

ANTHONY TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS

Regular Monthly Meeting
Wednesday September 4, 2019

The meeting was called to order by Richard R. Hess, Chair, at 7:00 P.M. In attendance were Supervisors Richard R. Hess, Dennis Sheatler and William Hartman and 15 visitors.

All motions are approved unanimously unless otherwise noted.

Richard Hess made a motion to approve the minutes of the August 7, 2019 monthly meeting. Second Dennis Sheatler.

Richard Hess made a motion to approve the Treasurer's report for August. Second William Hartman.

Richard Hess made a motion to approve payment of the bills for September. Second Dennis Sheatler.

Richard Hess made a motion to approve the work session minutes for August 27, 2019. Second William Hartman. Vote 2 yea. Dennis Sheatler abstained because he was not in attendance.

Old Business:

There was two zoning permits issued for \$135.00 for the month of August.

Roadmaster Frank Rishel presented a report on the road work done in August. William Summers of Gearhart Road questioned the removal of stone along Gearhart Road. He believes the work was done in Northumberland County. The board will ask Frank about this.

Richard Hess read a Zoning non-compliance letter concerning a camper on Walburn road.

William Hartman reported on the meeting concerning the amendment to the current Zoning Ordinance. On Tuesday September 17, 2019 at the Commissioners meeting the amended Zoning Ordinance will be on the agenda for approval.

William Sartwell was given a written response from the 911 center concerning his question last meeting about simultaneous calls during emergencies.

Penny reported on the monies that have been received so far from FEMA.

Richard Hess made a motion to allow Penny Rishel to move forward to apply for a credit line of \$110,000 from Turbotville National Bank at a rate of 2.75% to help with the cost of road maintenance. Second William Hartman.

New Business:

Todd Ulrich was in attendance and is planning on building a home along PPL Road. PennDOT stated that in order for him to acquire a driveway permit the speed limit on that road will need to be reduced to 45 mph. Anthony Township needs to send a letter to request a traffic study in order for this to happen. Richard Hess made a motion to send a letter to Sandra Tosca at PennDOT requesting this study. Second Dennis Sheatler.

The condition of the 1990 GMC was discussed. It will cost anywhere between \$4,000 and \$5,000 to repair it. The maintenance records show that it is not worth putting more money into it. Richard Hess made a motion to sell it for scrap after taking all the usable tires and parts are removed. Second William Hartman.

Richard Hess made a motion to pay for five (5) dinners for employees that attend the Montour County Annual Township Officials Convention on Thursday October 17, 2019 at the Montour DeLong Fair building. Second William Hartman.

Dennis Sheatler made a motion to pay for ½ page advertisement in the convention book at a cost of \$65.00. Second Richard Hess.

Richard Hess made a motion to allow Frank to attend an 811 PA One Call seminar on Monday September 9, 2019 at the Holiday Inn in Williamsport. Second Dennis Sheatler.

The LED bulbs have been installed in the meeting room and office and the LED lights have been installed in the basement.

Auditor General Representative came to the township on September 3, 2019 to audit the Liquid Fuels fund. No findings.

Public Comment:

Several in attendance questioned the surface of Stamm Road. Not as smooth as PennDOT roads.

Ed Sones asked if the township is planning on mowing again. Betz Road is in need.

Jack Kirkner said there is a spot on School House Lane that needs patching.

There being no further official business Dennis Sheatler made a motion to adjourn at 8:02 PM. Second Richard Hess.

Submitted by,

Penny Jo Rishel, Secretary/Treasurer

CORRESPONDENCE FOR SEPTEMBER

Montour County

Montour County Conservation District

E & S plan for barnyard project for Keith Fletcher

Montour County Board of Assessment Appeals—Real Estate Deed Change

Matthew Bets to Clay & Betsy Fahringer Walburn Road

Jerry & Brendi Brooke to Jason & Alicia Trauger Gearhart Road

Matthew Gerst to Robert & Kenda Rung Preserve Road

Shane & Sadie Reichenbach to John & Alexa Spinella Mingle Road

Miscellaneous Correspondence:

Larson Design Group—GP-11 Permit Application for bridge on T361 Foggy Mtn. Road

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Pennsylvania Hardwoods Development Council Information packet