ORANGE TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS REGULAR MEETING

2028 STATE ROUTE 487

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November 5, 2020

Call to Order:

The meeting of the Orange Township Supervisors was called to order at 7:30 pm by Calvin Fox. Attending were, Supervisor John Long, Secretary/Treasurer Erika Burkhart, Supervisor Gene "Dan" Fetterman. Attending by teleconference were Zoning Officer/SEO Chris Bower, Police Chief Daniel Patel, John and Jennifer Thackray, Don Bogert, Nathanial Flook, Pat Brewster.

Minutes: The minutes of the October 1, 2020 and October 22, 2020 meetings were presented and approved.

Recognition of Guests: Pat Brewster provided pricing for an electronics recycling day in the amount of \$750 and \$400 for an additional 4 hours. She made sure the Board was aware the Zeisloft campground case was settled at the PA Supreme Court level and Zeisloft was denied. Chris Bower explained Zeisloft will have to reclaim the property in order to drop the mining permit unless he has proper permits for another use. Ms. Brewster stated her concern over the contents of barrels turned on their sides on Zeisloft property and asked what she can do about them. Mr. Bower explained the Township has no authority to go onto private property and she could talk to DEP to see if storage barrels were allowed on site. Ms. Brewster inquired about the campground ordinance. Calvin Fox explained the ordinance was not complete. Ms. Brewster inquired about the Mount Pleasant sewer study. It was explained the study should be done in or around January. Nathanial Flook inquired if his variance hearing had been scheduled. Chris Bower stated it will be either November 30, December 1 or 2.

Treasurers Report

General Fund	207071.88
State Fund	261056.57
Mt. Plsnt Sewer	48202.47 (includes 17574.50 loan)
Woods Edge Sewer	2790.48

Bills: Supervisor John Long made a motion to approve the paid bills. Dan Fetterman seconded. Motion approved.

Police Report:

Zoning and SEO Report: Chris Bower issued a few permits in October, received the Flook pool fence variance application and is working on putting a hearing together.

Mt. Pleasant Sewer: Erika Burkhart spoke with Alec Engleman today and he stated the plant was running well.

Woods Edge Sewer: Erika Burkhart spoke with Alec Engleman today and he stated the plant was running well. There was a small issue with a diffuser earlier in the month but it was taken care of immediately.

Roadmaster: Calvin Fox reported the road crew replaced a pipe on Savage Hollow. They used the box blade to regrade some roads and placed stone on all of the regraded roads. Replaced tires on loader and cleaned the rims.

Old Business:

EXCESS ROAD MAINTENANCE/WILLIAMS: The agreement is signed as a bond was provided.

PMRS PLAN CHANGES: John Long made a motion to pass the ordinance to amend the PMRS plan to include a 4.5% municipal contribution. Dan Fetterman seconded. Motion approved.

WOODS EDGE UPGRADES: Erika Burkhart explained each of the contractors were provided bid specs then met with John Bauer at the plant for explanation on the job. The bid results were as follows: AR Sokol 9764.00, Chip Adams Sewer and Drain 14890.00, Roto Rooter 4880.00. John Long made a motion to award the bid to Roto Rooter. Dan Fetterman seconded. Motion approved.

New Business:

2021 BUDGET: John Long made a motion to accept and advertise the proposed budget. Dan Fetterman seconded. Motion approved. The guests were notified if they wanted to inspect the budget, it could be emailed to them.

2021 MMO: The minimum municipal obligation for 2021 was reported.

For the Good of the Township:

Don Bogert expressed concern about a tree hanging on Stoneybrook Road. Calvin Fox stated he would check on getting it taken care of.

Adjournment: With no further business left to discuss, Supervisor John Long made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Supervisor Dan Fetterman seconded, motion approved. The meeting was adjourned at 8:20 pm.

Respectively Submitted,

Erika Burkhart

Orange Township Secretary/Treasurer