

Village of Windham, Ohio

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Delivered at the Windham Township Trustees Meeting held July 19, 2007 @ 7:00 P.M.

To: Trustees Dann Timmons, Howard Furl and Brian Miller

During our Windham Council Meeting on July 17, 2007, the Joint Fire District Exploratory/Advisory Committee (JFDEAC) presented their advisory recommendation with many attached documents supporting their recommendation. Their recommendation was for the Windham Village Council and Windham Township Trustees to form a Joint Fire District.

Village Council voted to accept and endorse the JFDEA Committee's recommendation. The Committee found that the current tax levies would not change in changing to the Joint Fire District.


Windham Village Council looks forward to working with the Windham Township Trustees to form a Joint Fire District. We strongly believe, as does the Exploratory Committee, that this will serve the best interest of all Windham residents, the Fire Department Firemen, the Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics. Village Council is hopeful that the Township Trustees will accept the Committee's recommendation and begin working with the Village Council to begin forming the Joint Fire District. If the Trustees accept, then Village Council is ready to enter into serious discussions to form a Joint Fire District.

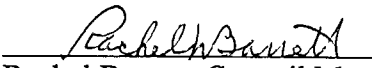
Our expectations are as follows:

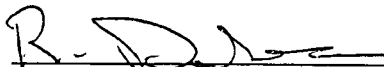
- 1) Begin discussions at the earliest agreeable date.
- 2) Have a Resolution forming the Joint Fire District agreed to and signed not later than November 1, 2007.
- 3) The New Joint Fire District and its new Board Members to commence on January 1, 2008.

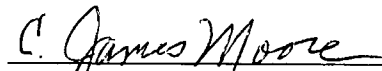
Village Council believes that there is no other choice but to pursue this option.

Respectfully submitted,
Windham Village Council and Mayor


Scott Garrett, Council President


Rachel Barrett, Council Member


Robert Donham, Council Member


C. James Moore, Mayor


Phil Snyder, Council Member


Jodi Minotti, Council Member


Marian Garrett, Council Member