

**Connellsville Township Supervisors**  
**166 McCoy Hollow Road, Connellsville, PA 15425**  
**Meeting Minutes August 13, 2020**  
**(Meeting held at the Connellsville Twp. Fire Dept. Social Hall)**

- I. **Call to Order-** Vice Chairman Hann called the monthly meeting to order on Thursday, August 13, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.
- II. **Pledge of Allegiance-** led by Chairman Miner.
- III. **Roll Call-** The following persons were present: Chairman Todd Miner, Vice-Chairman Donald Hann, Supervisor Bob Carson, Secretary Darla Hann, Solicitor Jack Purcell
- IV. **Approval of Minutes-** A motion was made by Supervisor Carson to accept the regular meeting minutes from July 9<sup>th</sup> 2020. Second by Vice Chairman Hann. All in favor. Motion carried.
- V. **Public participation-** Mr. Roy voiced his concerns about the dump trucks using Blake, said there are always rocks and dirt everywhere. Chairman Miner stated that the road is a truck route. Solicitor Purcell advised to write letters to the trucking companies and ask them to use tarps, be more careful. Chairman Miner asked that he get the names of the trucking companies and we will write a letter. It was brought up that some are from the contractors working on the new sewage plant. The Secretary will talk to Vern Ohler from the city to address it. Mr. Saxon asked when someone is going to look at Kell Lane. Chairman Miner state the guys were out, along with Code Enforcement. He will come down and look at it himself tomorrow. The Conservation District will check to see if it qualifies for a low volume road grant. Mr. Roy asked about the speed limit sign that was down from the DQ. The Supervisors did not realize it was missing and will have it put back up.
- VI. **Secretary's Report-** The Completion Report for Paving Project 2020 is completed. The Recycling Bin being provided by the County, at not cost, will be dropped off at the Township on September 1<sup>st</sup>. A reminder for residents of the township that there is a tire dumpster here at the Township and tires can be dropped off Monday thru Thursday. A Landlord Ordinance was discussed. Darla Hann stated that she has sent information to the auditor for the 2019 Liquid Fuels Audit since the original meeting had been cancelled due to COVID. Singer Accounting will be coming on August 28<sup>th</sup> for a quarterly check of the accounts. An Occupancy permit needs signed for PennDOT for the pipe project we will be working on with them.
- VII. **Treasurer's Report –** The treasurer's report was read by Darla Hann and is on file in the office. Motion by Supervisor Carson to accept the treasurer's report. Second by Vice Chairman Hann. All in favor.
- VIII. **Authorization to pay bills-** Motion made by Supervisor Carson to authorize payment of the monthly bills for July 2020. Second by Vice Chairman Hann. All in favor. Motion carried.

**IX. Correspondence –**

**X. Committee Reports-**

**\*Fire Dept. –**

**\*Emergency Management –**

**\*Roadmaster –** Report is on file in office

**\*Code Enforcement Officer –** Summary report by Secretary, Darla Hann

**\*Supervisors – Vice Chairman Hann –** Vice Chairman Hann made a motion to give Noah Striner a \$1.00/per hour raise. Second by Supervisor Carson. All in favor, motion carried. Vice Chairman Hann asked about the current burn ban. Discussion followed and it was decided to leave it in place until the next meeting.

**Supervisor Carson –** Informed everyone that the Daycare Center on Linden Avenue was inspected by the state and the State will address the findings. We should let our Code Enforcement Officer know. Supervisor Carson also asked if it was ethical for a Supervisor to take debris/or anything from a house that was condemned by the Township. The Solicitor said as long as it is given voluntarily it is not a problem.

**Chairman Miner –** Informed everyone that the bridge by Miedels is in the final design state and is slated to be constructed in 2022. Chairman Miner also followed up on the house on Dark St. It is being purchased by Rocky Younkin and he has started cleaning it up. He is waiting on an assessment before deciding to fix up or tear down the house. The lot on the corner of Dark & River will have the grass cut in the next 2 weeks.

**XI. Unfinished Business –**

**XII. New Business –** The address issue involving 1101, 1101 & ½, and 1101 R were discussed. The parties involved were all invited to attend the meeting. The homeowners from 1101 attended the meeting. After discussing the issues, a motion was made by Supervisor Carson to name the Lane beside 1101 Springfield Pike, that goes back to 1101 ½ and 1101 R, Pike Lane, and assign new house numbers. Second by Vice Chairman Hann. All in favor, motion carried. Darla Hann will contact the 911 Center and the Post Office and work with them to get this done. Mr. Roy stated there is an issue with people who live on Columbus Street using Blake Avenue as their address. Darla Hann will look into this also. The Township took phone quotes for the paving of Hosfelt Road, however, only one quote came in with two others saying they were not interested in bidding. Darla will continue to get quotes. Chairman Miner suggested selling two of the older trucks the Township owns and buying one new one. Supervisor Carson asked to table this request until next meeting so that he has time to think about it.

**XIII. Ordinances –** Motion made by Supervisor Carson to adopt Ordinance 2020-1, Street Cutting Ordinance Amendment, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Vice Chairman Hann. All in favor, motion carried.

**XIV. Resolutions –**

**XV. Adjournment-** Motion by Supervisor Carson to adjourn. Second by Vice Chairman Hann. All in favor. Motion carried.

Submitted by: *Daula S. Hann*

Approved by: *Todd Miner*

Todd Miner, Chairman

*Donald Hann*  
Donald Hann, Vice Chairman

*Robert Carson*  
Robert Carson, Supervisor