

**PIERCE TOWNSHIP
CLERMONT COUNTY, OHIO
RESOLUTION 017-015**

**RESOLUTION DECLARING THE INTENT TO CONDUCT INTERNET AUCTIONS FOR THE SALE OF
UNNEEDED, OBSOLETE OR UNFIT PERSONAL PROPERTY OF PIERCE TOWNSHIP FOR THE CALENDAR
YEAR 2017**

WHEREAS, Section 505.10 of the Ohio Revised Code permits a board of township trustees to sell personal property, including motor vehicles, road machinery, equipment, tools, or supplies, which is not needed for public use, or is obsolete, or is unfit for the use for which it was acquired; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Township Trustees of Pierce Township, Clermont County, Ohio has determined that an internet auction is a cost effective method of disposing of such property; and,

WHEREAS, Section 505.10(D) of the Ohio Revised Code permits a board of township trustees to sell such property by internet auction;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of Pierce Township:

Section 1: That pursuant to Section 505.10(D), the Board of Trustees of Pierce Township hereby expresses its intent to sell personal property, including motor vehicles, road machinery, equipment, tools, or supplies, which is not needed for public use, or is obsolete, or is unfit for the use for which it was acquired by internet auction;

Section 2: That the Board of Trustees of Pierce Township shall continue to contract with GovDeals, Inc. to serve as a representative of the Township and conduct auctions on behalf of the Township.

Section 3: That such internet auctions shall be conducted according to the requirements of R.C. 505.10(D) and by providing a description of the item to be auctioned, with applicable minimum bids, and the cost details, and the means of delivery, where applicable.

Section 4: That the internet auction will be conducted in the following manner under the following general terms and conditions:

A. All property will be offered for sale on the Pierce Township website under "Online Sales - Terms and Conditions";

B. All property will be available to the public on the "GovDeals, Inc." website for a minimum of fifteen (15) days, including Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays as required in Section 505.10(D) of the Ohio Revised Code;

C. If any Township property offered for sale by internet auction is not sold within fifteen (15) days after being posted on the "GovDeals, Inc." website, the Township may withdraw said property from the internet auction at any time;

D. Township property auctioned via internet auctions shall be sold to the highest, qualified bidder at the conclusion of the auction and that the highest, qualified bidder shall be required to pay for the property at the auctioned price and to comply with any other conditions or terms of sale established for a particular item of personal property .

E. The Board of Township Trustees, Pierce Township, Clermont County, Ohio reserves the right to reject any bids and to withdraw from sale any items listed on its internet auction.

Section 5: In the event that the Township reclaims the auctioned property as a result of the highest, qualified bidder's failure to comply with the terms and conditions stated above or in the event that there are no bidders for the auctioned property who meet the terms and conditions established for the auction, the Township reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to dispose of the property, without auction, as permitted by R.C. 505.10.

Section 6: That after adoption of this Resolution, the Board of Trustees shall publish, in a newspaper of general circulation in the township, notice of its intent to sell unneeded, obsolete, or unfit-for-use township personal property by internet auction. The notice shall include a summary of the information provided in this resolution and information about the items to be sold and the details of the sales and shall be published at least once pursuant to the requirements of R.C. 505.10(D) and published on the Township website.

Section 7: That this Resolution takes effect at the earliest time as maybe permitted by law;

Section 8: It has been determined that all formal actions of the Board of Trustees of Pierce Township concerning the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of the Board of Trustees of Pierce Township and that all deliberations of the Board of Trustees of Pierce Township which resulted in formal action were in meetings open to the public and in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Motion made by _____ Motion seconded by _____

Vote was as follows:

Bonnie J. Batchler _____

Robert W. Pautke _____

Allen M. Freeman _____

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Trustees of Pierce Township on this 13th day of September, 2017.

Attested by:

Debbie Schwey, Fiscal Officer