OPWC plan, with expectation that Lucas County will seek available grants. Vicky Loeffler-Bernheisel seconded the motion. Roll call: all voted yes. Motion approved.

Trustee Loeffler:

- A draft purchase order and purchasing policy was emailed to the trustees and Fiscal Officer to standardize purchasing across departments with clear dollar thresholds and quote requirements, although the Fiscal Officer noted that the existing UAN accounting system already incorporates defined thresholds. The Fiscal Officer further explained that in UAN, a blanket certificate is a tool similar to a purchase order used to encumber funds for repetitive, anticipated expenditures over a period of time, and is an appropriate and secure method for routine, predictable line-item costs such as fuel, office supplies, and utilities.
- Trustee Loeffler proposed holding a September budget work session with department heads, trustees, the Fiscal Officer, and the finance committee to develop a 10-year plan, document departmental needs and wish lists, and coordinate potential bond or capital planning, and noted that she has added a "budget considerations" page on SharePoint.
- Trustee Loeffler discussed placing a bond levy on the November ballot for needed fire

vehicles; the Fiscal Officer noted there is a 90-day legal filing deadline prior to the election, Linda will consult the county auditor for detailed bond procedures and requirements.

Trustee Bick:

- Residents reported tree limb concerns in the right-of-way at Central & Washburn, along Sylvania Avenue, and at the cemetery following storm damage, Trustees will have Dan Walters (Rd. Maintenance Supervisor) address these issues.

ADMINISTRATOR Bill Consolo:

- The ventilation system in the engine bay, which had been stuck partially open over the winter and contributed to approximately \$3,000 in additional fuel usage compared to the prior year, has been repaired, and future fuel consumption will be monitored against last winter's levels.
- The maintenance building has a localized leak on its flat roof, which has made it difficult to find contractors, and it was suggested that a local company such as Evercoat/Everydry be contacted to inspect it.
- A crack with visible daylight was observed in the south block wall of the maintenance building near the recycle dumpsters; while Dan may be able to remortar the area, a structural assessment is still required.

A question was raised about removing the township recycling containers, but the Board agreed to keep them in place as a no cost community service consistent with Lucas County expectations.

NEW BUSINESS:

Existing officer pay premiums of \$2–\$3 are under review to clarify whether they apply per call or per hour due to inconsistencies between past policies and current practice; the Interim Chief, Assistant Fire Chief, and Fiscal Officer will further review the matter and present a recommendation to the Board of Trustees for formal approval.

Interim Chief Sedlock reported the current acting officer assignments as follows:

- Acting Lieutenants:
 - Lucas Parmelee (EMS supplies and ordering)
 - Joe Santiago (training, with part-timer Bobby Briggs of TFD)
 - Devon Barnaby (tools, saws, and equipment, with Jim Crooks)
- Acting Captains
 - Jim Crooks (station operations, building and vehicle maintenance, coordination with Dan Walters)
 - Jen Willey (HR-type functions, PR/marketing, and liaison with physician/medical direction)
- Acting Assistant Chief
 - Andy Lumbrezer, serving as second contact for the Lucas County Fire Chiefs, dispatch association, and line-of-duty death coordination.

Trustee Andrew Bick moved to appoint the following fire department personnel to the listed officer positions:

- Acting Lieutenants—Lucas Parmelee (EMS supplies and ordering)
- Joe Santiago (training, with part-timer Bobby Briggs of TFD)
- Devon Barnaby (tools, saws, and equipment, with Jim Crooks)
- Acting Captains—Jim Crooks (station operations, building and vehicle maintenance, coordination with Dan)
- Jen Willey (HR-type functions, PR/marketing, and liaison with physician/medical direction)
- Acting Assistant Chief—Andy Lumbrezer, serving as second contact for the Lucas County Fire Chiefs, dispatch association, and line-of-duty death coordination.

Kim Ronau seconded the motion. Roll call: all voted yes. Motion approved.

The Board revisited the previously tabled night shift stipend issue, noting that the current stipend is inadequate to ensure coverage. Chief Ryan proposed setting a \$75 per-person night stipend (for up to two personnel, either in-station or on-call within a five-minute radius) for the remainder of 2026 at an estimated maximum cost of \$9,000, with Q3–Q4 tracking to evaluate sustainability and help determine a likely shift to an hourly structure in 2027.

