

Regular Monthly Meeting
August 12, 2021

The regular monthly meeting of the Shenango Township Board of Supervisors was held on Thursday, August 12, 2021, at 6:00 p.m. at the Shenango Township Municipal Building, with Supervisors Albert Burick, III, and Brandon Rishel present.

Present at the Meeting:

Ron Turk
Judy Martwinski

Bill Cheslock
Paul Bollinger

The meeting was called to order and opened with a salute to the flag.

Mr. Rishel announced Mr. Augustine is on vacation, and that the supervisors held an executive session regarding legal matters prior to the meeting tonight.

Motion by Mr. Burick second by Mr. Rishel to approve the minutes of the June 17, 2021, Special Meeting – Bid Opening. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve the minutes of the Regular Monthly Meeting of July 15, 2021. Motion carried.

Staff Reports/Announcements:

There are no staff reports because everyone is out on fire calls due to downed trees and lines due to the stormy weather today.

Mr. Rishel said the work on the reclaiming of Denny Drive and Reno Lane went well today, but it is not done yet.

Touch a Truck and the Fall Festival will be held on Saturday, September 18, 2021, at the Shenango Community Park.

Trick or Treat for Shenango Township will be held on Saturday, October 30, 2021, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Public Comment:

Ron Turk, Baldwin Road, spoke about a water problem at his house where the big drain is blocked and is causing his garage to flood and his driveway is getting worse, the basement has flooded, and he wanted to know if there is something the township can do. Mr. Rishel said the only thing the township will do is remove the pipe, but they will not put the pipe back in. Mr. Rishel said he will be out to his property on Tuesday to look at the problem.

Paul Bollinger, Pennsylvania Avenue, spoke about a problem he is having with his neighbor regarding an alley and a trailer. Mr. Rishel informed him that it sounds like a civil matter, but he would get information from him at the end of tonight's meeting.

Action Items:

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve payment of the General Fund expenses of \$95,299.00. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve payment of the Payroll Fund expenses of \$79,784.99. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve payment of the Fire Tax Fund expenses of \$394.49. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve payment of the Liquid Fuel Fund expenses of \$17,155.68. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve for the installation of a New Public Fire Hydrant to be located at 1000 Willowbrook Road. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve for the appointment of Board Members to the Shenango Economic Development Corporation Board, the Board members being Supervisors Frank Augustine as President, Brandon Rishel as Vice-President and Albert Burick, III, as Secretary-Treasurer. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve for the appointment of Steering Committee Members to the Shenango Township Community Park Master Site Plan Development Steering Committee, the members being Albert Burick, III; Fred Chiaverini; Andre D'Addio; Terri Flynn; Joe Gaus; Jeff Gehm; Diane Ostrowski; Jeannine Reamer; and one representative from Student Council from Shenango School District. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve Graziani Construction the bid for demolition of multiple residential structures at 2101 Pennsylvania Avenue through the Redevelopment Authority of Lawrence County at a cost of \$10,400.00. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve Graziani Construction the bid for demolition of a structure at 1905 Moravia Street through the Redevelopment Authority of Lawrence County at a cost of \$6,000.00. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve Clarion Environmental Services the bid for asbestos inspection of a structure at 1905 Moravia Street through the Redevelopment Authority of Lawrence County at a cost not to exceed \$1,500.00. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve the purchase of Speed Alert – Solar Powered Speed Minder system from All Traffic Solutions through COSTARS Contract #012-133 at a cost of \$4,700.00. Motion carried.

Solicitor Lou Perrotta discussed the Zoning Ordinance Timeline for Approval and said he hopes they will be able to discuss it at the next meeting.

Bill Cheslock, Old Princeton Road, asked what happens to the property after a demolition is done. Mr. Rishel explained the five-year tiered lien that is placed on a property.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to adjourn.

Meeting adjourned at 6:25 p.m.