

BOARD OF SUPERVIORS MEETING APRIL 21, 2021

Minutes of the Pequea Township Board of Supervisors meeting held at 7:00 on April 21, 2021 at the Pequea Township Municipal Building.

Present at the meeting were:

Harry Lehman, Chairman
Anthony Cazillo, Vice-Chairman
Scott Edwards, Supervisor
Eric Lucas, Supervisor
E. John Hlavacek, Supervisor

Others present:

Robert Reidenbach-Asst./Recording Sec.
Tom Haas Don Homsher
Jackie Johns Chief Michener
Elaine Walmer Ken Stauffer
Lucy Gillichbauer

CALL TO ORDER: Chmn. Lehman called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Pledge of Allegiance

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Chairman Lehman announced Pequea Township has received reimbursement for expenses surrounding our Township's police detail at the Inauguration in Washington, D.C.

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING:

Vice-Chairman Cazillo moved to approve the minutes of the March 17, 2021 Board of Supervisors Meeting. Supervisor Lucas seconded the motion. All voted in favor; none opposed.

Supervisor Edwards moved to approve the minutes of the March 31, 2021 Board of Supervisors Special Meeting. Chairman Lehman seconded the motion. All voted in favor; none opposed.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

A copy of the bill list is on the table. Checks #13189 of Feb. VOID -#13248-13273-13274 VOID. Chmn. Lehman moved to approve checks #13275-13307 from the General Fund, checks # 1818-1826 from the Recreation Fund, checks # 1177-1179 from the Donation Fund, and check #400 from the Highway Fund. . Vice- Chairman Cazillo seconded the motion. All voted in favor; none opposed.

AGENDA SYNOPSIS:

Chairman Lehman gave an explanation of each of the four items on the agenda.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

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ITEMS ON THE AGENDA:

Jackie Johns asked when the Fiorill lawsuit will be resolved. Chairman Lehman explained that legal meetings are ongoing. She asked if other lawsuits are pending. Lehman stated that he could not comment on other ongoing lawsuits as per legal advice.

ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA:

Jackie Johns asked about the RKL audit of the Police Commission funds. Lehman said a response is expected any day after he detailed the stalling and jockeying amongst Conestoga Township supervisors, lawyers and Chairman Lehman which are adding to legal costs. If the issue cannot be resolved via lawyers, the suit will go to court.

Jackie Johns asked if we had decided on a new roadmaster. Lehman said the Board has not yet made a decision.

Jackie Johns asked if we had received federal money from the CARES Act. Chairman Lehman explained that when funds are received, supposedly \$522,000, they will be placed in a special interest bearing account. However, money is only to be spent on Covid related expenses incurred by the Township. Lehman said that office expenses to protect our staff may qualify for reimbursement from this fund but knows of no other areas at this time.

Jackie Johns asked about a possible unexpected influx of real estate transfer tax and Chairman Lehman said not enough information was available at this time.

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Providence Township-approval letter

Vice-Chairman Cazillo moved to approve the letter to Providence Township as written . Supervisor Lucas seconded the motion. All voted in favor; none opposed.

2. Tail Insurance-Police Commission

Supervisor Lucas moved to authorize payment for the Tail Insurance for the Southern Regional Police Commission for one more year. Vice-Chairman Cazillo seconded the motion. All voted in favor; none opposed.

3. Authorize photo of pipelines- Nolt Avenue

Supervisor Edwards moved to authorize the Township engineer to have the proper televising of the pipework on Nolt Avenue at a cost of approximately \$ 1,720.00. Vice-Chairman Cazillo seconded the motion.. All voted in favor; none opposed.

4. Authorize purchase of double wall gas tank for park

Supervisor Edwards moved to authorize the purchase of a double-wall fuel tank, not to exceed 500 gallons, and a pump at an approximate price of \$3,500.00. Chairman Lehman seconded the motion. Supervisors Lucas, Cazillo, Lehman and Edwards voted in favor; Supervisor Hlavacek opposed.

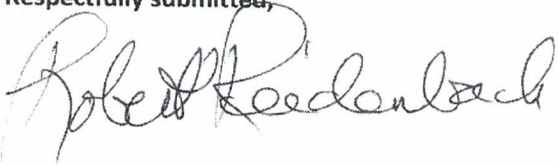
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REPORTS/UPDATES:

Pequea Township Police Report- Chief's report on table
Pequea Township Road Department- March report on table
Lancaster Inter-Municipal Committee- Representative's Update
Suburban Lancaster Sewer Authority- Representative's Update
Zoning/Code Enforcement- Report on File
Pequea Township Zoning Hearing Board-none
Pequea Township Planning Commission-none

Meeting adjourned at 7:33 pm

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Rob Reidenbach". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the text "Respectfully submitted,".

Rob Reidenbach, Township assistant/recording secretary