

MEETING MINUTES – West Bethlehem Township Supervisor Meeting –Tuesday, September 14, @ 6pm. ** Location – Outside steps at Township Building

Attendees: Tom Donahoo/Chairman-Supervisor; Lars Lange/V Chairman-Supervisor; Dave Garland-Supervisor; Betsy Benning-Secretary Treasurer/RTK Officer

Announcement: This meeting is being audio and video taped as an aide to the Secretary and is not considered an official record of business.

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Pledge of Allegiance: I pledge Allegiance to the Flag of the United States, and to the Republic, for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for All.

Citizens Participation: Brenna McFann regarding a Park Rental issue.

Minutes from the Previous Monthly and Special Meeting:

 M Tom Donahoo, Lars Lange 2nd Dave Garland, **all voted yeas, Motion Carried**

Bills paid since the last meeting: Harshman CE Group, \$261.25; UPMC Health Coverage, \$7235.53; Columbia Gas, \$18.35; Waste Management, \$159.36; West Penn Power, \$56.26; SPWA, \$48.96; Consolidated Communications, \$224.14; West Penn Power, \$129.45; Marianna Borough, \$120.29

New Bills: Harshman CE Group, \$608.75 (Act 13); Harshman CE Group, \$642.50 (EQT Chaps – Chevron); Harshman CE Group, \$95.00 (General); Harshman CE Group, \$1343.00 (Equitrans Castile Ridge Rd); Yablonski, Costello & Leckie \$400.00; Sprague, \$694.38; Briggs Tire, \$15.00 Unifirst, \$187.16; PSATS, \$60.00; The Ivy Green, \$100.00; Chemung Supply, \$192.00; Observer Reporter, \$835.00 (Act 13); Sprague Energy, \$694.38; Sams Club Mastercard, \$1657.53; Observer Reporter, \$203.60 (Gen); MWJSA, \$45.00; Washington County Land Bank, \$250.00; Body Shoppe, LLC, \$64.00 (streetlight overpayment); SPWA, \$60.05

Motion: to pay the bills:

 2nd Tom Donahoo, Lars Lange Dave Garland, **all voted yeas, Motion Carried**

Correspondence:

~WBT's population according to the latest Census is now at 1291 residents.

~WBT has a new Dog Warden assigned to our region, Sam Vargo @ 724 483 0793. Flyers will be placed in our lobby as well as the Marianna Post Office lobby.

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~Washington County Farmland Preservation Presentation flyers hung in Lobby.

~ WIFI access is in the process of being added to the Park Pavilion as an upgrade to the Park.

Road Masters Report:

~Award of bid for the Wherry School Paving Project was awarded to Red Stone Excavating, Grindstone, PA, Paving prep will be starting Wednesday, September 15, 2021.

Solicitors Report:

Old Business:

~repointing of Township building bids?? **Supervisor Dave stated he will ask the person he is familiar with.**

~advertise and selling of old equipment at shed, possibly via Municibid? **Supervisor Lars stated he is going to work on this.**

~Township has been informed by the Redevelopment Authority that the Kirbytown Hill Paving Project will likely occur in the Summer of 2022. **Supervisor Lars adds- Bids will be awarded in January 2022.**

~Continue Planning for Community Days Event, the Township has received \$1500 from EQT in support of the Event. **Supervisor Lars added that a band has been hired from 12 noon till 2pm; Lars is also working on other activities such as face painting, possibly additional entertainment from a singer that lives in Marianna.**

New Business:

Motion: what supervisor would like to work on the temporary budget, to begin October 2021.

2nd Tom Donahoo _____ Lars Lange _____ Dave Garland, **all voted yeas, Motion carried.**

Motion: to coordinate a ceremony for the hanging of the History and Landmarks Plaque.

M Tom Donahoo _____ Lars Lange 2nd Dave Garland, **all voted yeas, Motion carried.**

Motion: to place order with the game commission for Seedlings and shrubs

_____ Tom Donahoo _____ Lars Lange 2nd Dave Garland, **all voted yeas, Motion carried.**

Motion: to investigate the cost of adding radios to the existing communication system.

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_____ Tom Donahoo _____ M _____ Lars Lange _____ 2nd _____ Dave Garland, all voted yeas, Motion carried

Motion: to purchase additional equipment radios

_____ M _____ Tom Donahoo _____ 2nd _____ Lars Lange _____ Dave Garland, all voted yeas, Motion carried

Motion: to review and possibly amend the Rules and Regulations for the West Bethlehem Township Park.

_____ Tom Donahoo _____ M _____ Lars Lange _____ 2nd _____ Dave Garland, all voted yeas, Motion carried

Motion: to complete an LSA application, the Township will create a Resolution to support the application.

_____ M _____ Tom Donahoo _____ 2nd _____ Lars Lange _____ Dave Garland, all voted yeas, Motion carried.

Meeting Adjourned: 6:24pm



Handwritten signature: Betty Bennett
Township Treasurer