

September 21, 2015

The regular monthly meeting of the Mahoning Township Supervisors was held this evening at the Township Municipal Building at 4:30 PM.

Members of the Board present:

Christine DeLong, Chairperson
Wayne Myers, Vice-Chairman
Dave Barron, Supervisor

Also attending was:

Ryan Tira, Solicitor	Adam Santucci, Special Counsel
Joe Sylvester, Daily Item	Leslie Young, Fire Chief
George Wagner	Bill Greenly
Charles & Bertie Gatski	Fran & Linda Moyer
Deb Williams	Brian Achy
Emma Jean Jordan	Chris Krepich, Press Enterprise
Jean Hagenbuch	Molly Shultz
Linda Rea	Linda Weaver
Ryan Troup	Bill Lynn
Nancy Hodge	Robert Blee
Tom & Robin Kessler	April Harris
Dan Hartman	Mary Ellen Bomboy
Linda Nedoff Weckter	Richard Spotts
Joseph Diehl	Sherri Dewald
Bob Swanson	Peggy Warntz
Lori Piekewyer	Richard Johns
Marlene Gunther	Sharon & Glen Wintersteen
Sue Kauwell	Ken & Jackie Woodruff
Mary Ann Landi	

EXECUTIVE SESSIONS: Held Monday, August 17, 2015 after meeting, August 24, 25, 26, September 4, September 15, 2015 for personnel matters. One was called today following workshop for legal issues.

PUBLIC COMMENT

ACADEMY & BLOOM SIGNS: Mrs. Landi was annoyed that she was directed to go to PA DOT to inquire about cross walk signs, when PA DOT advised that it is the township that must request the sign change. We will contact PA DOT.

Residents want answers to whether or not there will be a Christmas Party, the budget, incorrect LST forms on the web, whether or not there is a weight limit on Bald Top and updates to the 537 plan for sewage on Bald Top.

MINUTES & TREASURER'S REPORT: Minutes of the previous meeting of August 17, 2015 were approved with no alterations or corrections, motion Mr. Myers, second Mr. Barron. Treasurer's Report for the month of August 2015 was accepted by motion of Mr. Myers, second Mr. Barron.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

SOLICITOR: N/A

ZONING/UCC: Mr. VonBlohn presented his report at workshop

POLICE DEPARTMENT: September monthly report submitted.

STREET DEPARTMENT: Submitted September workshop report from this morning.

LINE PAINTING: Two quotes received; DiAngelo at \$6,740 and Alpha Space at \$9,520. Motion made by Mr. Myers, second Mr. Barron to accept the low bid.

RED LANE CORE SAMPLE: Quotes were received from Bill Mader and reviewed by the engineer and Street Department to try and figure out what is causing the depression on Red Lane. By motion of Mr. Myers, second Mr. Barron the Board agreed to have Mr. Mader proceed with the air rotary test at a cost of \$4,700.

ENGINEER: September report submitted at workshop this morning, the following action was required by the Board:

LOT CONSOLIDATION FOR THE NEID PROPERTY DEEDS OF DEDICATION FOR PORTION OF WOODBINE – NEID PROPERTY BALD TOP FARM LOT CONSOLIDATION

All three aforementioned plans were recommended for approval both by the engineer and the Planning Commission. By motion of Mr. Myers, second Mr. Barron, the Board acted on the recommendations and granted approval.

FIRE: August Report submitted by the Chief.

OLD BUSINESS

No old business.

NEW BUSINESS

SPECIAL EVENTS PERMIT: The following events were approved by the Board, with two conditions: that no permanent markings be placed on the roads for any of the events, and that the township cannot promise police service for route control, as in doing so we would be in an overtime situation.

Motion in favor, Mr. Myers, second Mrs. DeLong. Mr. Barron abstained from the vote.

Trunks with Treats Trinity UM Church October 25, 2015
2015 Turkey Trot Geisinger November 14, 2015

TRICK OR TREAT: The Board agreed to have residents Trick or Treat on Saturday, October 31, 2015, dusk until 9. Motion in favor, Mr. Myers, second Mr. Barron

LEAF COLLECTION: Set to begin October 12th from 7 AM to 3PM, Mondays and Fridays, continuing up to Tuesday, December 1, 2015 to make up for the lapse in coverage over the Thanksgiving holiday. Motion in favor, Mr. Myers, second Mr. Barron

2016 BUDGET: Has been prepared, and presented. The final proposed budget was presented for tentative approval, and will be opened for inspection to be considered for adoption at the November meeting. Motion in favor, Mr. Myers, second Mr. Barron.

RESIGNATION: Board accepted the resignation of Corporal Daniel Patel effective, September 17, 2015, motion in favor, Mr. Myers, second Mr. Barron.

ACCEPT RESUMES FOR PATROL OFFICERS: By motion of Mr. Myers, second Mr. Barron, the Board instructed the secretary to advertise for one full-time and two part-time patrol officer positions. Resumes directed to the Township Supervisors may be dropped off or mail during regular business hours and will be accepted until October 9, 2015 at 4 PM.

OCTOBER MEETING CHANGE: Motion in favor, Mr. Myers, second Mr. Barron to reschedule and advertise the October workshop and meeting from October 19 to October 12, 2015.

Mr. Myers motioned in favor of authorizing and approving the payrolls and bills for September 2015 and also to adjourn, Mr. Barron seconded.