

A budget workshop with the Supervisors was held Thursday, November 13, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. at the Duncannon EMS Building. The workshop was advertised as required by law in the Sentinel. Those present were Barry Schrope, Jim Fuller, Annette Mullen, Vicki Jenkins and Jeff Smith.

There was no public comment.

Barry Schrope stated he has spoken with Kurt Hepschmidt, Twp. Emergency Management Coordinator and he indicated he would like to have MRE's, water, hot plate, cots and hand held radio's for an emergency. The supervisors stated they will add a category to the budget for emergency management supplies.

The supervisors discussed the remaining outstanding items on the budget; fire company contributions and EMS contributions, prices for paving the parking lot at the township building and putting a new roof on the township building. This year's contribution for the fire companies will be \$65,000 with \$62,000 being split 75% Duncannon (\$46,500) and 25% New Bloomfield (\$15,500) the remaining \$3,000 will be given to New Bloomfield Fire Co. as a one-time donation to apply to their building fund or fire apparatus needs. The supervisors will specify that \$23,000 out of the donation to the Duncannon Fire Co. will be applied to their highest interest bearing loan (mortgage or equipment loan) to reduce their debt. This year's contribution to the EMS companies will be \$27,000 with \$24,000 being split 90% Duncannon (\$21,600) and 10% New Bloomfield (\$2,400) the remaining \$3,000 will be given to Duncannon EMS as a one-time donation for the use of the building while the township building was under construction. The supervisors will specify that \$15,000 out of the donation to the Duncannon EMS be put towards the cost of a generator for the EMS Building.

The supervisors will adopt the budget at a special meeting on December 16, 2014 at 8:00 a.m. The special meeting will be advertised as required by law.

The supervisors have received bid results for an appraiser for the Sulphur Springs project (copy on file). Barry Schrope made a motion to hire RSR Realtors, William Rothman, MAI for \$2,700 for the 3 appraisals required, Annette Mullen second the motion, with all in favor.

Annette Mullen made a motion for Vicki Jenkins, Secretary to cash in a Certificate of Deposit for the remaining amount owed to WSL Inc. for the building addition and to replenish the checking account up to \$50,000 with the remaining amount of the Certificate of Deposit being reinvested, Jim Fuller second the motion, with all in favor.

There being no further business Barry Schrope made a motion to adjourn the workshop, Jim Fuller second the motion, with all in favor. Meeting adjourned at 12:25 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Vicki L. Jenkins  
Twp. Secretary