

A Muncy Creek Township Supervisors Regular Meeting was held at the Township building on Monday, February 21, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. The meeting was called to order by chairman, Gary Phillips followed by the pledge of allegiance. The following were present:

Members: Gary Phillips, Daniel Whitmoyer

Others: Mike Wiley, Lloyd Smith, Bill Titus, Leon Liggitt, Tom Styer, Rich Opp, Larry Hoose, Brandie & Set Green, Cindy & Eric Newcomer, Bill Poulton, Ken Weimer, Donna Weimer, Dean Sheffler, Logan Laidacker, Dave Smith, Cari Buck

Public Comment was called for.

B. Poulton asked that public comment on #12 be waived until we get to item #12.

D. Smith was present as solicitor for MCTSA with MCTSA Chairman K. Weimer. He stated that the sewer authority met on 1/26/22 and wants to continue to operate as an authority. The authority wants to bridge the gap, they want to have a meeting between the BOS and MCTSA. The BOS thinks that is a good idea and something should be set up and advertised. Communication and set-up can be done through the township secretary.

A motion was made by G. Phillips, seconded by D. Whitmoyer to **waive the reading of the minutes** from the January 3, 2022 Supervisor's Organizational/Regular Meeting. Motion carried.

A motion was made by G. Phillips, seconded by D. Whitmoyer to **approve the minutes** from the January 3, 2022 Supervisors Organizational/Regular Meeting as presented. Motion carried.

A motion was made by G. Phillips, seconded by D. Whitmoyer to receive the **Auditor's minutes** from the January 5, 2021 meeting, and the draft minutes from the January 4, 2022 meeting as presented. Motion carried.

A motion was made by G. Phillips, seconded by D. Whitmoyer to **receive the Planning Commission minutes** from the December 27, 2021 and January 12, 2022 meetings as presented. Motion carried.

WBRA Report – Leon Liggitt was present to report on behalf of WBRA. They are getting ready to start construction/repair work. House inspections will be done on the old systems, first in Muncy Borough and Muncy Creek Township, then Montgomery Borough.

Road Master Report – Would like permission to sell the old backhoe and to also purchase an AED with EMA budgeted funds for at the building, which can also be used for the park. Also suggests training in first aid and CPR, which can be provided by Chad Tobias, assistant EMA.

A motion was made by D. Whitmoyer seconded by G. Phillips to approve the advertising and **sale of the backhoe on Municibid**. Motion carried.

A motion was made by D. Whitmoyer, seconded by G. Phillips to approve the **purchase of an AED**, and training to be provided for first aid and CPR. Motion carried.

Code Inspections Report – December and January report received.

Fire Company Report – December and January report received. Area fire departments are working on 2nd call response logistics (Muncy, Hughesville, Pennsdale & Picture Rocks). If the paid ambulance services are on call, who is responding?

A motion was made by D. Whitmoyer, seconded by G. Phillips to **approve resolution 22-191** for the additional payment to the fire company for part-time ambulance services in the amount of \$22,000. Motion carried.

A letter was submitted to the township from the Muncy Historical Society, requesting that they be considered when allocating the American Rescue Plan funds, the township received. They would like to place interpretive signage within Captain John Brady Park, located at 296 N. Market Street.

A motion was made by D. Whitmoyer, Seconded by G. Phillips to **consider the donation to the Muncy Historical Society** when working through allocating the American Rescue Plan funds. Motion carried.

A response was given to the follow-up questions from last months' meeting regarding wages, and benefits of the township employees. The secretary provided hourly wages for employees as well as the total cost of the 2022 benefits package. Documents are available for viewing at the township building.

A motion was made by G. Phillips, Seconded by D. Whitmoyer to accept township engineer, Mr. Vassallo's, recommendation regarding stormwater at 4337 Clarkstown Road. Site should be exempt from a required stormwater plan & design due to no increase in stormwater flows, as the impervious area will be reduced. Motion carried.

Ken Weimer, Chairman of the Muncy Creek Township Sewer Authority was on the agenda, but he was already addressed during public comment on agenda items at the start of the meeting.

Public comments:

E. Newcomer wanted to ensure that the letter from the Auditors was received. Yes, the board received it.

C. Newcomer reminded the supervisors that a question regarding the additional funds for the MAVFC needed answered. Where were the funds coming from, and were they budgeted? They were using LST dollars, and yes it was budgeted for.

E. Newcomer thanked the board for the new website. Noticed there was a place for minutes. Will they be posted? Yes, once approved. Will they be retroactive? No.

C. Newcomer wanted to know if there were any workshops scheduled for the American Rescue Plan funds. No, but there was 1 workshop. Regarding the re-adoption of benefits packages, did someone review before adoption?

E. Newcomer asked if special meetings and other information can be posted on the website? The board can take it under consideration. Some items may be confidential, and not able to be disclosed publicly in that way.

R. Opp asked if there is any news on the resurfacing project in Clarkstown? No, not yet.

A motion was made by G. Phillips, seconded by D. Whitmoyer, to **adjourn** the meeting at approximately 7:34 p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Cari Buck, Township Secretary