# May 8, 2023, Meeting Minutes- held at the Mahoning Township Building, 849 Bloom Road, Danville, PA, at 5:30pm

**Members of the Board present**: Chairman Bill Lynn, Vice-Chairman John Whelan, Supervisor's Glen Cromley, Andy Lysiak, Zoning Officer Dean VonBlohn, Secretary Carolyn Dragano, DSI Lead Lloyd Craig, Fire Chief Leslie Young, Police Chief Fred Dyroff, Solicitor Jonathan DeWald, Engineer Drew Barton

**Also present:** Rick Dandes from Danville News, Terri Craig, Nancy Whelan, Brad Herrold, Maria Harding, Tom Conlin & Linda Rea.

# 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. No comments.

# Police Chief Fred Dyroff gave the police report and discussed:

Chief Dyroff briefly discussed the saturation patrol and warrant service detail conducted on April 27<sup>th</sup> by the Montour County law enforcement. He said in all, uniformed officers issued 42 traffic citations, 44 warnings, and 1 DUI arrest were made because of this combined effort.

## Treasurer Ken Houck was not available.

## **Engineer Drew Barton:**

From unfinished business, Engineer Barton would like to use the \$27,000 grant from Montour Soil Conservation Office towards various potential sites throughout the Whisper Hills Development for the MS4 Improvement plan project. They are at 20 Horizon Drive, 111 Skyward Drive, 86 Skyward Drive, and (2) at the end of Clearview Ave. Drew said he thinks this will cost more than \$27,000, however, he recommends going for all the lots chosen above, just in case we have enough money. If that sounds good, he will work on starting the work. Solicitor DeWald said no motion is required on this. Supervisors said to proceed.

## **Solicitor Jonathan DeWald:**

From unfinished business, Solicitor DeWald would like the board to move to advertise the ordinance discussed at the last meeting concerning changes & updates to specific sections of the parking ordinance for modern technology on how tickets are issued, how citations are issued, opportunity to pay online, doubling of the fine after 10 days and referring delinquent tickets to collection agencies with a maximum \$15 adder as well as attaching 6% interest. The board approved Solicitor DeWald to move forward with advertising and will vote to approve at the next meeting.

# **Zoning Officer Dean VonBlohn:**

Dean discussed properties that need to be cleaned up.

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

Lloyd said they are still waiting on the lights to come in for the river bridge.

Lloyd said he would like a few more weeks to do some research on the guiderails. He thinks by using our own workforce plus some of our used guiderails, he can keep the costs down. Maybe then we won't have to advertise.

Lloyd briefly discussed the incident they had today with their dump truck. The amesite plant gave them 16.5 tons of amesite instead of 6.5 tons. He said the amesite company has agreed to take care of any issues.

Supervisor Whelan discussed the issues resident Greg Bitler is having with water on his driveway, at the corner of Lombard Ave. & Maple Street, since the paving was done on Lombard Ave. Lloyd will check into this.

Resident Maria Harding expressed concerns about the absence of streetlights on Schoolhouse Road. Chairman Lynn said they'd take it into consideration.

# Fire Chief Leslie Young gave the March Fire Report and discussed:

Fire Chief Young said April was extremely busy.

Chief Young said the stand they had at the Danville Spring Fling was very well received.

# **Unfinished business:**

Engineer Barton said we are getting close to finishing the comprehensive plan for review and discussion.

Engineer Barton briefly discussed the additional landscaping on the Edgewood Project, requested by residents from Edgewood.

## **Chairman's Report on Executive Sessions Held Prior to Meeting:**

Chairman Lynn said they had no executive sessions since the last meeting.

#### **New Business:**

Supervisor Whelan recognized and made a Proclamation for the upcoming EMS week, from May 21-27th, 2023, In honor of EMS week, Supervisor Whelan thanked. Supervisor Whelan motioned that we sign the proclamation. Chairman Lynn seconded. Motion passed.

Supervisor Whelan said Dumpster Day will be held at a new location this year. The tentative date for Dumpster Day this year will be Saturday, August 12, 2023, at Danville Child Development Center, located at 1459 Bloom Road, Cooper Twp., from 8am-11am. Residents must show proof of residency. Chairman Lynn motioned to approve Dumpster Day on August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Supervisor Whelan seconded. Motion passed. Full details for Dumpster Day will be posted on the website later this week.

Chairman Lynn and Supervisor Whelan briefly discussed electronics recycling services and shredding services available throughout the community.

Supervisor Cromley motioned to approve the April Supervisors minutes. Supervisor Lysiak seconded. Motion passed.

## **Reminders:**

Chairman Lynn reminded residents that the next yard waste pickup date is next Tuesday, May 16<sup>th</sup>.

# Public comment not related to new business:

Resident Brad Harold expressed concerns again about the ongoing rooster issue on Red Lane. He said the noise is still bad, even with the pen and cover. This will be discussed further at the next meeting.

Supervisor Whelan motioned to pay the bills. Supervisor Cromley seconded. Motion passed.

Supervisor Whelan motioned to adjourn. Supervisor Lysiak seconded. Motion passed.

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

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Carolyn Dragano, Secretary