

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES

July 1, 2015

The regular monthly meeting of the Dennison Township Supervisors was called to order by Chairman Bruce Thomas. After Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, roll call was taken as follows:

Bruce Thomas, present
Sheila Weaver, present
Michael Mack, present

Attorney Dean, excused
Keith Wheeler, excused
Kathleen Stortz, present

The minutes of the June 3rd regular monthly meeting were approved on a motion by Michael Mack, second by Sheila Weaver. Motion carried.

The Treasurer's Report was approved on a motion by Sheila Weaver, second by Michael Mack. Motion carried.

The bills were approved to be paid on a motion by Michael Mack, second by Sheila Weaver. Motion carried.

BUSINESS:

POLICE REPORT –NONE

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT - A motion was made by Michael Mack, second by Sheila Weaver to apply for the 2016 Luzerne County Community Development grant to pave Stolpe Road. Motion carried.

GYPSY MOTH SUPPRESSION PROGRAM – Information was received from the Keri Skvarla, the Luzerne County gypsy moth coordinator regarding the spraying program for next year. Residents must meet certain requirements and pay a fee to have their property sprayed in 2016. Applications were placed in the township building

CLEAN UP DAY – The supervisors said the spring clean up along with the electronic recycling was a huge success. The supervisors are considering have a fall clean up.

LUZERNE COUNTY 911 – A letter was received from Luzerne County 911 informing the township about the importance of having street signs that are spelled correctly and have the proper prefix and suffix. It is also important that residents have their numeric address plainly visible. Luzerne County is going to be working with local municipalities that have duplicate street names and numbers which is causing dispatching problems.

DEP COMPLAINT -A letter was received from DEP regarding a complaint they received about bottles, garbage, cans, buckets, etc on a property located at 671 Tunnel Road. They notified the township because the complaint falls with the jurisdiction of the township under municipal ordinances relating to management of solid waste. The property owner, Patricia Kossitch will be sent a letter requesting she clean up the property.

SEWER LINE EXTENSION – A request was received from Connie Job to extend the sewer line on Linden Street to property that she is putting up for sale. Mrs. Job will be notified that she would have to pay to have the township extend the sewer line.

RECYCLING GRANT – Sheila Weaver and the secretary will meet with Beth DeNardi next week to fill out the application for a Recycling Grant.

JARICK SUBDIVISION – Jim Jarick stated that his subdivision plan that was approved November 5th, 2014 has a non building note for Lots 2 and 3 because the property was identified as being a possible location for the Carex Polymorpha plant. Mr. Jarick had a survey done and it was determined that the plant does not exist on lots 2 and 3. Mr. Jarick will amend his subdivision plan to have the non-building clause removed. The township will waive township fees.

ROAD REPORT – Sheila stated that Metrocast said the road cut in Ramblewood has been taken care of but she will check it. Bruce Thomas said that he and Tom Rickert will clean out the storm drain on 7th Street and then get the fire company to flush it out. Sitko Farms will start mowing along the roads including the Lake Francis Road. The supervisors said they would like to thank Jim and Linda Yackiel and all residents who help clean up along the roads. The Maintenance Contract will be re-advertised using PennBid which is an electronic procurement program.

FIRE REPORT – Bill Bauersfeld reported a quiet month with only 3 calls.

ADJOURNMENT - On a motion by Michael Mack, second by Sheila Weaver, the meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m. Motion carried.