The Fiscal Officer expressed concern about ensuring sufficient funds remain available for expenditures through 2026, noting that unforeseen repairs and maintenance on aging equipment can arise at any time.

Chief explained current needs for tools and equipment are lower than budgeted, major purchases are already complete, and the department anticipates carrying over about \$90,000 into 2027 while maintenance, with routine preventive maintenance expected to stay well under \$5,000 barring major failures.

Trustees acknowledged the long-term need for higher compensation while accepting the current proposal as an incremental, monitored step.

Resolution Authorizing An Increase In Night Shift Stipend Compensation For Members of the Richfield Township Fire Department:

061526-01 **WHEREAS**, the Richgfield Township Board of Trustees is responsible for providing fire protenction and emergency medical services for residents of Richfield Township; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees has determined that the current night shift stipend of fifty dollars (\$50.00) is no longer sufficient to maintain adequate staffing levels and response readiness; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the Twonship to provide a competitive compensation structure that supplots recruitment, retention, and operational readiness of fire department

personnel;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of Richfield Township, Lucas County, Ohio, that:

Section 1. The night shift stipend for members of the Richfield Township Fire Department is hereby increased and established as follows:

- Seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) per night shift for personnel who remain on-call from their residence and are able to respond to the station within five (5) minutes; and
- Seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) per night shift for personnel who remain at the fire station for the duration of the night shift.

Section 2. This Resolution supersedes any prior provisions establishing a night shift stipend of fifty dollars (\$50.00).

Section 3. The Township Fiscal Officer is hereby authorized and directed to make any necessary appropriations and adjustments to implement this Resolution.

Motioned by Trustee Andrew Bick

Seconded by Trustee Kim Ronau

Roll call vote: Trustee Andrew Bick	yes
Trustee Kim Ronau	yes
Trustee Vicky Loeffler	yes.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Trustees of Richfield Township, Lucas County, Ohio this 15th day of June, 2026.

Fiscal Officer presented two invoices from the fire department for the Trustees review and approval:

- Panasonic Toughbook: \$5300.00
- Smartsheet subscription \$1053.00

Interim Chief Ryan purchased a rugged Panasonic Toughbook-type laptop, for \$5,300, to serve as a durable field device for patient care reporting, replacing the older laptop/docking setup, and indicated he will seek a cost-sharing arrangement with the fire association.

SmartSheet Subscription:

Chief reported purchasing three Smartsheet business licenses to improve budget, project, inventory, and onboarding tracking—with licenses allocated to the fire department, trustees/fiscal officer, and maintenance—noted that the software provides clearer budget and asset planning capabilities while acknowledging that, as a recurring service, it should have been presented to the trustees in advance and will be going forward.

Trustees were in agreement to pay the Panasonic Toughbook for \$5300.00 and Smartsheet subscriptions for \$1053.00.

Linda clarified that she must maintain inventory records for audit purposes and currently relies on staff to report purchases, while the Chief noted the fire department is developing a structured inventory system using ESO and Smartsheet.

The Fiscal Officer asked the Trustees whether they wished to adopt a policy requiring the Fire Chief to obtain prior approval for purchases over a specified dollar amount to help control finances. Trustee Loeffler is currently working on a blanket/purchase order policy to address spending approvals. The trustees were in agreement to have the fire chief send an email notification to the Fiscal Officer, Trustees, administrator for prior approval for larger purchases given the tight finances.

OLD BUSINESS:

No old business.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Andrew Bick made a motion to go into executive session at 8:30 p.m for the “Appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, or compensation of a public employee or official, or To investigate charges or complaints against a public employee or official”. Kim Ronau seconded the motion. Roll call: all voted yes.

Andrew Bick made a motion to end the executive session, resume the regular meeting at 9:30 p.m. Kim Ronau seconded the motion. Roll call: all voted yes. Motion approved.

The following information can be viewed on the Richfield Township website at:
www.richfieldtwp.com.

1. Trustee minutes
2. Zoning minutes
3. Zoning including: fees, applications, complaint forms, and the zoning book.
4. Meeting dates and times
5. Contact information for Trustees, Zoning Board and Board of Zoning Appeals.
6. Wolfinger Cemetery information including cemetery fees, rules & regulations.
7. Fire and Rescue
8. Roads and Maintenance
- . Rubbish Contractor information for garbage pickup
10. Community Links.

