



**RESOLUTION G2017-46**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATOR TO PURCHASE A JOHN DEERE 310L BACKHOE FOR THE SERVICE DEPARTMENT FROM JOHN DEERE/MURPHY TRACTOR & EQUIPMENT IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED TWELVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$64,538.00)**

**WHEREAS**, the Township Road Department is responsible for roads and sidewalks maintenance throughout the township; and

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Public Works has indicated to the Township Administrator that the backhoe needs to be replaced that was purchased in 2006 and has 3000 hours of operation; and

**WHEREAS**, it has been determined by the Township Trustees that a backhoe is a necessary piece of equipment that needs to be purchased so that the Service Department can complete their jobs in a timely and most cost effective manner and that the old backhoe will be traded in to reduce the price; and

**WHEREAS**, Symmes Township participates in the Ohio State Term Contract program therefore the Township would not be required to bid out the equipment to multiple vendors.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Trustees of Symmes Township, Hamilton County, Ohio:

**Section 1.** The Symmes Township Trustees hereby authorize the Township Administrator to purchase a John Deere 310L Backhoe for the Service Department from John Deere/Murphy Tractor & Equipment Company in an amount not to exceed Sixty-Four Thousand Five Hundred Thirty-Eight Dollars and No Cents (\$64,538.00).

**Section 2.** The funds for the backhoe shall be taken from the General Fund (#1).

**Section 3.** The Fiscal Officer is hereby authorized to make payment to John Deere/Murphy Tractor & Equipment Company once approval has been given by the Public Works Director.

**Section 4.** Upon majority vote does hereby dispense with the requirement that this Resolution be read on two separate days and hereby authorizes the adoption of

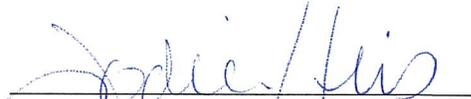
this Resolution upon its first reading.

**Section 5.** This Resolution shall take effect and be enforced from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

**ADOPTED JULY 11, 2017 – RESOLUTION G2017-46**

Vote Record: Ms. Leis Aye Mr. Bryant Aye Mr. Beck Aye

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES:**

  
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Jodie L. Leis, President

  
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Kenneth N. Bryant, Vice President

  
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Philip J. Beck, Trustee

**ATTEST:**

  
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Carol A. Sims, Fiscal Officer

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

  
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Kevin McDonough, Law Director