

**PENN TOWNSHIP
MINUTES
July 6, 2010**

The Penn Township Board of Supervisors held their regular meeting on Tuesday, July 6, 2010 at the Municipal Building, 228 Clifford Road, Selinsgrove, Snyder County, Pennsylvania. Chairman William Moyer called the meeting to order at 7:00PM. Supervisors present: William Moyer, Fred Ulrich. Absent: Brian Wentzel. Others present: Secretary/Treasurer Robin Bieber; Jeff Edmunds. Members of the Public: Kathy Ulrich; Carl Kratzer; Pat Nace; Ken Stettler; Pete DeWire; Don Harnum.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of the June 15, 2010 meeting were approved as presented upon motion by Fred Ulrich, seconded by Bill Moyer, and approved.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Pete DeWire was present to update the Board on progress at East Snyder Park. Discussion was held regarding installing public sewer to the park as planned. Mr. DeWire explained that an 8" main line (gravity) from the existing manhole to the Park property can be installed for approximately \$11,550.00. Additional costs will include the PTMA permit and the engineering costs. It was noted that the pump station will be donated by ASP. Motion to pay the costs of installing 88' section of sewer line and the permit by Fred Ulrich, seconded by Bill Moyer and approved.

Pat Nace was present to ask if the Board has received word from Penn Dot regarding any planned work to be done at the intersection of Route 522 and University Avenue/Salem Road. No word has been received. Ms Nace also stated she would like to see the speed limit in Graysonview Court lowered to 15mph. Regarding the tree on University Avenue which blocks line of sight from Graysonview Court onto University Avenue, Ms Nace was instructed to contact Penn Dot.

Ken Stettler, DH&L Fire Company, was present with the May report which included 36 incidents with 14 in Penn Township. Mr. Stettler also presented the June report which included 30 incidents with 5 in Penn Township. As requested, information will be provided regarding the number of accidents at the intersection of Route 522 and University Avenue/Salem Road.

PERSONS PRESENT TO BE HEARD

No Persons Present to be Heard at this time.

REPORTS

Roadmaster Brian Wentzel was absent due to a family emergency.

Tom Snyder, Zoning Officer, reported 48 zoning permits year-to-date. Been receiving questions regarding deed restriction issues. Also a problem with people not picking up certified mail (regarding high grass). Solicitor Edmunds stated a letter sent regular mail should be sent at the same time as the certified mail. Everything should be documented clearly.

Robin Bieber, Township Secretary, reported that the new office computer is up and running.

Emergency Management Coordinator Fred Ulrich verified that the winning bidder of the traffic signal bid has been notified.

Chairman William Moyer had nothing to report.

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OLD BUSINESS

The new storage building was tabled until next meeting.

The following people will be added to the employee list provided they are able to pass a drug and alcohol test and clear a background check: Thomas Wallish, Randy Gearhart, and Brandon Sechrist. This upon motion by Fred Ulrich, seconded by Bill Moyer and approved. It was noted that their starting wage will be \$12.00/hr.

NEW BUSINESS

A Conditional Use Hearing that was to be held on July 6, 2010 at 6:30PM for St Monica Daycare to open a daycare business in the St Pius X Church located on Fairview Drive was not held due to lack of interest from St Monica's Daycare and no general public present.

The resignation of William Vance, Penn Township Auditor, was reviewed and accepted with regret. Mr. Vance will be sent a letter of thanks for time served. Dallas Spigelmyer was appointed as a Penn Township Auditor upon motion of Fred Ulrich, seconded by Bill Moyer and approved. It was noted that Mr. Spigelmyer will serve until the end of the next Municipal Election year, which is 2011.

The Belmar resident who complains of neighbors burning will be asked to contact the Township the next time the burning is occurring. Due to the dryness and lack of rain, Snyder County will be sent a request for a burn ban.

The bank at the Penn Valley Airport will be mowed by Penn Township as requested by the Airport at no charge upon motion by Fred Ulrich, seconded by Bill Moyer and approved.

CORRESPONDENCE

PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND PAYROLL

Upon motion of Fred Ulrich, seconded by Bill Moyer, and approved, the accounts payable and payroll were approved as presented.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn was made by Fred Ulrich, seconded by Bill Moyer, and approved. No further business to discuss, the July 6, 2010 meeting adjourned at 7:45PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Robin Bieber,
Township Secretary