

GLENBURN TWP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' MEETING

MINUTES July 21, 2014

Board Members in Attendance: Mike Savitsky, David Jennings and Bill Wicks

Board Guests in Attendance: Code Enforcement Officer Wicks, Secretary Treasurer Benson.

Public in Attendance: Attachment

-Supervisor Savitsky called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm with the pledge to the flag.

Minutes:

Supervisor Savitsky motioned to waive the reading aloud of and accept the minutes of the June 16, 2014 Township Meeting, Supervisor Jennings 2nd, All in Favor.

Financial Report/Presentation of Bills

Mo. by Savitsky 2nd by Jennings to pay the bills and accept the financial reports as presented. All in Favor.

Hickory Ridge Sewer: Mike Savitsky reported that according to Mark Young, an agreement has been reached between Border Realty and Clarks Summit. The agreement between ARWA and Glenburn is in the works.

Committee Reports

Police: No Report

Roads: Joanne read the road report from Road Master Mennig. Ditches were sprayed with Round-Up to control weeds. Roadside edges were scoured out and repaired. Ditches on Wynnwood, Braewood and three spots going up Park Ave. were cleaned out and restored. Two days were spent cleaning up trees after the July 2nd storm. Tourist Ave. was regarded on July 1.

Sewage Enforcement: No Report

Code Enforcement: Tom Wicks reported that one building permit was issued. He spoke with Dave Klepadlo about a potential development of the 100 Acre former Hewlett property. A Philadelphia Doctor is interested in developing the parcel. 19 sewer test sites were done on the property.

Planning: No Report

Recreation: No Report

Old Business:

Precision National Plating (PNP) Update: No Report

ACT 32 Tax Collection: No report.

Fig Avenue Properties: Supervisor Jennings reported that the property is much improved.

Arch Ave.: Malcolm will have the Parking Ordinance done for the next meeting. Dave Jennings said the parking area is done and that the trail is beautiful.

Caboose: Joanne did some research on the Caboose restoration and after speaking with the experts at Steam Town, reported that it would need to be restored by someone who dealt with painting automobiles, etc. She spoke with Restore Auto and Andy Lengel was interested in the project and will give an estimate. He said that it would need to be sand blasted and sealed and a temporary shelter would have to be built to accommodate the blasting and painting process. This would probably require permission from the Railroad to have part of it on their land. Joanne also spoke with the PA Historical Museum Commission about a possible grant. She will follow up with them. She will also call Rick Laske of Ace Painting for an estimate. Not too much information is available on the history of the caboose. It was donated to the Township during the terms of Howard Griggs, Dick Stoekel and Bill Bass. Tom Wicks thought that Frank Colombo had hauled it in with his equipment.

New Business:

DCED Regional Police Study: Clarks Summit Boro asked if Glenburn would be interested in participating in a Regional Police Study conducted by the DCED at no cost to the Township. Mike Savitsky felt that our current situation was working out very well. Historically the regional police studies done in the past have not provided an economic benefit to the Township. **Mike Savitsky motioned to decline participation in the DCED Regional Police Study. Bill Wicks 2nd. All in Favor.**

Announcements: Joanne said that Glenburn would be having a 10th Annual Art show but she has not picked the official date yet. The opening reception will be either the 3rd or 4th week in October. Information will be in the paper and on the website as usual.

Public Input: Sue Heller asked for a status on the Edwards Avenue septic issue. A letter was sent by Dave Lamereaux to the owner Rudy Hoffman asking him to remedy the problem. He was given 30 days to comply. Joanne will get back to Sue with any updates. Sue also asked if a “No Outlet” sign could be placed at the corner of Edwards Ave. and Seamans St. Bill Wicks said that the Township could do that. She also asked about the gravel at the bottom of Tourist. Joanne will mention that to the Road Crew for cleanup. Ron Hazlett asked about putting piping in along the front of his property. Bill Wicks told him that the Township would help but that he would have to pay for the piping and fill and any other items needed to make it a viable drainage facility. Ron will do some additional research on it.

Lackawanna County Liaison Gerard Hetman: Gerard discussed the newest round of art grants being offered and will drop off an application to the Township. Applications are also on the LC website. Arts Engage will take place on August 1st at the Trolley Museum. LC will be sponsoring Code Red alerts for high temperatures. American Pickers will be coming to the area in August. He left information for anyone who was interested.

Correspondence:

Correspondence was reviewed following Executive Session. **Mike Savitsky motioned to adjourn the meeting at 8:10pm and Dave Jennings 2nd. All in Favor.**

Respectfully Submitted,

Joanne Benson, Secretary/Treasurer