WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP

Regular Monthly Meeting Minutes

June 9, 2020

The Washington Township Supervisors held their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, June 9, 2020. Members present: Chairman, Donna Cooper, Vice-Chairman, Robert Hrin, Supervisor, John Lougee, Supervisor, Steve McClelland, and Supervisor, Robert Hetrick. Also present: Sarah Anderson, Secretary, Greg Kruk, Solicitor, and Dan Whaling, Road Master. Visitors included, Lee Knox, Jonathan Knox, William Tucker, and Damon Tucker.

Chairman, Donna Cooper opened the meeting at 7 PM with a pledge allegiance to the Flag.

OPEN TO THE FLOOR

Chairman, Donna Cooper welcomed Boy Scouts, Jonathan Knox and Damon Tucker, who were working on their Communications Badge.

MINUTES

On a MOTION by John Lougee, a SECOND by Steve McClelland, all the board voting in favor, the minutes of the May 12, 2020, regular monthly meeting were approved as presented.

VOUCHERS AND PAYROLL

On a MOTION by Robert Hetrick, a SECOND by Robert Hrin, all the board voting in favor, the vouchers due for payment and the payroll were approved.

TREASURER’S REPORT

On a MOTION by Steve McClelland, a SECOND by John Lougee, all the board voting in favor, the Treasurer’s report was approved as presented.

CORRESPONDENCE

1. There were 3 zoning permits and 1 sign permit issued in May. (L. Haugh – house, B. Haugh – house, R. Geist – roof)
2. The Codebook has been printed and will ship soon.
3. A resident on Evergreen Farm Road requested the township post a “Children at Play” sign because many delivery trucks are speeding on that road. Solicitor, Greg Kruk, will look into the matter because he thinks PSATS reported awhile ago that signs of that nature were no longer to be used.

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SOLICITOR’S REPORT

Solicitor, Greg Kruk, submitted the ordinance that adopts the Codebook.

On a MOTION by Robert Hetrick, a SECOND by Robert Hrin, all the board voting in favor, Ordinance 2020-02, which puts the codebook in place, was adopted.

NEW BUSINESS

Trunzo / Clinger Subdivision……

On a MOTION by Steve McClelland, a SECOND by John Lougee, all the board voting in favor, the Trunzo / Clinger subdivision was approved as recommended by the Planning Board.

Sterrett / Nellis Subdivision……

On a MOTION by Robert Hetrick, a SECOND by John Lougee, all the board voting in favor, the Sterrett / Nellis subdivision was approved as recommended by the Planning Board.

Raybuck / Corbin Subdivision…….

On a MOTION by John Lougee, a SECOND by Robert Hrin, all the board voting in favor, the Raybuck / Corbin subdivision was approved as recommended by the Planning Board.

Supervisor, John Lougee, suggested posting a sign directing traffic to I-80 at the intersection of Rt 830 and Rt 1009. Cherry Drive is suffering from all the detour traffic when there is an accident on I-80. Secretary, Sarah Anderson, will contact the Traffic Division of PennDot in Indiana.

OLD BUSINESS

On a MOTION by Robert Hrin, a SECOND by John Lougee, all the board voting in favor, the KC Construction Co., road bond on Kyle Run Road was released.

Supervisor, Steve McClelland, reported that the TCC Meeting scheduled in May was cancelled.

Chairman, Donna Cooper, reported that Falls Creek Borough contacted her because a township resident has property sitting on their water/sewer right –a-way. The area is scheduled to be mowed soon. They also warned her that he might be operating a mechanics business on the property. Falls Creek will have to remedy the property placed on the right-a-way themselves. The township will send a letter if there is any proof of the mechanics business existing.

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ROAD REPORT

Roadmaster, Dan Whaling, reported that the invoice for the grader from Cleveland Brothers was received and it seemed a little higher than expected. He will contact them for an explanation.

On a MOTION by Robert Hrin, a SECOND by John Lougee, all the board voting in favor, the Cleveland Brother invoice will be paid from the Equipment / Emergency Fund.

Roadmaster, Dan Whaling, showed the board where Swanson Heavy Truck Repair hit the front bumper of the International Truck while it was being serviced at their garage. The damage was fixed and the repair looks fine.

Bid Opening for Double Sealcoat on Rockdale, Old Grade, & Kyle Run Road(s)………….

Bid results will be attached to minutes.

On a MOTION by Robert Hetrick, a SECOND by Robert Hrin, all the board voting in favor, double seal coating bid was awarded to the lowest bidder, Suit-Kote Corporation.

ADJOURNMENT

On a MOTION by Steve McClelland, a SECOND by John Lougee, all the board voting in favor, the board adjourned at 7:33 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Sarah Anderson, Secretary/Treasurer