

Sheshequin Township

Minutes

June 17th, 2024 Regular Meeting

Chairman Lafy opened the meeting at 6:30pm

Attendees, Chairman Kurt D. Lafy, Vice Chairman, Joseph Richter and Secretary, Lori Kepner. John Smith was absent due to vacation: There were several guests present, Laura Hewitt and Carl Hill. Carl brought up to the board about fill dirt from working the roads and suggesting if residents would like some fill dirt it would make it easier on them to just give it to someone local than to make 20 trips a day running back to the garage to dump it. The board was in agreement with his suggestion and will work on trying to make the public aware of the situation somehow. Also, Richter suggested a type of machine that the township maybe interested in buying that would sort all the current stone at the township, so that the township could use the separated products back into the road when needed and save the township some money in the future. He is to get information on this for the board to review.

Lafy motioned to accept the May Regular Meeting minutes with a few corrections. Mostly spelling issues. Kepner will correct and just have a copy for the board for the next meeting. Richter seconded and all agreed. The road master provided a written road report, which is attached to the minutes.

There is nothing new to report on the Fire Dept; and the board may want to add a notice to the website in the future about fill dirt. The board had received the updated flood plain ordinance from Leslie Rhodes and will act on it at the next meeting: The board is still working on some permit/land development issues within the township and will address it with Matt Gorman from Code Inspections Inc. Bill Toth (SEO), did visit the property at Hornbrook homes for the possible sewer violations and is going to contact DEP on the issues. There is nothing new with the Solar Ordinances. The board discussed the DeCristo permit and Lafy will contact DeCristo's and the attorney and get it moving forward. Richter and Kepner had no updates on the Camera Policy for the township at this time. Lafy made suggestions on what he would like the policy to have in it which are some of the followings: Just one person could review it, only supervisors could review it and the secretary, unless there was an employee issue and they would include the employee with reviewing it so they could give their input. Kepner explained she did not want the ability to review the cameras.

New business: The board discussed the Broadband Resolution presented by T. Thompson with CBPA. The board was in favor of supporting this resolution and would like Kepner to draft the resolution to be considered at the next meeting. Lafy had contacted the insurance company to discuss safety within the township building, as was mentioned before in a prior meeting. The Insurance representative had many suggestions. One that safety zones would be established in the Garage, when working and walking around equipment. The addition of the cameras that were installed would not provide a discount to the insurance policy at this time.

Lafy made a motion to accept the treasurer's report. Richter seconded and all agreed. July 4th is a holiday and the township will be closed that day. The meeting was adjourned at 7:23pm. Next meeting will be July 15th, 2024.

Minutes prepared by Lori Kepner, Secretary