

MINUTES FOR GLENBURN TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MEETING

April 20, 2022

Board Members in attendance: Jim Davis, Matt Keisling, Bill Wicks

Board Guests in Attendance: Bernadette Menendez

Public in Attendance : Mr. & Ms. Hiller, Jim Clark

Supervisor Davis called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM with the pledge to the flag.

Public Comment Period:

Chairman Davis introduced Jim Haddock who running for the new 118th House district. He provided some background on his career and how he is a qualified candidate. The Supervisors thanked him for coming.

Minutes

Motion made by Supervisor Davis to waive reading of the minutes aloud and to accept the minutes of the March 16, 2022 meeting. 2nd by Supervisor Matt Keisling All in Favor

Financial Report/Presentation of Bills

Secretary Treasurer Menendez reported the bills for April 20, 2022, to the Board. Motion made by Supervisor Davis to pay the bills and accept the financial reports as presented by the Secretary. 2nd by Supervisor Bill Wicks. All in Favor.

Committee Reports

- **Police:** Report briefly reviewed and noted that 22 calls in March is down from the prior year.
- **Roads:** Monthly report from Mark Hopkins. Supervisor Davis motioned to waive the reading of the road report. 2nd by Supervisor Matt Keisling. All in favor.
- While on the topic of roads, Supervisor Wicks shared additional information regarding paving projects. Wicks shared that Glenburn is advertising tomorrow, along with S. Abington Township, for bids on the following streets in our township: Sunset, Church Hill, and Sugarbush. Scranton Street is one block and is eligible for a Low Volume Grant. Wicks noted that at the May Twp meeting we may be able to vote on the bid to award projects. Davis asked if this was just for resurfacing and Wicks responded that it would also include drainage on Church Hill, plus milling and paving. What we are able to do is undecided because the rising cost of fuel/oil prices. Davis asked will be able to do all four streets, Bill is not sure at this time.
- Davis sent letter to PA American water regarding all the work over the years being done to Sugarbush and Wyndwood. Davis is hoping for the paving of Sugarbush and Wyndwood will be considered by PA American water since they have done a lot of the work that has led to damaged roads.
- UGI is installing a natural gas line to the garage, no cost to put line.
- Wicks reported the need for a Conex box for storage of equipment to clear out the garage.
- Wicks reported there is a PennDOT Equipment auction , May 15th to May 31st, 2022.

Davis asked if the American Rescue money will be covered to pay for equipment. Wicks: Yes.

Unfinished Business

- Bernadette reported that she is working on the American Rescue Plan reporting. Bernadette went through the PSATS class online.
- Bernadette reported that the flooring will be completed by Friday 4/22/20

New Business:

- Township Audit has been completed and submitted to state. Auditors have made copies for the supervisors to review. Info was given to the supervisors.

Public Comment Period for New Items /Issues

- Mr. & Ms. Hiller live on Laurel Hill and they had several questions of what is going on with the tree clearing on Waterford Rd. They shared that there is a new road going in and asked what is being built. There have been 8 to 10 triaxle trucks every day. They expressed concern and said other residents feel the same way.

Supervisor Wicks said that no permits have been applied for with the Township. Ms. Hiller said there are no trees left, they have all been cut down. Supervisor Wicks said the township has limited ability with restricting tree removal, however the County Soil Conservation District was contacted within 2 days of the work. They did site inspection and contacted Supervisor Wicks. The Department of Environment Protection has been notified. Before any actual development can take place, the developer must come to Planning Commission and bring all the plans and drawings. Advertisements will be done. No Plan can be addressed because he has not come to submit any plans.

- Twp resident Jim Clark asked if drainage by his house could be corrected, it's on Fig Street and near paper road. Supervisor Wicks said he would have the DPW workers go take a look at it.

Announcement

The Annual Spring Cleanup is set up for April 25, 2022. JP Mascaro is contracted for the work. Information has been posted on website and in newspaper.

Supervisor Wicks also wanted to send his appreciation out to the Clarks Summit EMS. Their response time was 5 minutes to his home. Very thankful for their assistance and care for a family member.

Supervisor Matt Keisling motioned to adjourn at **8:01 PM.** and 2nd by Supervisor Jim Davis. All in Favor.

Respectfully Submitted
Bernadette Menendez
Secretary Treasurer