There being no further business Kim Ronau made a motion to adjourn at 9:30 p.m., which was seconded by Vicky Loeffler-Bernheisel: Roll call: all voted yes. Motion approved.

Richfield Township Fiscal Officer

Payment Listing

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6/2/2026 to 6/15/2026

Payment Advice #	Post Date	Transaction Date	Type	Vendor / Payee	Amount	Status
303-2026	06/02/2026	06/02/2026	CH	Ohio Auditor of State	\$888.00	O
304-2026	06/02/2026	06/02/2026	CH	KEY BANK	\$55.00	C
305-2026	05/12/2026	06/05/2026	CH	ARS Refuse Service	\$54.53 *	C
305-2026	06/05/2026	06/05/2026	NEG ADJ	ARS Refuse Service	-\$0.10	C
306-2026	06/08/2026	06/08/2026	CH	Capital One	\$4,386.92	O
307-2026	06/09/2026	06/09/2026	EW	OHIO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES DEFERRED CC	\$140.00	O
308-2026	06/09/2026	06/09/2026	EW	SCHOOL DISTRICT INCOME TAX PROGRAI	\$120.84	O
309-2026	06/09/2026	06/09/2026	EW	TREASURER OF STATE OF OHIO	\$558.13	O
310-2026	06/13/2026	06/13/2026	EP	Tanner S Glass	\$391.19	O
311-2026	06/13/2026	06/13/2026	EP	Katelyn Greiner	\$399.49	O
312-2026	06/13/2026	06/13/2026	EP	Kevin P Kross	\$376.78	O
313-2026	06/13/2026	06/13/2026	EP	JOHN LUMBREZER	\$133.61	O
314-2026	06/13/2026	06/13/2026	EP	Jeffrey D Mason	\$351.59	O
315-2026	06/13/2026	06/13/2026	EP	Lucas Parmelee	\$1,342.92	O
316-2026	06/13/2026	06/13/2026	EP	Joseph E Santiago	\$135.86	O
317-2026	06/13/2026	06/13/2026	EP	Ryan E Sedlock	\$1,541.81	O
318-2026	06/13/2026	06/13/2026	EP	Wendy Waisner	\$449.61	O
319-2026	06/13/2026	06/13/2026	EP	Jennifer Willey	\$153.97	O
321-2026	06/14/2026	06/14/2026	EP	Daniel William Walters	\$1,096.84	O
353-2026	06/09/2026	06/27/2026	EW	PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTE	\$2,544.54	O
354-2026	06/09/2026	06/27/2026	EW	Ohio Police & Fire Pension Fund	\$4,304.69	O
14589	06/08/2026	06/08/2026	AW	Telesystem	\$438.64	O
14590	06/08/2026	06/08/2026	AW	Crossroads Community Planning, LLC	\$23,500.00	O
14591	06/09/2026	06/09/2026	AW	TOLEDO EDISON	\$20.61	V
14591	06/09/2026	06/09/2026	AW	TOLEDO EDISON	-\$20.61	V
14592	06/09/2026	06/09/2026	AW	Tri County Tire	\$3,010.00	V
14592	06/09/2026	06/09/2026	AW	Tri County Tire	-\$3,010.00	V
14593	06/09/2026	06/09/2026	SW	Skipped Warrants 14593 to 14593 Series 2	\$0.00	V
14594	06/09/2026	06/09/2026	AW	Tri County Tire	\$3,010.00	O
14595	06/10/2026	06/10/2026	AW	DOUGLAS A. RONA	\$90.00	O
14596	06/10/2026	06/10/2026	AW	Todd Lenart	\$90.00	O
14597	06/10/2026	06/10/2026	AW	Don Reideler	\$90.00	O
14598	06/10/2026	06/10/2026	AW	Travis Garlick	\$180.00	O
14599	06/12/2026	06/12/2026	AW	Catholic War Vets Post 306	\$100.00	O
14600	06/12/2026	06/12/2026	AW	BUCKEYE BROADBAND	\$91.69	O
14601	06/12/2026	06/12/2026	AW	Bound Tree Medical, LLC	\$838.56	O
14602	06/12/2026	06/12/2026	AW	Gatchell Grant Resources, LLC	\$850.00	O
14603	06/14/2026	06/14/2026	AW	TOLEDO EDISON	\$833.79	O
14604	06/14/2026	06/14/2026	AW	Richard Feltner	\$240.00	O
14605	06/14/2026	06/14/2026	AW	Daniel Walters	\$322.52	O
14606	06/15/2026	06/15/2026	AW	LINDA Decker	\$500.93	O
Total Payments:					\$50,547.82	
Total Conversion Vouchers:					\$0.00	
Total Less Conversion Vouchers:					\$50,547.82	

