

**September 27, 2021, Meeting Minutes- held at the Mahoning Township Building, 849 Bloom Road, Danville, PA**

**Members of the Board present:** Chairman Bill Lynn, Supervisors, Molly Shultz, John Whelan, TS Scott, Larry Robertson, Solicitor Jon DeWald, Treasurer Ken Houck, Zoning Officer Jim Dragano, Police Chief Fred Dyroff, Secretary Carolyn Dragano, Fire Chief Leslie Young, DSI Lead Lloyd Craig & Engineer Drew Barton

**Present via Audio Video:**

**Also present:** Glen Cromley, Julie Focht, Jim Cook, Dennis Dowd and Carol Nevius,

ALL VOTING WILL BE CONSIDERED UNANIMOUS UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

The meeting started with the group saying the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Chairman Lynn asked for any public comment related to the agenda items**

Residents Dennis Dowd and Carol Nevius expressed concerns about water & flooding issues from all the rain on Bloom Road.

**Police Chief Dyroff gave his report:**

Chief Dyroff briefly discussed trainings that Officer Fenstermaker and Officer Bedisky attended. Each one attended a different one.

Chief Dyroff said the vaccine protest at Geisinger was very peaceful and that they had no issues.

**Treasurer Ken Houck**

Ken discussed the 2022 Minimum Municipal Obligation (MMO) Pension Plan for uniformed and un-uniformed employees. **Supervisor Scott motioned to adopt the uniformed MMO as presented by the treasurer. Supervisor Robertson seconded. Motion passed. Supervisor Scott motioned to approve the un-uniformed MMO as presented by the treasurer. Supervisor Whelan seconded. Motion passed.**

**Engineer Drew Barton gave his report**

A lengthy discussion was held concerning storm water management on the eastern end of the township. There were multiple locations discussed with possible remedies. The zoning office will do research for Lloyd on what basins are owned/not owned by the township. **Supervisor Scott motioned to authorize DSI to apply the plate to minimize the outfall for the opening on the basin near Woodland Drive and Kaseville Road. Supervisor Shultz seconded. Motion passed.**

Supervisor Scott directed the engineer to do his homework on investigating the how much it will cost to clean out basin at Woodland Drive.

Drew discussed washed out rocks at the Bunker. **Supervisor Shultz motioned to approve Robert C. Young to fix the area at the Bunker and replace the rock for \$8,750. Supervisor Robertson seconded. Motion passed.**

Drew briefly discussed the multimodal grant project that is due November 20<sup>th</sup> and will discuss more, closer to due date.

**Solicitor Jon DeWald – had no report**

**Zoning Officer Jim Dragano** discussed the solar ordinance they are working on that they plan on running by the Joint Planning Commission.

**DSI Lead Lloyd Craig gave his report and discussed:**

Lloyd discussed 2022 salt contract for \$65.65 per ton for rock salt. \$2.64 increase. The supplier is now American Rock Salt. Our target is 300 tons and are obligated to take 60% of that

Lloyd said there are still minor water issues on Eyer Road near Leighow Oil, with water coming out of the parking lot across the roadway, which will cause ice issues when it gets cold. Solicitor Jon will look into this.

Resident Julie Focht, Edgewood Drive, expressed concerns about water basin issues near her home.

**Fire Chief Leslie Young gave her report and discussed:**

Chief Young discussed the Turkey Shoot coming up that will be held at the fire Company. Date is Friday, November 19<sup>th</sup> from 5pm to 9pm. No motion is required for this.

**Unfinished Business – No comment**

Chairman Lynn said they had two executive sessions since the last meeting. One on the 20<sup>th</sup> for personnel and one on the 23<sup>rd</sup> was a legal session.

**Chairman Lynn asked for the board for new business:**

Resident Jim Cook expressed concerns about line of sight and speeding issues near Kaseville Road and Ivy Manor. DSI Lead Lloyd discussed possibly painting vascar lines to curtail the speeding issue on Kaseville. Zoning Officer Jim Dragano and Engineer Drew will review the sight regulations/requirements for Ivy Manor.

**Supervisor Shultz motioned to approve donations to the Area Agency on Aging and Hero's Fund of \$100.00 each. Supervisor Robertson seconded. Motion passed.**

Chairman Lynn said the Leaf Collection start date will be Tuesday, October 26<sup>th</sup>. Last pick-up date will be Thursday, December 16<sup>th</sup>. Details are available on the website.

Halloween Trick or Treat night will be Saturday, October 30, 2021, from 6pm to 9pm.

**Chairman Lynn asked for public comment not related to new business: No Comment.**

**Supervisor Shultz motioned to pay the bills and adjourn. Supervisor Whelan seconded. Motion passed.**

This meeting was recorded. These minutes reflect the events and dialog during the meeting but are not transcribed verbatim.

All Reports are available at the Township Building

Carolyn Dragano, Secretary