

The regular Township meeting was held on September 4, 2018 at 7:00 PM it 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, Attorney Michael Gieg, Twp. Engineer Thomas Levine were present.

Minutes A motion was made by James Grove and second by Kenneth Wertz to accept the meeting minutes of August 7, 2018. The motion passed unanimously.

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

General Comments

Trina Illig was present on behalf of CDBG Funds and the 2018, allocation. In the year of 2018 we will be receiving 120,999.00. This is up about 11,000.00 from last year. There are some areas that the prior CDBG Funds can be used: one in particular is the area-wide clean up within the Linds Crossing area. We are still waiting to hear from DCED. If not then Ms. Illig suggested spot blight. A motion was made by Kenneth Wertz and second by James Grove to allocate the 2018 funds to area wide clean up. If that isn't possible then a split 30% to blight and 70% to housing rehab. The motion passed unanimously.

Walt Focht - Center Ave. stated a job well done with the cleanup, however he was wondering what is being done to stop the minor flooding as result of minor downpours. It seems when we get a small down pour the stones from Mr. Romina find their way to his ditch and pipe, and he has to clean it out. Mr. Focht was wondering if there is some way that the stone can be kept in her ditch by using gabion baskets. Engineer Levine stated that they are trying to get away from using gabion baskets. Mr. Focht also question if the Township is in the business to clean up private property. Supervisor Henry stated it depends on where the stone comes from. Mrs. Focht felt that if we could get the water in the retention ponds that would be a big help.

Marylyn Bevan was present concerning the water coming off her neighbor is driveway into her yard and eventually into her home. After a brief discussion between Ms. Bevan and Engineer Levine, she stated that she really didn't know where the water is coming from, Supervisors Henry stated that the next time she gets water in her house to call the office and we will send someone up to take a look.

Brady Dodson was present concerning the construction of a new house on lot 113 Country Club Lane. Mr. Dodson stated that he came and talked to Kevin and he was to state that a stormwater plan wasn't needed as well as an E&S plan, since it was not an acre of disturbance. Mr. Dodson in turn contacted the Blair County Conservation District. An inspection was done on

the residence. Engineer Levine stated that he was the one that reviewed the Stormwater plans and he doesn't recall that address. Engineer Levine stated he will contact Kevin in the morning and get back to Mr. Dodson.

Bill Van Atta Geeseytown Fire Hall was present to give his report.

* Training was held in Canoe Creek. They used fake smoke to conduct a search and rescue drill.

* September there will be a Firefighter Survival Class

* Chicken BBQ September 9, 2018

* October 20, 2018 the annual Halloween Party

* Construction on the building is moving forward.

* The sign project is progressing, electric wiring will be donated, and contact with the DeGol Organization was made for their approval on the wording.

With no other business before the Board of Supervisors a motion was made by James Grove and second by Kenneth Wertz to adjourn the meeting at 7:45 PM. The motion passed unanimously.

Secretary Beverly J. Henderson