

The regular meeting of the Wheatfield Township Supervisors was held Monday, October 5, 2009 in the Township Building. Jim Fuller called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. Present were Bob Hines, Barry Schrope, Jim Fuller, Johanna Rehkamp, Vicki Jenkins, Lester Nace, Barb Zeigler, Bob Rhoades, Rick Schaar, Darrin Foster, Joyce Swain, Ron Swain, Kraig Nace, Sam Garula, Jennie Nickel, David Mills, Jeff Beinhower, Thom Casey and Dianne Dahlin.

Bob Hines led the pledge to the American flag. A brief moment of silence was observed after the pledge in honor of the men and women who serve our country in the armed forces.

The minutes of the September 8, 2009 regular meeting were presented to the supervisors and posted for attendees in the township building prior to the October 5, 2009 regular meeting for public viewing. Barry Schrope made the motion to approve the minutes as presented by the secretary, Bob Hines second the motion, with all in favor.

Kraig Nace of the Duncannon EMS states their incident report will be forthcoming and also indicated it is the time of year when their subscription funds are no longer coming in and typically in September or October the 2nd portion of their donation from the township is released and they welcome that. Kraig states the support from the township is greatly appreciated.

Sam Garula of Sulphur Springs Road indicates there is a Watch Children sign on Rt. 849 he would like to see relocated further up the road. Jim Fuller states he will go out on Wednesday to look at the situation.

Jennie Nickel would like to comment on 2 junky yards in the township; one being at the corner of Windy Hill Road & Roseglen Road belonging to Sandra Hoch and the second being on Rt. 274 belonging to Rock Morrison. The supervisors advise the property on Windy Hill Road & Roseglen Road is being worked at.

David Mills states he would like to thank the supervisors for their continuing support of Wagner Park and recreation in the community.

Dianne Dahlin states she attended a meeting at the Duncannon EMS building regarding elimination of school property taxes and brought some forms from the meeting she would like to leave at the township building for others.

Darrin Foster of Lou Harfords office presented the Joe Jr. & Gwendolyn McNaughton subdivision plan for approval. Darrin states the plan was submitted previously as a preliminary plan and approved; now it is being submitted as a final plan. The township planning commission has requested approval of the plan and requested AOR's. The requested AOR's are 1 – Minimum Plan Scale, 2 – Plan Sheet Size, 3 – Stormwater Management and 4 – Erosion & Sedimentation Control. Barry Schrope made a motion to accept the AOR's as requested, Bob Hines second the motion, with all in favor. Barry Schrope made a motion to approve the plan as presented contingent upon engineering fees being paid, Bob Hines second the motion, with all in favor. The plan was left at the office for signatures once fees are received.

Darrin Foster of Lou Harfords also left the Cramer subdivision plan at the township office for signatures once fees and legal documents are received.

Barry Schrope made a motion to release \$500 budgeted as a donation to Perry County Crime Stoppers, Bob Hines second the motion, with all in favor.

The township has received a check from the Commonwealth of PA in the amount of \$18,953.69 for the 2009 Volunteer Fire Relief. Barry Schrope made a motion for the monies to be released with 2/3 going to the Duncannon Fire Co. (\$12,635.79) and 1/3 going to the New Bloomfield Fire Co. (\$6,317.90), Bob Hines second the motion, with all in favor.

Barry Schrope made a motion to release the remaining \$6,000 budgeted as a donation to the Duncannon EMS, Bob Hines second the motion, with all in favor.

The preliminary 2010 budget was worked on. The secretary will present the proposed budget to the Supervisors at Novembers meeting.

The supervisors advise they are looking into the purchase of a glass pulverizer to use with monthly recycling in the township. The pulverized glass could be mixed with antiskid for winter use.

Jim Fuller states he attended a meeting at Carroll Township regarding the Sterrets Gap project. Jim states they are looking at 3 options for better traffic control at the top of the mountain.

Barry Schrope states for the new Tax Collection Committee Vicki was appointed as Delegate and at the last meeting they talked about liability insurance. With Vicki not being an elected official will the township liability insurance cover her. Johanna will check into it and get back to the supervisors.

Barry Schrope made a motion to approve the checks from the general fund for the month of September with each supervisor abstaining from approval on those they had a personal interest in. They were as follows:

15676 – 15707 and 8-2009, except 15682, 15688, 15689 and 15696, all four approved.

15682, 15688, 15696 – Bob and Barry approved, Jim abstained.

15689 – Jim and Bob approved, Barry abstained.

Jim Fuller second the motion to approve the checks, with all in favor.

There being no further business Barry Schrope made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Jim Fuller second the motion, with all in favor. Meeting adjourned at 10:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Vicki L. Jenkins
Twp. Secretary