

SPRING TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS
Regular Monthly Meeting
June 7th, 2010
7:00 P.M.

The Spring Township Regular Monthly Meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Terry Perryman, Chairman, followed by Pledge to the Flag.

Supervisors: Terry Perryman, David Capperella & Frank Royer
Solicitor: Tracey Benson – Miller, Kistler, Campbell Inc.
Township Manager: William MacMath
Zoning Officer: Vaughn Zimmerman
Guests: Attendance sheet attached to original minutes

HEARING OF VISITORS:

ACTION ON MINUTES OF MAY 3rd (Public Hearing & Reg. Mtg.) 2010:

It was on a motion of David Capperella seconded by Frank Royer to accept the Minutes of May 3rd, 2010 as submitted for the public hearing and regular meeting. Unanimously approved motion carried.

REPORTS ON OFFICIALS AND COMMITTEES:

The following reports were submitted to The Board of Supervisors and are on file for review.

- Township Treasurers Report – Submitted by Molly Baird
- Water Authority Treasurers Report – Submitted by Molly Baird
- Police Report – Submitted by Greer Perryman
- Municipal Employees Report – Submitted by Gary Royer
- Code Enforcement Report – Submitted by Vaughn Zimmerman
- Sewer Enforcement Report – No Report
- Fire Company Report – Submitted by Gary Royer
- Ambulance Report – Submitted by Gary Royer

Frank Royer, Supervisor, questioned the Board on their feelings of having a page added to the current Police Report showing what each officer does for the month. Supervisors agreed.

It was on a motion of David Capperella seconded by Frank Royer to accept the above reports as submitted. Unanimously approved motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

M.O.U. – State College & Centre County Tax Collection Committee – William MacMath, Manager, reported the Centre County Tax Collection Committee had decided to contract with State College Borough to be the collector, this was after presentations and interviews

interviews by other groups. A big factor in this decision was that they are local and have a computer system to handle the workload, plus 70% of the population is on their system or similar, which will make the transition easier. This Memorandum of Understanding is just for any comment, the Tax Collection Committee will vote on this in June. It would be in the Township's best interest to have an office in the Bellefonte Area to service our residents. The goal of the committee is to have this up and running January 1, 2011. Terry Perryman, Chairman, reported he is opposed sending anything to State College Borough because he feels when they get their fingers on something it never returns. Mr. Perryman also voiced his concern because this change will effect two Township employees, therefore the only way he will agree is if State College Borough would give The Township's employee's the option to take the job. Frank Royer, Supervisor, reported he is upset that the Supervisors have no say. William MacMath, Manager, remarked it's the way the legislation was written. David Capperella, Vice-Chairman, questioned what happens with future decisions? William MacMath, Manager, reported The Committee will only meet once or twice a year. Mr. Capperella, Vice-Chairman, also questioned if there will be a Bellefonte office. Mr. MacMath, Manager, reported he feels there is a strong need for a Bellefonte office and there has been no opposition and will probably be at least a two person office. Frank Royer, Supervisor, commented he feels also there definitely needs to be a Bellefonte office.

C.A.T.A. Agreement for Bus Service – 2010/2011 – It was on a motion of Frank Royer seconded by David Capperella to approve the CATA Agreement for 2010/2011. Unanimously approve motion carried.

Police Vehicle – William MacMath, Manager, reported the new Police vehicle is in service and if approved, will put old car out for bid. Consensus was to proceed with bidding.

FOR INFORMATION:

Chipper Grant Update – William MacMath, Manager, reported at the current time there is no grant monies available for a Chipper. Joann Shaffer of the Centre County Solid Waste Authority, will notify as to when any funding may be restored.

RESOLUTIONS & ORDINANCES:

Resolution No. 03-10 – CATA Budget – It was on a motion of Frank Royer seconded by David Capperella to approve Resolution No. 03-10 – CATA Budget as submitted for review. Unanimously approved motion carried.

Ordinance 03-10 – Wells & Boreholes – William MacMath, Manager, reported corrections and comments have been made to this document and has been properly advertised. It was on a motion of Frank Royer seconded by David Capperella to approve Ordinance 03-10 – Wells & Boreholes. Unanimously approved motion carried.

Ordinance 04-10 – Fire Services – Intermunicipal Agreement – William MacMath, Manager, reported after years of work and most recently solicitors reviews and comments there is an agreement. This is a two year agreement, while a Fire Services Task Force is formed and make recommendations. The Township must appoint one elected official and one citizen to the task force, they do not have to be appointed at the meeting, but should be appointed as soon as possible. After brief discussion, it was on a motion of Frank Royer seconded by David

Capperella to approve Ordinance 04-10 – Fire Services Intermunicipal Agreement contingent upon all other Township’s approving/signing. Unanimously approved motion carried. It was also agreed to appoint Frank Royer as the Elected Official/Representative for Spring Township on the Task Force Committee.

CORRESPONDENCE:

William MacMath, Manager, reported on the following correspondence received.

Glenn O. Hawbaker, Inc. – Letter received regarding White Rock 2 Blasting Notice.

YMCA of Centre County – Letter received thanking Spring Township for being an ad sponsor at their Annual Charity Auction.

PennDOT – Letter received notifying Spring Township of their proposes to perform roadway improvements within Spring Township on Route 550, Airport Road to I-99. Project is tentatively scheduled to be let in April, 2011.

PSATS News Bulletin – Flyer received regarding PSATS fight against legislation that would eliminate Townships, Cities and Boroughs.

BILLS FOR APPROVAL:

It was on a motion David Capperella seconded by Frank Royer to approve the bills for the month of June 2010 as submitted for the General Fund Account, Street Light Account, and the State Fund Account. Unanimously approved motion carried.

OPEN FORUM:

ADJOURN:

With no further business to discuss, it was on a motion of David Capperella seconded by Frank Royer to adjourn the meeting at 7:21 p.m. Unanimously approved motion carried.

**Molly Baird,
Recording Secretary**

