

SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES
LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO

RESOLUTION #26-036

**TO PETITION THE BOARD OF LUCAS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO DESIGN AND
CONSTRUCT WATERCOURSE IMPROVEMENTS TO SHADOW VALLEY DETENTION BASIN AND
TO REQUEST THE BOARD OF LUCAS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO ESTABLISH THE
IMPROVEMENTS AS PUBLIC WATERCOURSES**

The Board of Trustees of Springfield Township, Lucas County, Ohio, met in Regular Session on October 06, 2026, at 7617 Angola Road, Holland, Ohio, with the following members present:

Rachel Geiger Bob Klumm Tom Anderson Jr.

Bob Klumm moved the adoption of the following Resolution:

WHEREAS, the Ohio Revised Code Section 6131 permits landowners to petition the Board of Lucas County Commissioners for improvements and the future maintenance of watercourses within the Shadow Valley Detention Basin as deemed to be most conducive to the public welfare; and

WHEREAS, having interest in rights-of-way and real property benefitting from improvements to watercourses within the Shadow Valley Detention Basin, the Board of Trustees of Springfield Township, Lucas County, Ohio can file a petition to the Board of Lucas County Commissioners requesting such improvements; and

WHEREAS, ditch improvements will consist of the combination of methods provided in Ohio Revised Code Section 6131.01 (C) 1-5 necessary for the disposal of surplus water. The future maintenance of the said watercourses is necessary and will be conducive to the public welfare; and

WHEREAS, all costs of engineering, construction, and maintenance will be assessed to the benefitted parcels of land, except as ordered under Section 6131.31 of the Ohio Revised Code. After completion of the project, petitioner requests the Board of Lucas County Commissioners to declare said improvements as a public watercourse and place said detention basin improvements under permanent maintenance; and

WHEREAS, the courses and termini of said watercourses are as follows, to wit:

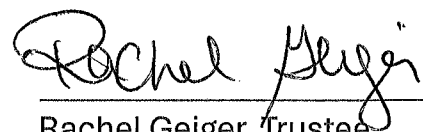
Shadow Valley Detention Basin: *Commencing at its terminus with Wolf Creek, located approximately 73 feet northeasterly of the southeast corner of Tax Parcel 65-61900, thence commencing northwesterly for a distance of approximately 537 feet to the outfall pipe of the detention basin recorded on Shadow Valley Ravine Estates Plat One Lots 3 & 4, for a total area of 2.30 acres.*

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by Springfield Township Board of Trustees, Lucas County, Ohio,

1. That the Board hereby petitions the Board of Lucas County Commissioners for an improvement in a manner deemed to be the most conducive to the public welfare of the above described watercourses utilizing any, all or combination of the methods provided for in Ohio Revised Code Section 6131.01 (C) 1-5 necessary for the disposal of surplus water.
2. That improvements and future maintenance of the above-named detention basin are necessary, will benefit the petitioner and will be conducive to the public welfare.
3. That if ordered by the Board of Lucas County Commissioners, upon the completion of Plans, Schedules, and Drawings by the Lucas County Engineer, the Board hereby requests the Board of Lucas County Commissioners to establish the above-named detention basin as public watercourses and to assess the benefitting landowners for their engineering, construction, and permanent maintenance in accordance with Ohio Revised Code Section 6131.
4. That this board agrees to pay the cost of notices, plus any other incidental expenses, except the cost incurred by the engineer in making his preliminary reports if the payer of the petition is not granted at the First Hearing or if the petition is for any cause dismissed unless the board of county commissioners decides to pay the engineer's costs from the petitioner's bond in accordance with section 6131 of the Revised Code. This amount is \$1,500 in accordance with Ohio Revised Code Section 6131.
5. That the Chairman of the Board is authorized to sign the ditch petition on behalf of the Board

Rachel Geiger seconded the motion

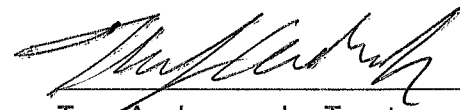
Bob Klumm – Yes Tom Anderson Jr. – Yes Rachel Geiger – Yes



Rachel Geiger, Trustee

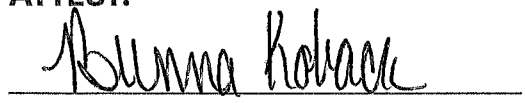


Bob Klumm, Trustee



Tom Anderson Jr., Trustee

ATTEST:



Brenna Koback, Fiscal Officer
October 06, 2026, Trustee Meeting