

CENTRE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MINUTES OF

SEPTEMBER 22, 2020

The regular monthly meeting of the Centre Township Board of Supervisors was held on September 22, 2020 at the Centre Township Municipal Building, 449 Bucks Hill Road, Mohrsville, PA. Due to COVID – 19, public was not in attendance. The agenda was posted on the website and the township doors. Vice-Chairman Charles Zimmerman called the meeting to order at 7:04 P.M. and led the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by a Moment of Silence. The following were present: Chairman Jason Troutman, arriving at 7:15, Vice Chairman Charles Zimmerman and Member James Fitterling, Attorney Elizabeth Magovern, Engineer Ryan Rhode, Code Officials Jeff Fiant and Scott Anderson and Secretary Cheryl Haus.

HEARING OF VISITORS ON AGENDA ITEMS- NONE

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion was made by James Fitterling to approve the minutes from August 25, 2020. Seconded by Charles Zimmerman. Upon roll call, Zimmerman and Fitterling voted yes.

PAYMENT OF BILLS

A motion was made by James Fitterling to approve payment of the bills. Seconded by Charles Zimmerman. Upon roll call, Fitterling and Zimmerman voted yes.

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS / SOLICITORS REPORT – ELIZABETH MAGOVERN -

The meeting was recessed at 7:07 p.m. for an executive session regarding litigation. The meeting was reconvened at 7:32 p.m.

ROAD DEPARTMENT

The Road Department patched roads, cut shoulders, worked on signs, installed a pipe on Irish Creek Road, etc.

ENGINEER'S REPORT – RYAN RHODE –

The 2020 Drainage project was awarded to Bertolet Construction, paperwork has been received and the contracts were presented for the Board to sign.

ZONING OFFICER REPORT – Jeff Fiant –

Codes Official Jeff Fiant discussed an off-road racetrack on Centerport Road. Letters will go out to neighbors.

8 permits were issued with a value of \$114,269.00

Mr. Fiant will check on the property @ 2820 Irish Creek Road where a pipe has been filled in with pea gravel.

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SEO REPORT – No report received.

NEW BUSINESS

A motion was made by Charles Zimmerman and seconded by James Fitterling to approve the 2021 MMO (Minimum Municipal Obligation) for the township pension plan in the amount of \$3,782.72. Upon roll call, Zimmerman, Fitterling and Troutman voted yes.

A motion was made by Charles Zimmerman and seconded by James Fitterling to approve the 2021 MMO (Minimum Municipal Obligation) for the police pension plan in the amount of \$.00(fully funded). Upon roll call, Zimmerman, Fitterling and Troutman voted yes.

A motion was made by James Fitterling and seconded by Jason Troutman to re-authorize the Long Annexation plan, due to expiration of the 90-day recording requirement. Upon roll call, Fitterling, Troutman and Zimmerman voted yes.

A notice from the Department of the Auditor General regarding the Township Pension Plan Total Distress Score of 0 was received. The pensions are fully funded.

MISCELLANEOUS

A motion was made by Jason Troutman and seconded by Charles Zimmerman to purchase two lime green Watch Children signs with posts and sleeves at a cost of approximately \$272.00 for installation at 721 Tilden Road, pending PennDOT approval. Upon roll call, Troutman, Zimmerman and Fitterling voted yes.

HEARING OF VISITORS

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Board, James Fitterling made a motion and Charles Zimmerman seconded, to adjourn the meeting at 7:44 P.M. Upon roll call, Fitterling, Troutman and Zimmerman voted yes.

Respectfully Submitted,

Cheryl Haus
Township Secretary