

WAYNE TOWNSHIP
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
MARCH 3, 2022

The regular monthly meeting of the Wayne Township Board of Supervisors was held on Thursday, March 3, 2022, at 7:00 P.M. at the Wayne Township building, 1418 Wampum Road, Ellwood City, PA. Supervisors in attendance were William Hepler and Marc Cunningham. Supervisor, Richard Weingartner and Solicitor, Ryan Long attended via teleconference. Secretary/Treasurer Samantha Laszlo was also in attendance.

VISITORS: Wes Cunningham, Chase Laszlo, Tootie Welsh, Chris Mley, Paul Guenther, Elaine Cortez, Gerald Cortez, Diane Fritzman, Randy Marshall, Mark Tamaro, Barb Tamaro, Bob Cunningham, and Roger Baney.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman, William Hepler beginning with the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a Moment of Silence.

Cunningham made a motion to approve the minutes from February 3, 2022. Hepler seconded the motion. Motion carried.

PUBLIC INPUT:

Gerald Cortez spoke on behalf of the residents from Lundy's Lane and Northwestern Drive. He expressed concern with the condition of the road and various drainage issues. He was also concerned with how the water company made the road worse. Supervisor Hepler said we will reach out to Taylor Engineering to see what can be done.

NEW BUSINESS:

- A motion was made by Cunningham, seconded by Weingartner to approve the modification request for Mley Subdivision. Motion carried.
- A motion was made by Hepler to approve the Mley Subdivision subject to favorable recommendation from Wayne Township Planning Commission. Weingartner seconded the motion. Motion carried.
- PennDOT submitted their response to the Wampum Road safety study. They made three recommendations on improvements that shall be made by Wayne Township.
 - 1.) Replace any faded "No Parking" signs along S.R. 288 near the Ellwood City limits.
 - 2.) Replace faded "Truck Crossing" sign on S.R. 288 near Mason Street.
 - 3.) Increase enforcement along S.R. 288 focusing on the area near the horseshoe curve.

PennDOT said they will be responsible for replacing numerous "SLOW Curve" pavement markings along S.R. 288 within Wayne Township limits.

- Hepler made a motion to accept the application submitted by John Haine for the vacant position on the Wayne Township Sewer Authority Board. Cunningham seconded the motion. Motion carried.
- Hepler made a motion to increase the wage of the Secretary/Treasurer and to make it retroactive back to January 3, 2022. Weingartner seconded the motion. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Verification of the sale of Salt Spreader to Ellwood City Borough for \$1800.00
- Cunningham made a motion to advertise for two vacancies and one alternate on the Zoning Hearing Board. Motion seconded by Hepler. Motion carried.

APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL REPORT:

A motion was made by Hepler to approve the financial report. Motion seconded by Cunningham. Motion carried.

BILLS TO BE APPROVED:

Hepler made a motion to approve to pay the bills. Motion seconded by Weingartner. Motion carried.

AUDITORS REPORT:

Bob Cunningham reported that the Auditors met in February. He suggested that the Township Supervisors should purchase a timeclock for all employees to use. He also recommended that all expenditures are accompanied by a receipt. It was suggested by Ken Herrmann, CPA that the Auditors or Supervisors should sign off on all bank reconciliations.

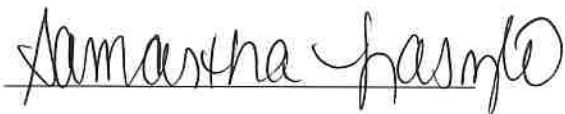
SOLICITORS REPORT: Nothing to Report

POLICE REPORT: 15 Calls for Service – 0 Accidents – 0 Citations – 0 Criminal Complaints – 7 Traffic Stops

SUPERVISORS REPORT:

Cunningham conveyed that the JCB Backhoe was inactive. A technician would be in to diagnose and repair the issue. Cunningham also stated that the Township Police Vehicle is in need of serious repair. He is going to take a look at it.

A motion was made by Hepler to adjourn. Cunningham seconded the motion. Motion carried.



Samantha Laszlo, Secretary/Treasurer