

ORANGE TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS REGULAR MEETING

2028 STATE ROUTE 487

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December 2, 2021

Call to Order:

The meeting of the Orange Township Supervisors was called to order at 7:30 pm by Chairman Calvin Fox. Attending were, Supervisor John Long, Secretary/Treasurer Erika Burkhart, Supervisor Gene "Dan" Fetterman, Chris Bower, Police Chief Daniel Patel, Grif Jones, Stephen Kistler, Kevin Evans, John and Jen Thackray, James Vance, Don Bogert, Terry Bogert.

Minutes: The minutes of the November 4, 2021 meeting were presented and approved.

Recognition of Guests: Don and Terry Bogert asked if the Township would be cutting the tree limb that hangs over McHenry Hill Road, Erika Burkhart will call the property owner where the tree is located and see if there is anything they would be willing to do anything to remove the limb.

Mt. Pleasant Sewer: No report.

Woods Edge Sewer: No report.

Treasurers Report:

General Fund	196795.43
ARPA	64582.64
State Fund	157823.20
Mt. Plsnt Sewer	44155.19
Woods Edge Sewer	4748.02

Bills: Supervisor John Long made a motion to approve the paid bills. Dan Fetterman seconded. Motion approved. John Long made a motion to borrow \$4600 from the General Fund to pay for the paving in Woods Edge. Dan Fetterman seconded. Motion approved.

Police Report:

Zoning and SEO Report: Chris Bower reported he issued a few permits.

Roadmaster: Calvin Fox reported they have been repairing equipment, preparing trucks for winter, and borrowed the County's leaf blower.

Old Business:

SOLAR/ZONING: There was a public meeting November 15 and there will be another one December 6.

2022 BUDGET: John Long stated the budget was advertised and displayed and made a motion to approve the 2022 budget. Dan Fetterman seconded. Motion approved.

New Business:

2022 TAX COLLECTOR RESOLUTION: 12022021-1 John Long made a motion to appoint Columbia County tax office as Orange township tax collector for 2022. Dan Fetterman seconded. Motion approved.

2022 INDEPENDENT AUDITOR RESOLUTION: 12022021-2 John Long made a motion to pass the resolution to appoint an independent auditor for the fiscal year 2021. Dan Fetterman seconded. Motion approved.

2022 SLUDGE HAULING: Roto Rooter \$0.10, Chapin \$0.10, Chip Adams \$0.115 each bid was for both sewer plants. John Long made a motion to hire Roto Rooter to pump both Mount Pleasant and Woods Edge WWTP for 2022. Dan Fetterman seconded. Motion approved.

2022 MEETING DATES: January 3 7:00 p.m. and the first Thursday of each month from February through December at 7:30 p.m. Budget meeting will be October 27 at 7:30 p.m

For the Good of the Township: Calvin Fox explained he was waiting on the property owner to return the contract for Stoneybrook in order for the Township to gain access to the property.

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 8:08pm.

Respectively Submitted,

Erika Burkhart

Orange Township Secretary/Treasurer