

**RESOLUTION 5-2026**  
**ROAD DEPARTMENT TO PROCEED BY FORCE ACCOUNT WHEN NECESSARY**  
**BRUNSWICK HILLS TOWNSHIP**

Authorizing the Township Road Department to proceed in certain circumstances by force account in the reconstruction, improvement, maintenance and repair of roads and culverts.

WHEREAS, it is necessary to continually reconstruct, repair and maintain roads and culverts under Township control for the safety, health and use of the public; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined by the Board, that the health, welfare and safety of the people of Brunswick Hills Township can best and most efficiently be served by utilizing force account, when not otherwise required by law to use competitive bidding, in matters pertaining to the reconstruction, improvement, and maintenance and repair of Township roads and culverts.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of Brunswick Hills Township, Medina County, Ohio:

- That Brunswick Hills Township, Medina County, be and is hereby authorized to use Township employees, property and vehicles, as are necessary in the reconstruction, improvement, maintenance and repair of Township roads and culverts during the fiscal year 2026, when not otherwise required by Section 5575.01 of the Ohio Revised Code or other sections of law for said work to be let by competitive bidding.
- That the Board reserves unto themselves the right and authority to make; all purchases of material and equipment, or enter into any leases for equipment, or enter into any subcontracts for any part of said work.
- That all force account work shall be in accordance with Chapter 5575 of the Ohio Revised Code.
- That Road Department personnel shall provide written estimates for road project files where under division (A) of Section 5575.01 the project for maintenance and repair is fairly determined to be less than one hundred five thousand dollars, and under division (B) of that section for road construction projects of less than thirty-five thousand dollars per mile.
- That all road projects for which it fairly appears that the cost thereof can exceed the amount set forth above, that a formal estimate from the Highway Engineer on the state approved form be obtained.
- That all force account work under this section shall be under the direction of the Liaison, Township Trustee, Board of Trustees.

Ryan Nixon offered and moved for adoption of Resolution 5-2026. Duly seconded by Thomas DeCastra

Adopted this 8<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2026.

Voting:

R. Nixon      Yes                      T. DeCastra      Yes                      T. Destro      Yes

Ryan Nixon                            Tony Destro      

Thomas DeCastra      

Certified by:        
Bob Roksandich, Fiscal Officer