Regular Monthly Meeting April 9, 2009

The regular monthly meeting of the Shenango Township Board of Supervisors was held on Thursday, April 9, 2009 at the Shenango Township Municipal Building, with Supervisors Larry Herman, Bob Peters and William Albertini present.

The meeting was opened with a salute to the flag.

The minutes were read and approved from the previous meeting.

Motion by Mr. Peters second by Mr. Albertini to approve payment of the general fund expenses. All in favor, motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Peters second by Mr. Albertini to approve payment of the sewer fund expenses. All in favor, motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Peters second by Mr. Albertini to adopt Resolution #4 of 2009, Authorizing the issuance of a Tax Anticipation Note Series, 2009. All in favor, motion carried.

Mr. Dave Rishel and Mr. Herman explained why a fire tax is needed due in part to bingo participation if down and the mailings are not garnering as much as they have in the past. The tax money would be used for maintenance of equipment and station expenses.

Motion by Mr. Peters second by Mr. Albertini to authorize the solicitor to pursue the feasibility of a township fire tax. All in favor, motion carried.

Public Comment:

Mr. Bill Alexander, Savannah Gardner Road, asked about residents who don't have the 911 address signs. Mr. Albertini stated that a plan has been developed with the police and fire departments and letters are being sent to those who do not have a sign. Mr. Alexander also stated that a sign is down on Rt. 65. and roads need to be swept. Mr. Albertini stated that PennDot has been notified about the sign and that the roads are being swept throughout the township.

Mr. Oran Allen, Savannah Gardner Road, asked when the Annual Audit would be published in the newspaper. Mr. Herman stated that it would be in the paper within the next few weeks. Mr. Allen also asked about a problem with individual employee supplemental insurance. Mr. Herman stated that the problem was recently discovered and it was being rectified on an individual basis. Mr. Allen also pointed out the duties of the Treasurer as it relates to this matter.

Mr. Herman presented a list of roads that are part of the plan for sewer expansion as it relates to the DEP mandate and the Act 537 Plan.

Mr. Herman also stated that Pennsylvania American Water Company is in the process of line expansion on Rt 65 and into Castlewood.

Motion by Mr. Herman second by Mr. Peters to adjourn.