

COVINGTON TOWNSHIP
Board of Supervisors
Regular Monthly Meeting
March 11, 2019

The March 11, 2019 meeting of the Covington Township Board of Supervisors was held in the Covington Township Municipal Building at 114 East Hill Road, Covington PA. Chairman Lisowski called the meeting to order at 7:00PM. Present along with the Chairman was Supervisor Fessler, Supervisor Powlison and Secretary Nicole Bennett.

Chairman Lisowski asked for public comments on the agenda items only.

Minutes of the meeting held on February 11, 2019 Regular monthly meeting were reviewed and approved.

Motion to pass: 1st – R. Powlison, 2nd – S. Fessler, all ayes.

The Treasurers Report was reviewed and approved.

Motion to pass: 1st – S. Lisowski, 2nd – S. Fessler, all ayes.

The Deposit Report was reviewed and approved. With Secretary advising as of today there was a deposit of \$250,000.00 into Dirt & Gravel Road 1 account.

Motion to pass: 1st – R. Powlison, 2nd – S. Fessler, all ayes.

The Bills Report was reviewed and approved.

Motion to pass: 1st – S. Lisowski, 2nd – S. Fessler, all ayes.

No Real Estate Transfer Report to review.

Road Master Report: Winter Maintenance, Road Master working with Secretary and FEMA. Shelia B. stated that the road crew has done a wonderful job taking care of the cindering this year.

Zoning Report: Report was reviewed along with permits.

No Building Permits to review.

No Sewer Permits to review.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Monica from FEMA has been in contact with Secretary and Road Master, has made 2 trips to work on paperwork and get the recovery scoping meeting started. Will be here every Wednesday to be with Secretary to work on paperwork through the computer. Will be in contact as to when they will be coming to meet with Road Master to look at damaged roads.
- Road Master has been in contact with Lane regarding Palmer Bridge, they stated we are loosely scheduled for the 29th of July for them to come put together and install the pipe. Township is doing dirt work and must have everything ready prior to them coming. *Mike B. stated if needed more area, come to house, its okay to use his field. *
- Secretary asked to clarify what chargers are for permits & demos with new Code Inspector. Supervisors stated had not talked about it, will get back to it.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Opened bids for 2019. Supervisors went over bid results and made decisions on aggregate, had questions on pipe bids and accepted Stryker. Tabled until next meeting.
- TCATO dues are due \$75 for 2019. TCATO meeting will be held October 3, 2019 this year.
- Letter from Doug Wicks, Environmental Planner, Tioga County Emergency Services regarding 2019 dumpsite survey project. According to paperwork from 2011 our Township has 3 dumpsites? Supervisors are aware of a couple places that people were throwing their trash. They believe 660 to be cleaned up. Asked Secretary to fill out survey and speak with Brian if needed.
- Letter from Micha Wineberg the Highway Beautification Manager. He is stated that one of our signs within the Township needs to be removed.
 - Received \$31,362.50 from Conservation District for 2nd half of Hilfiger Road Contract.
 - Received \$250,000.00 from Conservation District for Wilson Road.
 - Received Liquid Fuels tax in the amount of \$121,881.60.
- Draft Audit available for each Supervisor. Needs approval before they can file, and the Auditors report and letter is also included. **Motion** to pass: 1st – R. Powlison, 2nd – S. Lisowski, all ayes,
- Received phone call from NTSWA – people are putting household trash in the recycle bins, they are not happy. EX: Ice Melt Bags, put up signs again, as well as posted online.
- Discussion on pickup truck. Dick spoke with Blaise Alexander. Need the basics of what is wanted and needed: 4x4, plow package, 8ft box, gas, 10 ply tires. Dick will be in after vacation to get information.

INFORMATION / ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Next Township Meeting will be held April 8, 2019

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Mike B. thanks Township about tree removal and cinders.

With there being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 8:22PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Nicole Bennett, Secretary
Covington Township
