

ORANGE TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS REGULAR MEETING

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Call to Order:

The meeting of the Orange Township Supervisors was called to order at 7:30 pm by Calvin Fox, attending were, Supervisor Gene “Dan” Fetterman, Secretary/Treasurer Erika Burkhart, Orangeville Area Police Chief Daniel Patel, Flint and Sharon Kressler, Courtney and Stephanie Williams, John and Jennifer Thackray, Pat Brewster, Judy and Steve Hoffman, Ellen Scamahorn, Suzanne Moore, Carla Travelpiece.

Minutes: The minutes of September 3, 2019 meeting were presented and approved.

Recognition of Guests: Flint Kressler commented the Hartman Hollow pipes that had been replaced looked good but he was concerned about a spot on the road that needed paving. Calvin Fox assured him that it would be paved over when the State finished the agility work. Pat Brewster said Crawford did an excellent job on the demolitions on Mount Pleasant Road. Judy Hoffman asked the Board if they would agree to take care of maintenance to the walk in cooler/freezer and presented a bill from Menco Mechanical. Ms. Hoffman also told the Board the food bank would like to have another food fiveaway that would take place on the 4th Saturday of the month. She stated this giveaway would start in October, on a trial basis. The Board of Supervisors did not have a problem with this. Calvin Fox responded to Ms. Hoffman by reviewing a letter the Board drafted to be presented to the Food Bank. The letter is attached to these minutes. Briefly, the letter states the Board would maintain the walk-ins. The letter also addresses the request made by the food bank for the Township to donate to the food bank electric bill. It outlines all of the services the Township already provides to the food bank. In the letter the Board explained this is the Township’s donation. Mr. Fox also touched on the fact 2 representatives from the food bank came to a meeting to ask if they could have their own electric meter and the Township Board agreed to allow this. The letter would be sent to the Food Bank.

Treasurers Report

Account:	Balance:
General Fund	92549.27 (received \$44000 in flood money from 2018)
State Fund	268500.62
Mt. Plsnt Sewer	8418.55 (19096.50 for loan for sewer study)
Woods Edge Sewer	1471.54

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

Police Report: Read aloud

Zoning and SEO Report: Erika Burkhart reported the Mill has been demolished and they are working on the barn on Rhorsburg Road.

Mount Pleasant Sewer: John Bauer reported everything is ok.

Woods Edge Sewer: John Bauer reported everything is ok.

Roadmaster: Calvin Fox reported the pipes have been replaced on Savage Hill, McHenry Hill, and Hartman Hollow. They removed trees, mowed and cut brush back.

Old Business:

TOWNSHIP DRIVEWAY/PARKING AREA: Calvin Fox is still waiting on an estimate from Paul Sokol.

BUYOUT DEMOLITIONS: Erika Burkhart stated the demolitions are completed, the wells need to be capped before the final inspection.

AUGUST 2018 FLOOD UPDATE: \$33000 from FEMA have been received. Still waiting on PEMA money.

RECYCLING: The recycling program has been discontinued at this time due to the extreme increase in recycling costs. The township will try to find a solution to this as quickly as possible.

CREEK GRANT UPDATE: Erika Burkhart explained she is waiting for Chip Grose to return a call regarding obtaining a permit to enter the creek.

New Business:

UTILITY EASEMENT DOLLAR GENERAL: John Long made a motion to pass the overhead utility easement for the Dollar General electric line. Dan Fetterman seconded. Motion approved.

2020 LIQUID FUELS: The amount of 99009.68 will be received in March 2020.

PMRS MMO: Erika Burkhart presented the 2020 PMRS MMO. The balance due for the year will be \$40.

HRG PROPOSAL FOR WOODS EDGE UPGRADES: John Long made a motion to approve the proposal to write a new Water Quality Management Permit and install the proper equipment in order to comply with DEP requirements. Dan Fetterman seconded. Motion approved.

Correspondence:

For the good of the Township: Calvin Fox explained the Township had a tour of the compressor station.

Adjournment: With no further business left to discuss, Supervisor Dan Fetterman made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Supervisor John Long seconded, motion approved. The meeting was adjourned at 8:10 pm.

Respectively Submitted,

Erika Burkhart

Orange Township Secretary/Treasurer