Payment Listing

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6/2/2026 to 6/15/2026

Type: AM - Accounting Manual Warrant, AW - Accounting Warrant, IM - Investment Manual Warrant, IW - Investment Warrant, PM - Payroll Manual Warrant, PR - Payroll Warrant, RW - Reduction of Receipt Warrant, SW - Skipped Warrant, WH - Withholding Warrant, WM - Withholding Manual, WS - Special Warrant, CH - Electronic Payment Advice, IL - Investment Loss, EP - Payroll EFT Voucher, CV - Payroll Conversion Voucher, SV - Payroll Special Voucher, EW - Withholding Voucher, POS ADJ - Positive Adjustment, NEG ADJ - Negative Adjustment, POS REAL - Positive Reallocation, NEG REAL - Negative Reallocation

Status: O - Outstanding, C - Cleared, V - Voided, B - Batch

* Asterisked amounts are not included in report totals. These transactions occurred outside the reported date range but are listed for reference.



2026 Fire Department Bond Issue Proposal

**PROTECTING OUR COMMUNITY THROUGH SAFE
AND RELIABLE EQUIPMENT**

Why We Are Asking for This Bond?

The Richfield Township Fire Department is requesting voter approval of a bond issue to fund critical equipment replacements necessary to maintain emergency services.

The bond will provide funding for:

- Two replacement fire apparatus**
- Replacement of all expired fire hose**
- Replacement of Utility 58 SUV**
- Replacement of Chief 58 command vehicle**



Commitment to Community Safety

OUR MISSION STATEMENT:

To save lives, protect property & strengthen community relationships with professionalism, courage, and dedication.

- **Rapid emergency response**
- **Fire suppression services**
- **Rescue and Emergency Medical Services**

To continue meeting these responsibilities, we must replace equipment that has reached the end of its service life.



Replacing Two Fire Apparatus E58 and RE59

**Current apparatus have reached the end of their recommended service lives.
Challenges with aging apparatus:**

- **Increased maintenance costs**
- **Increased downtime**
- **Reduced reliability**
- **Difficulty obtaining replacement parts**
- **Outdated safety features**

New apparatus will improve reliability, safety, and emergency response capabilities.



Utility 58 Replacement (2008 Ford Expedition)

Miles: 121480

Utility 58 supports many daily department operations.

Uses include:

- **Equipment / manpower transport**
- **Incident support**
- **Training activities**
- **Maintenance and logistics**

Replacing this vehicle ensures dependable support for emergency operations.



Chief 58 Replacement (09 Ford Explorer)

Miles: 165,800 Currently OOS for major repair

Chief 58 serves as the command vehicle for emergency incidents.

The vehicle is used for:

- **Incident command**
- **Emergency response**
- **Coordination with mutual aid agencies**
- **Community emergency management activities**

A reliable command vehicle is essential for effective emergency scene management.



Fire Hose Replacement

Replacement of All Expired Fire Hose. Nearly every piece of hose that we have is expired, some dating back to before this station existed.

Fire hose is a critical life-safety tool
Benefits of replacement:

- Increased firefighter safety
- Improved operational reliability
- Compliance with current standards
- Reduced risk of equipment failure during emergencies



Benefits to the Community

Approval of this bond issue will provide:

- ☒ Reliable emergency response equipment
- ☒ Improved firefighter safety
- ☒ Enhanced protection of residents and property
- ☒ Reduced maintenance costs associated with aging equipment
- ☒ Long-term investment in public safety



Fiscal Responsibility

The department is committed to:

- Careful planning
- Responsible purchasing
- Maximizing equipment service life
- Transparent use of taxpayer funds

This bond issue addresses identified replacement needs rather than emergency purchases after equipment failure.



What's the Cost?

