

The Township meeting held on February 7, 2017 at 7:00 PM was called to order and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

### Roll Call of Officers

All members were present; Sec-Treasurer Beverly Henderson, Solicitor Matthew Gieg, Twp. Engineer Thomas Levine were present.

### Minutes

A motion was made by James Grove and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Kenneth Wertz to accept the meeting minutes of January 3, 2017 as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

A motion was made by James Grove and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Kenneth Wertz to accept the Treasurer report as presented for the month of January. The motion passed unanimously.

Announcements: Executive Session was held on January 9, 2017 for personnel  
Executive Session was held at 6:35 PM for Legal Matters.

General Comments William Calvert 1412 Locke Mt. Rd is requesting a lighting and noise ordinance.

Stormwater Issue: There was none to report at this time.

### Old Business:

#### Proclamation for Growmiller (Swinging) Foot Bridge

Mr. Robert Clapper and Mr. Regis Nale, had requested at the last Month Township meeting a Proclamation stating that the Swinging Bridge is within the Township boundaries. Solicitor Gieg wanted to look into the proclamation a little further to make sure that the Township would not be obligated to a financial commitment. Mr. Nale stated that while they are waiting for the bridge to be recognized at a local level as a historical site, they would like to try to raise the funds for Lehman Engineers to evaluate the bridge. Lehman Engineer felt the cost for the evaluation would be approximately \$50,000.00, which would bring the bridge up to ADA compliance for a historical site. Mr. Clapper had approached DEP and request them to put a hold on their river permit. Mr. Clapper and Mr. Nale stated the there is little rehab that needs to be done to the bridge, the were stating the railing as well as some deck boards will need replaced and some spots to the concrete abutments.

A motion was made by James Grove and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Kenneth Wertz to authorize Solicitor Gieg to prepare the Proclamation for the Growmiller (Swinging) Foot Bridge. The motion passed unanimously.

New Business

Highway Occupancy Permit Fees and Forms Resolution a motion was made by James Grove and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Kenneth Wertz at adopt Resolution No. 010717 also known as the acceptance of the PSATS Highway Occupancy Forms as well as the Fees Schedule. The motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned with a motion made by James Grove and 2<sup>nd</sup> by George Henry at 7:18 PM.

Secretary Beverly J. Henderson

