

Regular Monthly Meeting  
April 14, 2016

The regular monthly meeting of the Shenango Township Board of Supervisors was held on Thursday, April 14, 2016, at 6:00 p.m. at the Shenango Township Municipal Building, with Supervisors Russell Riley, Albert Burick, III, and Frank Augustine present.

Present at the Meeting:

Shirley Sallmen  
Brandy Downing  
Gale Tillia  
Barbra Thompson  
Roberta File

Bill Cheslock  
Bill Phillips  
Marsha Presnar  
George Sewall

The meeting was opened with a salute to the flag.

The meeting was called to order and the minutes were approved from the regular monthly meeting of March 10, 2016.

Correspondence:

Ken Langford gave an update on the Fire Department Regionalization.

Administrative Actions: None

Fire Chief David Rishel gave the monthly Fire Department report and said the Fire Department has received a donation of \$500.00 from McDonald's, \$500.00 from Pennsylvania American Water for the merger, and has received a state grant of \$12,690.00 for emergency equipment.

Public Comment:

Shirley Sallmen, Old Princeton Road, asked what is happening regarding Deno Delorenzo, and asked if the township will get any money out of Brian Tanner's belongings.

Bill Cheslock, Old Princeton Road, wanted to know the status of the two proposed restaurant/bars on Route 422.

Brandy Downing, Highview Drive, asked if there was a period of time where the Township was without an EMA coordinator.

Bill Phillips, Highview Drive, asked why the Township uses Jeff Richardson for zoning purposes if the Township has a zoning officer, and asked about the status of the comprehensive plan.

Marsha Presnar, Circle Drive, spoke about the condition of Circle Drive.

Barbara Thompson, Boyd School Road, asked if Mr. Tanner's pension can be touched, then commented on an article that was published in the New Castle News on March 18 of this year regarding Shenango Township.

Mr. Burick explained the Spring Clean-Up Week in Shenango Township during the week of April 25-29.

Old Business:

Motion by Mr. Burick second by Mr. Riley to appoint Ken Langford of Shenango Township to the vacant position of the Shenango Township Board of Auditors. Motion carried.

New Business:

Motion by Mr. Riley second by Mr. Augustine to approve payment of the General Fund expenses of \$39,208.89. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Augustine second by Mr. Riley to approve payment of the Payroll expenses of \$54,870.59. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Augustine second by Mr. Riley to approve payment of the State Fund expenses of \$4,812.50. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Augustine second by Mr. Riley to approve payment of the Capital Fund expenses of \$1,873.95. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Augustine second by Mr. Riley to approve payment of the Fire Tax Fund expenses of \$534.79. Motion carried.

Mr. Burick read a letter from William Albertini, Public Works Liaison, regarding the condition of the tiger mower. Motion by Mr. Augustine second by Mr. Riley for authorization to purchase a 21-foot rear cradle boom mower from U.S. Municipal Co-Stars Agreement at the cost of \$42,880.50. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Augustine second by Mr. Riley for authorization to purchase a John Deere 6105M Cab Tractor from West Central Equipment Co-Stars Agreement at the cost of \$68,715.82. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Augustine second by Mr. Riley for authorization to purchase a John Deere Z950M Commercial Z-track from West Central Equipment Co-Stars Agreement at the cost of \$9,343.44. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Augustine second by Mr. Riley for authorization for advertisement of 2016 Spring/Summer Material Bids. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Augustine second by Mr. Riley for authorization to enter into a 10-year agreement for all LED street lighting with Penn Power/First Energy. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Augustine second by Mr. Riley for authorization to approve the Shenango Township Police Department Wage and Police Unit Contract effective January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2018. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Augustine second by Mr. Riley to hire Matthew Baka and Stephen McIltrout as seasonal part-time Public Works employees, with a start date of May 9, 2016, and an end date of August 31, 2016. Motion carried.

Mr. Burick spoke about a garbage can ordinance.

Mr. Burick spoke about the Public Works garage roof leaking and getting prices on a new roof.

Mr. Burick spoke about a \$400,000.00 DCNR grant which was applied for regarding the Shenango Township Community Park to add restrooms, sidewalks, signage, a paved trail and another pavilion.

SALDO:

Motion by Mr. Augustine second by Mr. Riley to approve the Final Plan for a 2-lot subdivision by George O. Sewall, III. Motion carried.

Ordinances: None

Resolutions: None

Motion by Mr. Riley second by Mr. Augustine to adjourn.