## **Minutes of Special Meeting**

## January 16, 2020 7 PM

Baughman Township met in a special session January 16, 2020 @ 7 PM at the Baughman Township Office, located at 3470 Mt Eaton Rd Burton City, OH. The meeting was to work on compactor policy for 2020. Chairman Geiser called the meeting to order and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Trustees spoke on challenges to operating compactor. 1- Writing receipts for each resident. 2-Safety concerns, Bedbugs, needles in trash bags, need for Narcan. 3-Compactor age and need of repairs, cost to rebuild or purchase new. 4- Keeping costs under control. 5-Making sure compactor utilized by Baughman residents only.

Trustees felt that the poker chip idea would not address all five areas of concern; they had laid out in the beginning of the meeting. After some brain storming, the idea that was presented to address all five concerns. Current staff would write receipts to customers but not unload trash, customer responsible for unloading own trash. This would help keep cost down no additional labor needed. Instead of repairing compactor move into loose bins like the current trash recycling bins at Baughman. Trash companies have stated that Baughman would need approx. eight of this type bins to accommodate trash on Saturdays. Furthermore, less moving parts, less maintenance cost, no electricity costs and easier to put trash in bins. All trash is to be in trash bags. Trash can be in a variety of bags but bagged and unloaded by customer. This will help address the safety concerns. Kaufman is going to look into getting stickers to put on Baughman resident vehicle windows, so Baughman residents can be identified quickly. Kaufman to check on if can put license plate number on receipt or need name. Stoll is to check with Kimble on updated loose bin cost. Calame is going to research how to organize the loose bins at Township. All are to report findings at February 13 meeting.

Kaufman motion to adjourn. Second Calame. Motion carried. 8:32PM.

Chairman\_\_\_\_\_

Fiscal Officer\_\_\_\_\_