The Chester Township Board of Trustees met in **Special** session on **August 17, 2026** in the Geauga County Auditor's Appraisal Conference Room at 12:11 PM Chairman Craig S. Richter presided.

Roll Call: All Trustees and the Fiscal Officer were present.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
The Board led the audience in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Leading Motion #: 2026-304

2027 Annual Tax Budget Hearing

Topic of Discussion:

Chester Township 2027 Temporary Appropriations' Review
Trustees Craig Richter, Ken Radtke Jr., Brandon Davis, Fiscal Officer Patricia Jarrett, and Township Administrator Mark Purchase attended the Geauga County Budget Hearing at the Geauga County Auditor's Office. Chester Township's 2027 temporary appropriations were presented to the Geauga County Budget Commission for review.

Following the presentation and review, the Budget Commission approved Chester Township's 2027 budget by a vote of 2–1.

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business before the Board, Mr. Richter adjourned the meeting at 12:32 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Patricia Jarrett, Fiscal Officer

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Approval Date

Craig S. Richter, Chairman

Ken Radtke Jr., Vice-Chairman

Brandon Davis, Trustee