

# Wayne Township

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The Wayne Township Supervisors 1418 Wampum Road, Ellwood City, PA 16117 held its monthly Supervisor Board Meeting via Telecommunication, June 4, 2020 at 7:00 P.M.

Meeting opened with the " **Pledge of Allegiance**" by Chairman/Supervisor, Bill Hepler.

**Officers in attendance were** Supervisor – William Hepler, Chairman

Supervisor – Richard Weingartner, Vice Chairman

Supervisor – Charles Hutchison

Secretary/Treasurer – Shari D. Baney

Attorney, Ryan C. Long

**Telecom Visitor Attendees:** Sami Laszlo, Lisa Czerpak, Rob Magnifico, Roger Stramba and Roger Baney

**Approval of May 7, 2020 Minutes:** Motion by Weingartner 2<sup>nd</sup> Hepler motion carried.

**PUBLIC INPUT:** None

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

- Hepler brought up giving a donation for maintenance on the fire hydrants to the Wayne Township Firehall. Motion to approve Weingartner 2<sup>nd</sup> Hepler. Motion carried. 2 – 0
- Engineering study for Squaw Run Bridge replacement. Hepler stated price is \$11,000 for survey, bid and permits for an extra \$1,000. Stramba to check with Taylor Engineering to confirm final price and work to be completed. Motion to approve Weingartner 2<sup>nd</sup> Hepler. Motion carried. 2 – 0

## **OLD BUSINESS:**

- Opening of the Paving bids: Bid were sent to 13 companies. The only bid received was from Youngblood Paving. Long questioned if the bid was advertised, yes two times. **Item #1:** 750 tons of scratch surface 19mm @ \$17,90 per ton with extended total of \$55,425.00. **Item #2:** 15,000 square yards of sealcoat for a price of \$40,800.00. Total project bid is **\$96,225.00**. Stramba said we have not received our Liquid Fuel check yet. Shari Baney said, we **have** the check. Weingartner motioned to accept the bid from Youngblood, Hepler 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion carried. 2 - 0
- Part Time Police Officer applications: Hepler said 4 resumes have been received. Wayne Township has two openings for replacement officers. Long asked Magnifico if he has recommendations. Magnifico recommends Officer Matthew Kennedy from New Castle and Officer Devin Murphey from New Wilmington. Magnifico and Kruger did background checks and all were okay. Weingartner motioned to approve hiring Kennedy and Murphey, 2<sup>nd</sup> Hepler. Motion carried. 2 - 0

- Magnifico to notify the candidates and make arrangements for the necessary documents to hire the two officers.
- Hepler brought up the Property Maintenance Agreement recommended by Waltz. Long said he can do the paperwork to establish the Ordinance. Long said both Waltz and Richardson have recommended this agreement. Long said the Township Planning has not recommended enactment of the Ordinance. Long recommended the Supervisors revisit the Property Maintenance Agreement with Waltz or Richardson. Issue tabled.
- **Approval of Financial Reports** from the following ledgers: General, Water, Light, Building/Equipment, and Liquid Fuels, Motion Hepler 2<sup>nd</sup> Weingartner motion carried. 2 -0

**Approval to Pay the Bills** – Motion Weingartner 2<sup>nd</sup> Hepler. Motion carried. 2 – 0

**Police Report** – 12 calls for service, 2 ATV accidents. Zero citations and zero criminal complaints. 1 animal complaint and 6 traffic warnings. Magnifico requested the township put an ad in the paper warning people about the use of ATV's on Cemex property they will be cited. Hepler requested Magnifico do a write up and give to the township Secretary. Magnifico said he would do it Friday for ad to be run Monday.

**Solicitor Report:** Nothing but noted next month's meeting may be the same Telecommunication format. Long requested everyone watch for the advertisements at the township building

**Supervisor Input:**

- Hepler brought up the Township Building reopening on Friday June 5<sup>th</sup>. We can set up for the regular township meeting to be held. Long said we are still required to maintain social distance. Long recommended setting up the meeting in the Firehall. Hepler said he would make arrangements with Wayne Firehall. Long said we need to comply with the Governors mandate as well as protect older residents. This will need to be advertised.

**Motion to Adjourn:** Hepler 2<sup>nd</sup> Weingartner. Motion carried. 2-0.

*Submitted by*

*Shari D. Baney*

*Secretary/Treasurer*