

SOLICITOR'S REPORT:

Ms. Matsco congratulated Mr. Jones on his appointment to the COVID-19 Pennsylvania Bar Task Force.

Mr. Jones' report:

- There was a change in the Notary Act thru electronic means – a video of a signature is good enough
- Will give Ms. McCoy information on becoming an ENotary
- Business at local courthouses was deemed non-essential by Governor Wolf but was overruled by the Supreme Court and the decision was left up to the President Judge in each county (Beaver – legal activity is still going on)
- The Township Planning Commission meetings and Zoning hearings can be held by ZOOM
- He explained that the Township can continue after the pandemic is over to hold meetings by ZOOM.

ENGINEER'S REPORT:

Mr. Sell's report:

- He completed his plan review of Montgomery Ridge – there will not be a Planning Commission meeting as they thought it would be too challenging during the pandemic
- He is getting the bid package ready for the 2020 Township paving – should be ready in about 2-3 weeks
- Mr. Jones told the Board that the companies bidding will be considered essential for public infrastructure

MOTION TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR THE 2020 TOWNSHIP ROAD PAVING CONTINGENT ON THE BOARD'S REVIEW.

MOTION: Al Cwynar

SECOND: Earl Shamp

MOTION CARRIED

PLANNING COMMISSION:

Ms. Patton stated that the Planning Commission will not meet this month due to the pandemic. The Township will be asking for 60-day extensions on the two subdivisions. Any new applications during the pandemic will be asked to submit in electronic format. The Board can reject or accept the subdivision application at the end of the initial 90 days if the applicant does not request an extension.

FIRE DEPARTMENT: The residents were alerted on Savvy Citizen regarding last night's storm.

ROAD DEPARTMENT:

The Road Department assisted with removal of trees down on Mowry Road due to the storm. The Road Department's new truck/plow is ready but cannot be picked up until the dealership can do inspections. The Township is trying to reach Detroit Salt as we did not finish purchasing the amount on last year's contract. Salt through the COG this year is a little cheaper. Justin is only working in the Township during the pandemic and will only assist GHRIP in an emergency. The Township road sweeping was finished before the shut-down.

POLICE DEPARTMENT:

There have been additional patrols in the Township. Chief Kramer updated the Supervisors on the department's masks and PPE. Mr. Jones reported that local police will not enforce the Governor's stay at home order by stopping vehicles.

ROCKY BEND:

Mr. Shamp reported that the filtration system for drinking water would take up an entire restroom. DEP requires minutes approving removal of drinking fountains. Ms. Matsco wants to hear from DCNR regarding grant monies and their feedback on drinking water. The alternative would be another building with electric, heat and a filtration system.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Jamie Harrington reported that he can assist with GIS mapping and plant location at Rocky Bend.

Lauren Patton wanted to know if Shell received their waiver to resume construction. Shannon Debes reported that they have not heard anything yet.

REAL ESTATE TAX COLLECTOR:

Vicky Leininger submitted the 2020 March Real Estate Tax Report to the Supervisors.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

- The balance in the General Fund Account is \$717,387.58 Bills for this account totaled \$122,920.71
- The balance in the State Liquid Fuels Account is \$28,237.77 Bills for this account totaled \$440.74
- The balance in the Capital Equipment Account is \$51,928.39 There were no bills for this account
- The balance in the Escrow Money Account is \$101,533.24 Bills for this account totaled \$750.00
- The balance in the Wage Tax Account is \$61,296.16 There were no bills for this account
- The balance in the Public Safety Account is \$1,817,123.22 Bills for this account totaled \$9,144.98
- The balance in the DCNR Grant Fund Account is \$1.00 There were no bills for this account
- The balance in the Money Market Fund is \$4,606,063.53 \$892,487.50 of this is MDIA permit fees
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- The balance in the Recreation Board Account \$646.29 Bills for this account totaled \$13.77

MOTION TO APPROVE THE TREASURER'S REPORT AND PAY THE BILLS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL.

MOTION: Earl Shamp

SECOND: Al Cwynar

MOTION CARRIED

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- The Township Municipal Office will remain closed to the public through April 30th.
- The Planning Commission will not meet in April
- Primary Election Day has been moved from April 28th to June 2nd.
- The Supervisors will schedule Work Session on Wednesday, May 6th and a Business Meeting on Wednesday, May 13th – but will continue to evaluate the current COVID-19 situation – which may determine how the meetings are handled - physically or electronically.

The Board wished everyone a Blessed Easter.

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS THE MEETING ADJOURNED AT 7:23 PM.

MOTION: Al Cwynar

SECOND: Earl Shamp

MOTION CARRIED

Respectfully Submitted,

Linda McCoy, Secretary