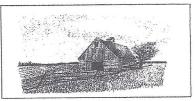
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March 12, 2019

Concord Township

Al Cavasin, Supervisor

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Supervisor Cavasin and Board Members,

To further the discussions between yourself, Village President Bush and myself along with Concord Fire Chief Mosher and Pulaski Fire Chief Riley, the Pulaski Township board recently held a meeting with most of the members of our fire department to go over the pros and cons of merging the Pulaski and Concord fire departments. Those opinions expressed were discussed at our regular board meeting last night.

We are all in agreement that the value of current partnerships for joint purchases to utilize bulk-purchase discounts and for joint trainings to provide enhanced continuing education for our department members are beneficial to all of our communities and budgets. We hope these practices will continue into the future. However, our board decided, and voted accordingly, against merging the Pulaski and Concord fire departments. It was felt that it was in the best interest of our residents to maintain our individual department through our voted millages while continuing to support both of our communities, and the entire county, through the county-wide mutual aid agreement of which we are all part of.

These meetings have been a great example of our communities working together to support all of our goals in the best interest of all our residents. I look forward to our continued collaborative relationships.

Sincerely,

Bob Jones, Supervisor

Pulaski Township