Regular Monthly Meeting May 12, 2022

The regular monthly meeting of the Shenango Township Board of Supervisors was held on Thursday, May 12, 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:

Dan Gallaugher Frank McPherson

Judy Martwinski Ron Turk

Barbara Thompson William Cheslock

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. Burick second by Mr. Augustine to approve the minutes of the Regular Monthly Meeting of April 13, 2022. Motion carried.

Staff Reports/Announcements:

Fire Chief David Rishel gave the monthly Fire Department report, 63 calls for the month (20 fire related and 43 EMS calls) and a total of 251 calls so far this year.

Envirothon- Teams from high schools in Lawrence County competed in a fun, competitive, academic event on May 3, 2022, at Shenango Township Community Park. Envirothon is designed to educate high school students in natural resource and environmental sciences. It combines in-class curriculum and outdoor training to help high school students learn more about aquatic ecology, forestry, soil & land use, wildlife, and current environmental issues.

Read & Learn at Shenango Park- The event will be held on July 8th, 15th, 22nd, and 29th.

Public Comment:

Barbara Thompson- Concerned with speeding on Boyd School Road. She would also like to see more guard rails along Old Pittsburgh Road.

Frank McPherson- Wants to lease a spot at the Lawrence Village Plaza. He was informed that until the back taxes are paid, and all code violations are fixed no other permits will be issued to Lawrence Village Plaza.

Ron Turk- Baldwin Street Light needed at intersection.

Action Items:

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve payment of the General Fund expenses of \$39,893.29. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve payment of the Payroll Fund expenses of \$94,732.66. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve payment of the Fire Tax Fund expenses of \$17,291.67. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve the contract between Shenango Township and Youngblood Paving for the 2022 Road Resurfacing Project-Base Bid (Frank Avenue/City line Street, Plum Street and Spring Street) at a cost of \$109,758.50. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve the contract between Shenango Township and Youngblood Paving for the 2022 Road Resurfacing Project-Alternate Bid I (Ridgewood Court) at a cost of \$58,494.45. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve the contract between Shenango Township and Youngblood Paving for the 2022 Road Resurfacing Project-Alternate Bid II (Ron Drive and Jenny Lane) at a cost of \$85,426.60. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve the contract between Shenango Township and Youngblood Paving for the 2022 Road Resurfacing Project-Alternate Bid III (Brookshire Drive, Meadowcroft Drive and Cloverdale Drive) at a cost of \$64,641.60. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to decline the contact between Shenango Township and Youngblood Paving for the 2022 Road Resurfacing Project-Alternate Bid IV (Links Drive) at a cost of \$47,980.43. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to decline the contact between Shenango Township and Youngblood Paving for the 2022 Seal Coat Resurfacing Project-Base Bid (Sankey Hill Road, Boyd School Road, Douglas Drive) at a cost of \$43,124.70. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to decline the contract between Shenango Township and Youngblood Paving for the 2022 Seal Coat Resurfacing Project-Alternate Bid (Old Butler Road) at a cost of \$19,945.55. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to table the hiring of a part-time Police Officer. Motion carried.

Conservatorship is still being considered if the owners of the plaza are unwilling to pay the taxes and bring the property up to code.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve for the disbursement of the Shenango Township/South New Castle Borough fact sheet. Available on the website. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Burick second my Mr. Augustine for scheduling of a joint public informational meeting with South New Castle Borough Council to be advertised at a TBD. Motion carried.

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Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve the Vodenichar 2-lot consolidation on Ellwood Road. Motion carried.

Resolutions:

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve Resolution #14 of 2022-Amended fee Resolution. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Rishel second by Mr. Burick to approve Resolution #15 of 2022-NCATA Match Funding Resolution. Motion carried.

Discussion Items: None

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

Meeting adjourned at 6:50 p.m.