

Regular Monthly Meeting
February 10, 2022

The regular monthly meeting of the Shenango Township Board of Supervisors was held on Thursday, February 10, 2022, at 6:00 p.m. at the Shenango Township Municipal Building, with Supervisors Frank Augustine, Albert Burick, III, and Brandon Rishel present. Also present was solicitor Louis Perrotta.

Present at the Meeting:

Judy Martwinski
Dan Gallagher

Jonie Myers

Mr. Augustine announced that the supervisors held an executive session regarding personnel prior to the meeting today.

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

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve the minutes of the Reorganization Meeting of January 3, 2022. Motion carried.

Staff Reports/Announcements:

Shenango Area Fire Department member Jonie Myers gave an update on how the paid firefighters and volunteer members are working well together to make sure someone is always staffed at the station. It is very helpful to have someone at the station to be constantly checking the equipment and making sure it's available for the next call. Many positive things have been said about our response times since we've initiated this process.

Public Comment:

Judy Martwinski spoke about the need for a traffic mirror on Big Run Creek Road. Mr. Rishel is looking into it.

Brandon told Dan Gallagher that his project on Wiley Lane has been approved for Spring. Dan Gallagher also mentioned about increasing police presence on 388/422 and Harmony Baptist Road to slow people down from speeding.

Action Items:

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve payment of the General Fund expenses of \$104,360.85. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve Payroll Fund Expenses of 101,367.79. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve payment of the Fire Tax Fund expenses of \$27,983.93. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Burick second by Mr. Rishel to approve Home Program Fund Expenses of \$2433.53.
Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick for the approval of the Economic Recovery Plan of Shenango Township, Lawrence County-2022. No changes. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick for the initiation of the conservatorship procedure for Lawrence Village Plaza. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick for advertisement for the hiring of summer help positions beginning in May 2022. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick for the advertisement of the 2022 Road Material Bid sheets.
Motion carried.

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Motion by Mr. Burick second by Mr. Rishel to approve the Seeger 2 lot subdivision on Harmony Baptist Road. Motion carried.

Discussion Items:

The adoption of a Property Maintenance Code was discussed at this time.

LD Ferraro Properties- Ms. Ferraro is wanting to donate some property she still owns within the township that is of no use to her. This property is located on Polk St. off of Alveretta Blvd and is a paper street. The property is wooded and may not be able to be developed. More questions are needed before we'd be able to take on these properties.

2022 Summer Road Resurfacing Project- Need to select which roads we are going to take on this year.

Sustainable PA Certification- We are in the process of applying for this certification so that we can make the township more sustainable and hopefully get grant money to help fund different projects.

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

Meeting adjourned at 6:38 p.m.