

Sheshequin Township

Minutes

July 17th, 2023 Regular Meeting

Chairman Lafy opened the meeting at 6:30pm

Attendees, Chairman Kurt D. Lafy, and Vice-chair Aaron Holdren, Secretary, Lori Kepner. Road Master, Supervisor John Smith was not present. Guests present were Laura Hewitt.

Lafy made a motion to approve the June 19th, 2023 Regular meeting minutes. Holdren Second. 2 Yeas

The road master provided a written road report due to not being present at the meeting. They have cleaned ditches, hauled 2rc, and graded on Stone Chimney rd., Creek rd., Bald Mt Rd., Homan Hill Rd, Wood run Rd, Harry Piper road, and Water road. They have cut and removed several trees and limbs throughout the township. Clean pipes and ditches on Bradley from the recent storms and also on Collins road. They have been stacking the Antiskid in for winter. Placed R6 rip rap along roadway on Creek rd. for road protections. Truck 4 was at Watsons Diesels for repairs. Truck 6 was at Watsons for an antifreeze leak. Roller repair at Bradco for broken bolts in head and fan blade. They will continue to finish summer work, finish road oil, and start mowing sides of the roads.

There is nothing new to report on the EMC, Fire Dept. or the website. Lafy updated the board on the meetings he has had on the Solar Ordinances. There were no subdivisions to report. There is nothing new with the township Facebook page; Brandy Smith will send the board some options to review at a later date. Lafy has not heard back from DEP on the illegal burning in Sheshequin Township. The board discussed the draft Broadband Letter of Support that Sam Bain had forwarded to the Township to review. The board is not interested at this time to send a letter of support. They feel the letter is not necessary at this time. Lafy explained to the board that he had contacted Penndot and about a possible four way stop at the intersection of Ghent Hill and Sheshequin Road. He explained that Penndot has reviewed the information he provided to them and they are going to proceed with putting in a new 4 way stop at the intersection of Ghent Hill and Sheshequin Road.

The Township had received a letter from Code Inspections on some violations at an address on James Street in Sheshequin Township and wanted to know if the board would like him to move forward with sending a letter to the Property Owner. After much discussion, Lafy will contact the tenant and explain to her the options available to her and move forward from there on this situation.

Holdren moved to accept the treasurer's report, Lafy second. 2 Yeas.

Our next meeting will be on August 21st, 2023 at 6:30pm.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:15pm.

Minutes prepared by Lori Kepner, Secretary