

Penn Township Supervisor Workshop Meeting

March 15, 2017

Chairman Brenda Moyer called the 3.15.2017 Supervisor Workshop Meeting to order at 6:00pm, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Present included: Supervisors: Pete DeWire, Brenda Moyer and Jon Payne and Secretary/Treasurer Jacqueline Anders.

Public Present: Rodney Ries, Colin Rice, Todd Shimko, Zach Fedorchik, Buffy Ramer, Sean Christine and Darwin Swope.

March 1, 2017 Supervisor Meeting - On motion by Pete DeWire, second by Jon Payne and acclamation of board 3.1.17 Supervisor Meeting minutes were approved.

Persons Present to be Heard:

Airport -Rodney Ries - Ries asked for continued financial support from the Township. Mr. Ries was informed Penn Township's Budget for 2017 has been completed and the Airport should submit a written request for donations in September for the following year. The Supervisors are also requesting information regarding their annual donations. It was also noted that the Township hasn't received minutes, budget, budget vs actual.

DH&L - Sean Christine - Christine presented a February 2017 incident report. There were discussions and questions regarding the information that was provided at the request of a letter Penn Township sent the Fire Company.

Penn Township Board of Supervisors expressed concern with the way DH&L Fire Company is being run and the Fire Relief not being run. **On motion by Jon Payne, second by Pete DeWire and acclamation of board Penn Township to continue to stop passing money to DH&L Fire Company, Fire Relief, Fair Board to hold completely until everything is answered including the Auditor General Findings and audits of the Fire Company General Funds. Penn Township needs all the information. Penn Township will have to take another course of action if the Township doesn't receive the requested information.**

A suggestion was made to contact the Fire Commission in Harrisburg to assist in the Fire Company situation.

Reports:

Roadmaster Isaac Ramer

- ∞ No report provided.

Secretary/Treasurer Jacqueline Anders

- ∞ Report provided regarding DH&L paperwork submitted
- ∞ The bid advertisement has been sent out for Paving and Seal Coat. There will be a mandatory pre-bid conference Wednesday, April 5, 2017 at 10 AM at the Penn Township office.
- ∞ A report for the 1% administration expense of amusement tax for Selinsgrove Speedway and Snyder County Tractor Pullers has been done and checks included in the bills to be paid in accordance to Ordinance 91-1 section 9.
- ∞ **On motion by Pete DeWire, second by Jon Payne and acclamation of board to purchase 5 loads of salt to be in compliance with our Costars Salt Contract.**

Zoning Officer Ray Cerezo

- ∞ Report provided.

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Emergency Management Coordinator Fred Ulrich

∞ No report provided.

New Business:

Trimmer Quotes for East Snyder Park - On motion by Jon Payne, second by Pete DeWire and acclamation of board to purchase Stihl trimmer with attachments from Hummels. Purchase of a backpack blower has been Tabled.

Selinsgrove Little League Celebration April 29, 2017 - Pete DeWire will follow up with SALL regarding April 29, 2017 request to use East Snyder Park.

Work Zone/Traffic Control Training - On motion by Jon Payne, second by Pete DeWire and acclamation of board for Isaac Ramer to attend Work Zone/Traffic Control Training March 29, 2017 at Patton Township Building and to pass the information along to the road crew.

Old Business:

No Old Business.

FYI/Follow up:

A letter was sent to Mifflinburg Bank and Trust indicating the Supervisors would like monthly reports for investments. Mifflinburg Bank and Trust has sent January and February monthly reports.

It was questioned about a volunteer or court adjudicate liability. It was relayed to me from Central Insurers Group that under no circumstance would the volunteer or court adjudicate be covered under workers compensation and if the township was negligent in causing the injury the liability insurance would respond.

A letter was sent to PSP Selinsgrove regarding speeding and stop sign issues at Harris Estates. There hasn't been any response regarding the letter.

Public Comments:

No Public Comments.

Approval of Accounts Payable - On motion by Jon Payne, second by Pete DeWire and acclamation of the board to pay the bills.

On motion by Pete DeWire, second by Jon Payne and acclamation of board the March 15, 2017 Supervisor Meeting was adjourned at 7:34 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jacqueline Anders
Township Secretary