WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP

Regular Monthly Meeting Minutes

September 10, 2024

The Washington Township Supervisors held their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, September 10, 2024. Members present: Chairman, Robert Hrin, Vice-Chairman, Steve McClelland, Supervisor, John Lougee, Supervisor, Robert Hetrick, and Supervisor, Timothy Potts. Also present: Sarah Anderson, Secretary, Dan Whaling, Road Master, and Greg Kruk, Solicitor. Visitors: Mark Walborn, David Welsh, & Gary Huey.

Chairman, Robert Hrin opened the meeting at 6 PM with a pledge allegiance to the Flag.

OPEN TO THE FLOOR

Gary Huey suggested purchasing speakers for the hand-held radios for the road crew. Roadmaster, Dan Whaling will get pricing for next month.

David Welsh asked about eminent domain. He mentioned Cris Dush would be willing to help the township, if needed.

MINUTES

On a MOTION by Steve McClelland, a SECOND by Robert Hetrick, all the board voting in favor, the minutes of the August 13, 2024, regular monthly meeting were approved as presented.

VOUCHERS AND PAYROLL

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

TREASURER’S REPORT

On a MOTION by Timothy Potts, a SECOND by John Lougee, all the board voting in favor, the Treasurer’s report was received and filed for audit.

CORRESPONDENCE

1. Five permits were issued in August. J. Kirkpatrick, shed, AT&T, tower upgrades, D. Lindemuth, pole building, J. Miller, shed, J. Byler, addition.
2. Reminder: County Convention is September 17th at Big Run Fire Hall.

SOLICITOR’S REPORT

Solicitor, Greg Kruk, reported that notice was advertised in the newspaper announcing that the new zoning ordinance has been enacted.

NEW BUSINESS

On a MOTION by Timothy Potts, a SECOND by John Lougee, all the board voting in favor, the James Sterrett subdivision was approved as recommended by the Planning Board.

Minimum Municipal Obligation Worksheet for 2025 was presented for the pension plan.

On a MOTION by Robert Hetrick, a SECOND by John Lougee, all the board voting in favor, signs will be purchased to keep tractor trailer trucks off of township roads during I-80 closures.

OLD BUSINESS

The house on Westville Road, in which a complaint was made, has real estate taxes due on it. The Board will not pursue the complaint any farther.

Secretary, Sarah Anderson, attended the stormwater workshop at the Jefferson Co. Conservation District.

On a MOTION by Timothy Potts, a SECOND by John Lougee, all the board voting in favor, stormwater permits under 2,500 sq. ft. will be issued at the township by the secretary. Permits over 2,500 sq. ft. will be issued by an engineer.

ROAD REPORT

Roadmaster, Dan Whaling, reported the road crew has been mowing and cleaning ditches.

ADJOURNMENT

On a MOTION by Timothy Potts, a SECOND by John Lougee, all the board voting in favor, the board adjourned at 6:51 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Sarah Anderson, Secretary/Treasurer