

The regular meeting of the Wheatfield Township Supervisors was held Monday, June 1, 2020 in the Township parking lot due to the COVID-19 virus. Barry Schrope called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Present were Barry Schrope, Jim Fuller, Jeff Smith, Vicki Jenkins, Lester Nace, Luke Roman (Perry Cty. Times), David Mills, Kurt Hepschmidt and Sue Flickinger.

The minutes of the May 4, 2020 regular meeting were presented to the supervisors and posted for attendees in the Township Building prior to the June 1, 2020 regular meeting for public viewing. Jeff Smith made a motion to approve the minutes as presented by the secretary, Jim Fuller second the motion, with all in favor.

David Mills thanked the supervisors for helping out with recreation in the township.

At last month's meeting the supervisors made a motion to invest \$100,000 out of the State Fund checking account into a CD. Vicki Jenkins obtained interest rates and they were very low. Jim Fuller made a motion to rescind the motion and just keep the money in the checking account at this time, Jeff Smith second the motion, with all in favor.

Barry Schrope stated the Department of the Auditor General's Office has performed an audit of the township's pension fund from January 2016 to December 2019 and all records are in order; there are no findings or observations. The Auditor General's Office sent the township a copy of a DCED manual explaining township pension plans for the supervisors and auditors to review.

Correspondence has been received from the Perry County Commissioners regarding the 2020 Community Development Block Grant Program. A copy was given to David Mills to review with the recreation board to see if they would be interested in applying for any funds for Wagner Park.

Barry Schrope advised the township has received the financial reports from the New Bloomfield Fire Co. and asked the other 2 supervisors to look over them as well.

Jeff Smith stated he has been contacted by Martin Paving and they expect to do the seal coat mid June.

Vicki Jenkins stated she has received an email from Keystone Insurers Group requesting to review our current insurance coverage and offer the township a quote. The supervisors asked Vicki to set up an appointment.

Lester Nace asked Jeff Smith if he was aware there is a tree on the wires between Dark Hollow Road and Glutz Hole Road. Jeff stated he did see that and that it is too high for the township's bucket truck. Jeff stated he has reported it to Perry County Emergency for them to contact PPL.

Kurt Hepschmidt asked the supervisors when Perry County moves to the green phase will township meetings be held inside. The supervisors stated yes they will. Kurt also asked if the supervisors have heard when Creek Road will be closed for the bridge repair. The supervisors stated they have not heard anything.

David Mills told Jeff Smith the gas cans for the trimmers at the park need filled and that they need 2 more loads of tanbark for the playground area. David also advised the fan in the bathroom needs replaced.

Jeff Smith made a motion to approve the checks from the General Fund for the month of May. They were as follows:

5040 – 5065, 050520, 04-2020, 050720 and 004-2020

Barry Schrope second the motion, with all in favor.

There being no further business Barry Schrope made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Jeff Smith second the motion, with all in favor. Meeting adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Vicki L. Jenkins
Twp. Secretary