

**Lorain County Township Association
Meeting Agenda
November 15, 2018 Olmsted Township**

The LCTA meeting will be hosted by Olmsted Township and will be held at 26900 Cook Road Olmsted Township 44138

Refreshments will be available at 6:30 pm - meeting at 7:30 pm

1. 7:30 p.m. call meeting to order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Thank you to host township, Olmsted Township, Trustees – Jeanene Kress, Laurence Abbott and Lisa Zver
Fiscal Officer – Brian Gillette
4. Roll Call of Members: Secretary Mark Cunningham
5. Introduction of Associate Members and Guests
6. Minutes of October 18, 2018 at Penfield Twp.

Any additions or corrections

Motion to approve

7. Treasurer's Report – Amy Richards:

Motion to approve

8. Program – Safe Passage Program: The Safe Passages initiative was created by the Berea and Olmsted Township Police Departments in August 2016 to address the opioid epidemic facing our communities. The Safe Passages Program established police agencies as access points to drug rehabilitation services and was in-part modeled on programs already in existence in Massachusetts and elsewhere. The vision for Safe Passage was the creation of community-based partnerships between law enforcement, courts treatment providers, hospitals, educational institutions and social services to facilitate treatment for those addicted to heroin or opiates. Safe Passages Program is currently comprised of 16 police agencies covering 4 counties [Cuyahoga, Lorain, Lake and Trumbull] and have assisted approximately 350 individuals suffering from the disease of addiction to enter recovery. In May of 2017 the Safe Passages Program received the Community Partner Collaborative Award from the Cuyahoga County ADAHMS Board.

Presenters

**Chief Matthew Vanyo- Olmsted Township Police Department
Chief Joseph Grecol – Berea Police Department**

9. Officers Report

- a. President: Jean Haight
- b. Vice President: Orrin Leimbach
- c. Secretary: Mark Cunningham
- d. Executive Committeeman: Mike Musto

10. **Old Business Election of Officers**

11. **New Business**

12. **Reports from LCTA Committees and Township Representatives**

- Fair Committee:
- NOACA: Dick Heidecker Alt: Mark Cunningham
- Northeast Ohio Association: Dick Heidecker
- OPWC District 9: Mike Musto Alt: Carl Wesemeyer
- Solid Waste: Dave Urig Alt: Jean Haight
- SWAC: Mark McConnell
- Farm Bureau: Orrin Leimbach Alt:

13. **Reports from other elected officials**

- Federal
- State
- County Commissioners
- Auditor
- Engineer
- Prosecutor
- Recorder
- Sheriff
- Treasurer
- Other

14. **Reports from other departments/organizations**

- Lorain County Community Alliance
- Lorain County Soil & Water
- Lorain County Community Development

- Lorain County Emergency Management
- Lorain County Health Department
- Lorain County Solid Waste
- Lorain County Metro Parks
- Lorain County Land Bank

15. Public Comment

16. Next LCTA Meeting – Date of next meeting, December 20, 2018 in Camden Township Christmas Party