

Montgomery Township
1220 Cush Creek Road, Cherry Tree, PA 15724-7728

Regular Monthly Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, September 11, 2019

Members Present: William Burba, Edward M. Freno and Kevin Penrose

Members Absent: None

Others Present: John Pittman, Joanne Traxler - Township Auditor, Patricia Goodlin - Tax Collector, Sherry Decker and Officer David Angelo - Cherry Tree Borough Police Department

Meeting Called to Order: William Burba called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m., followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. After the Pledge the Chairman asked for a moment of silence in memory of 911 which had happened 18 years ago on this date.

Public Comment (Limited to Agenda Items): None

Request to be on Agenda: None

Correspondence: Received a letter from American Rock Salt Company announcing it is the awarded vendor for the 2019-2020 Season. Received a letter from Pennsylvania Hardwoods Development Council about Ordinances that unreasonably restrict forestry. Received an invitation to attend Seigworth's Customer Appreciation Day.

Minutes: Ed motioned to accept the Regular Monthly Meeting minutes, second Kevin, Carried.

Treasury Report: Kevin motioned to approve the Treasury Report, second Ed, Carried.

Payment of Bills: Ed motioned to pay the bills, second Kevin, Carried.

Old Business:

Kerr Avenue: A traffic study will be conducted before the next meeting.

Census 2020 Complete Count Committee: The Township hasn't found anyone who wants to be on the committee. An update on the addresses was received and looks to be accurate. The letter will be signed and sent back.

Hazardous Mitigation Forms Update: The items that will be listed on the form are to clean the stream in Hillsdale, to install a generator at the township building and it was suggested that the repair of the box culvert on Hazelet Road be added because it is possible that the township may get some money for the project. Ed motioned that Bill get prices on the generator, second Kevin. Kevin Motioned that the Box Culvert on Hazelet Road be added to the list.

New Business:

2019 PSATS Election of Trustee: Bill motioned to Vote for Michael Keller, the only one running for the position, second by Ed, carried.

Glen Campbell Volunteer Fire Relief Association: The Township was contacted by the State Auditor asking for help in getting the Fire Relief Association Audit Material. He stated he had requested the information six times and is not getting any response. Paula called Dave Lucas and Mick Oaks, she informed them that they will not be receiving their share of the Foreign Fire Insurance Premium Tax unless they are in compliance with the audit. Since then Dave Lucas obtained the materials needed and Mimi Oaks has been scanning and sending the material that had been requested. Ed motioned to hold the money until we receive notice that they are in compliance, second Kevin, Carried.

Police Report: Dave Angelo gave the report for August.

Announcements:

Food pickup: Tuesday, October 08, 2019.

Regular Monthly Meeting – Wednesday, October 09, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Building, 1220 Cush Creek Road, Cherry Tree, PA 15724

Recycling – October 05, 2019 in the parking lot of Hillsdale Construction, 286 Hwy. Hillsdale, Pa

Public Comment: Patty Goodlin asked if the Township knew the date of the Fall Convention. Ed stated that he will be attending the meeting and he would find out at that time.

Adjournment: Ed motioned to adjourn the meeting, second Kevin, carried.

Respectfully Submitted,



Paula Burba
Secretary/Treasurer