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### **Springfield Township Trustees**

July 8, 2025

### **Grass Abatement Public Hearing**

Meeting called to order by Tim Foley, Board President at 5:30 PM.

#### **Board Members Roll Call**

Trustee Tim Foley
Present
Trustee John Roeder
Present
Trustee Dan Detrick
Present
Fiscal Officer Mark Smith
Not Present

**Employee / Visitors in Attendance:** Jennifer Tuttle, DeeAnn Foley, Tami and Mike Randall

Mr. Foley asked if any Trustee's needed to abstain; none heard.

Mr. Foley read the rules of the Public Hearing.

#### STAFF REPORT

# Administrator/Zoning Inspector

Jennifer Tuttle – 3630 Old Clifton Rd. Springfield, Ohio 45502. Parcel # 3000700025000095, Owners Hilda Fonda Nicewaner. 2.29 Legal Acres, Zoned R-1 Single Family Residential. Courtesy letter sent on 5/22, Motion to set the public hearing on 6/10, certified letter sent on 6/26, Inspections completed on 5/22, 6/10, 6/23 and 7/7. Mrs. Tuttle showed the pictures from each investigation. The property owner did mow right in front of the house, but not mow the remaining of the yard. The pictures are showing the grassy areas that are well over the 18 inches.

# **OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**

Mr. Foley opened the meeting to the public at 5:33 PM and read the rules.

Mr. Foley asked if the property owner wanted to speak, property owner was not present.

Mr. Foley asked if Deputy Shaw had any comments; Deputy Shaw stated this is a nuisance property that he has been dealing with, there are a lot of issues out there. The unfortunate part is that it is very hard for him to intervene unless there is criminal complaint or criminal activity that is going on out there. Deputy Shaw stated he has talked to the homeowner about her grass several times so she is aware of it.

Mr. Foley closed the meeting to the public at 5:34 PM.

Mr. Foley asked for comments or discussion from the Trustees, Mr. Foley stated that this place has been a mess for a long time and we have a habitual offender, Mr. Roeder stated he agreed with Mr. Foley.

Held Resolution: 2025- 002A DATE: 07/08/2025

# NOTICE TO ABATE

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by THE SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES DETERMINED THAT HILDA FONDA NICEWANER ARE THE OWNERS OF THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 3630 OLD CLIFTON RD, SPRINGFIELD, OHIO, 45502 PERMANENT PARCEL NUMBER # 3000700025000095 AND THE MAINTENANCE OF THIS PROPERTY IS A NUISANCE, BASED UPON THE FORMAL GRASS ABATEMENT PROCEDURE SET FORTH IN THE OHIO REVISED CODE SECTION #505.87

THE OWNERS HILDA FONDA NICEWANER, IS ORDERED TO ABATE THE VEGETATION AND IF THE VEGETATION IS NOT ABATED WITHIN SEVEN (7) DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THIS RESOLUTION, THE SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES WILL DO THE ABATEMENT, BASED UPON THE FORMAL GRASS ABATEMENT PROCEDURE SET FORTH IN THE OHIO REVISED CODE SECTION #505.87.

ANY EXPENSE THE SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES INCUR IN THE ABATEMENT PROCESS WILL BE ENTERED ON THE PROPERTY'S TAX DUPLICATE AND BECOME A LIEN ON THE PROPERTY FROM THE DATE OF ENTRY

Motion to approve by John Roeder Second by Dan Detrick Discussion Roll Call

Mr. Foley <u>Yes</u> Mr. Detrick <u>Yes</u> Mr. Roeder <u>Yes</u>

## MOTION TO ADJOURN AT 5:36 PM

Motion to approve by John Roeder Second by Dan Detrick Discussion Roll Call

Mr. Foley Yes Mr. Detrick Yes Mr. Roeder Yes

**Board Certified** 

∕im Foley, Trustee

John Roeder, Trustee

Dan Detrick, Trustee

Mark Smith, Fiscal Officer