

The regular meeting of the Wheatfield Township Supervisors was held Monday, February 7, 2011 in the Township Building. Jim Fuller called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. Present were Annette Mullen, Barry Schrope, Jim Fuller, Johanna Rehkamp, Vicki Jenkins, Lester Nace, Rick Schaar, Bob Foltz, Dave Jenkins, Dexter Potter, Bob Noaker, Darlene Johnson, Jennie Nickel, Barb Zeigler, Sam Garula, David Mills and Dianne Dahlin.

Jim Fuller advised those in attendance that Dianne Dahlin will be recording the meeting tonight.

Jim Fuller led the pledge to the American flag with a brief moment of silence afterwards in honor of those in harm's way.

The minutes of the January 3, 2011 meeting were presented to the supervisors and posted for attendees in the township building prior to the February 7, 2011 regular meeting for public viewing. Barry Schrope advised there is a mistake on the mileage rate for the assistant zoning officer; it should state .51 cents instead of .50 cents. Annette Mullen made a motion to approve the minute's contingent upon the requested amendment being made, Barry Schrope second the motion, with all in favor.

Sam Garula thanked the roadcrew for the good work being done on the roads with the inclement weather.

David Mills would like to thank the supervisors for their continuing support of recreation in the township.

Dianne Dahlin states she would like to thank Vicki Jenkins for not accepting a raise this year, but in the same respect she didn't understand why the board gave others a raise considering the economy.

The State Convention will be held April 17 – 20, 2011 in Hershey. Annette Mullen advised she would like to attend the Comprehensive Municipal Financial Management workshop on Sunday. Jim Fuller made a motion to pay the workshop fee of \$125 for Annette Mullen to attend the convention, Barry Schrope second the motion, with all in favor.

Annette Mullen made a motion for spring cleanup to be held Thursday, April 14 through Saturday, April 16, 2011, Barry Schrope second the motion, with all in favor. The supervisors asked Vicki to obtain quotes for dumpsters.

The township auditors have completed their annual audit of township records (copy of report to DCED and auditor recommendations on file), tax collector records and recreation board records. All records were found to be in order.

Jim Fuller states the Township Planning Commission has formally interviewed 3 engineering firms (Urban Research & Development Corporation, Johnson, Mirmiran & Thompson and Gannett Fleming) to update the township Comprehensive Plan. The Planning Commission at their February 8, 2011 meeting will choose the engineering firm they would like to recommend to the supervisors.

The New Bloomfield Fire Co. sent a letter of thanks to the township for the donation of \$165.00 to the New Bloomfield Fire Police. The donation will be used towards winter coats and pants.

Barry Schrope states the roads with tar and chip on them made it nice for the recent winter maintenance. Barry stated New Bloomfield ALS was scheduled to be up and running on February 3, 2011. Barry also stated he has obtained his CDL.

Dianne Dahlin asked with the spring cleanup if businesses are allowed. The supervisors advise those businesses in Wheatfield Township are allowed as well.

Jim Fuller made a motion to approve the checks from the General Fund for the month of January with each supervisor abstaining from approval on those they had a personal interest in. They were as follows:

16342 – 16391 and 0012-2010, 012-2010 and 12-2010, except 16357, 16360, 16379 and 16382, all four approved.

16357, 16379 – Barry and Annette approved, Jim abstained.

16360, 16382 – Jim and Annette approved, Barry abstained.

Annette Mullen 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 8:10 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Vicki L. Jenkins
Twp. Secretary