Replacement cost: \$1.57 Million

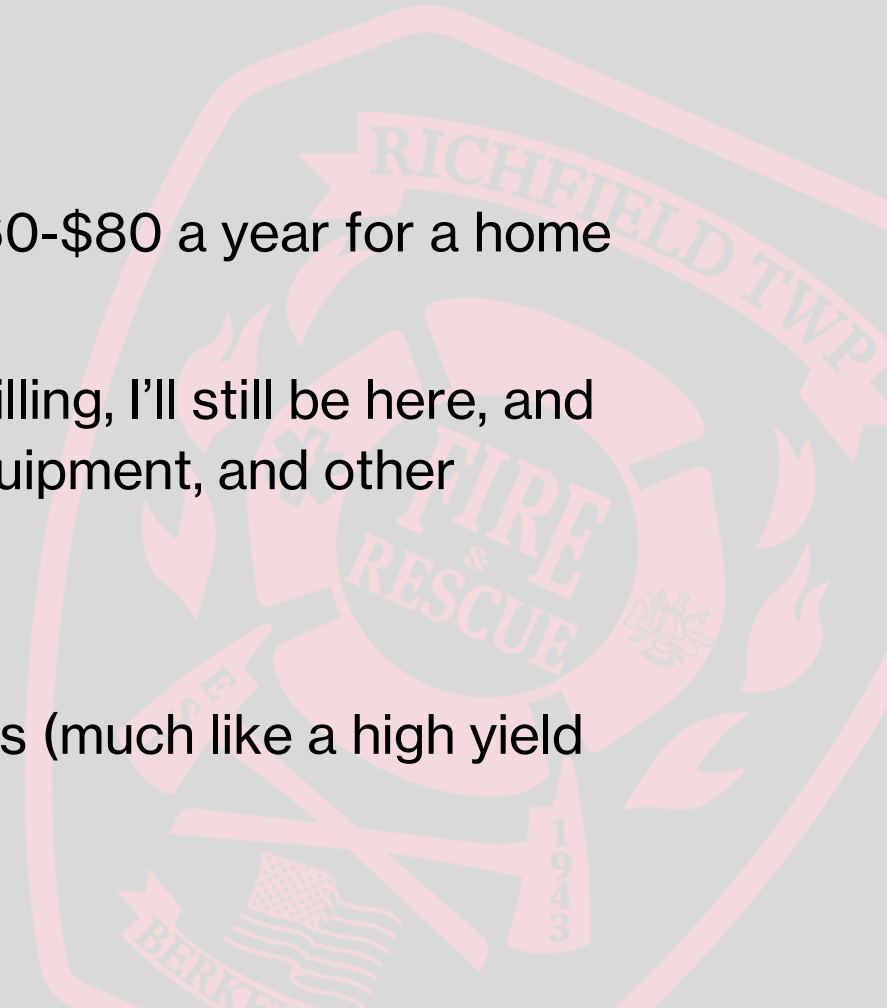
- **Fire hose: \$65,000**
- **E58: \$725,000**
- **T58 (fitted with pump, and attack capabilities): \$630,000**
- **Utility 58 (Will also serve as a light duty Rescue): \$76,000**
- **Chief 58 (Greater capability for large scale incidents / Equipment): \$76,000**



What's the cost?

Still needs certified by Lucas County Auditor's Office

- Fire apparatus / Equipment Bond length is 10 years
- Estimated to cost taxpayers in the range of an additional \$60-\$80 a year for a home valued at \$200,000
- At the end of the 10 years the bond can be renewed. God willing, I'll still be here, and we will be able to use the renewal to responsibly replace equipment, and other apparatus as needed.
- Our community investing in itself.
- Our community will be able to invest in the bonds themselves (much like a high yield savings account).



The Cost of Waiting

Delaying replacement can result in:

- Increased hazards to personnel operating aging and expired equipment
- Increased repair expenses
- More equipment downtime
- Greater risk of service interruptions
- Increased replacement costs due to inflation

Replacing equipment now helps ensure continued protection for YOUR community.



Summary of Bond Funding

The proposed bond issue will fund:

Fire Aparatus

- Two replacement fire apparatus

Firefighting Equipment

- Complete replacement of expired fire hose

Support Vehicles

- Replacement of Utility 58
- Replacement of Chief 58



THANK YOU!

Thank you for your support and continued commitment to community safety.

"Protecting Today. Preparing for Tomorrow."

