

Watts Township
October 7, 2020

Present: Chairman Karl Raudensky, Vice Chairman Glenn Smithgall, Supervisor Darren Miller, Secretary/Treasurer Nancy Cangioli, and 13 residents.

The Watts Township Board of Supervisors regular business meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 7, 2020 at the Watts Buffalo Community Center by Chairman Karl Raudensky with the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Secretary announced that the meeting was being recorded to aid in the preparation of the minutes.

A motion was made to approve the August 19, 2020 minutes as read; Miller/Raudensky. Motion carried.

A motion was made to approve the September 2, 2020 minutes as read; Smithgall/Miller. Motion carried.

SECRETARY

Nancy announced all visitors to the office must wear face masks. There are 3 Right to Know requests. The Schreiber and M & J Acquisitions subdivision plans have met the conditions and have been recorded. Arthur Bruaw Jr. has submitted the proper Improvement Guarantee bond, notarized letter and the plan has been recorded.

SOLICITOR

The Knuth Rd No Parking Ordinance has been properly advertised. A motion was made to adopt Ordinance 20-01, Knuth Road No Parking Ordinance; Smithgall/Raudensky. Motion carried. Supervisor Miller was opposed.

ZONING OFFICER

Sadly Bob Hart has passed away. The Board will individually make a donation. Jerry Spease will take over the Zoning duties for the time being. No permits were issued in September.

ENGINEER

Jerry was not in attendance for a report.

FIRE COMPANY

No one was in attendance for a report.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Adoption of the On-lot Sewage Management Program Ordinance has been postponed due to the COVID-19 pandemic-Tim Wagner from DEP has not responded.

Nancy is doing research on the Nuisance Ordinance.

Supervisor Miller reported he obtained costs to do a smoke test on the properties on Notch Rd. The cost is \$500 to \$1,000 and would not be a benefit to do. He spoke to the SEO JC Smith and he has performed 3 tests already. There is nothing else the township can do. He is open to suggestions.

NEW BUSINESS

There will be a budget meeting October 28, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. at the township building. The December 2nd Board of Supervisors meeting has been rescheduled to December 9th.

ROAD MASTER

Grading needs to be done.

PLANNING COMMISSION

There was no meeting in September. There was no business to attend to.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Darlene Ray announced the Community Center will not be doing hayrides this year due to the Covid-19 but will have a drive thru event for the children on October 30th.

Bob Whitmore reported the Community Center is looking into grant opportunities and invited the Board to a meeting on October 20th from 10:00 am to 11:30 am. They have received a CARES Act grant from the County Commissioners.

A motion was made to pay the bills and any bills that come due before the next meeting; Miller/Raudensky; Motion carried.

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 6:30 p.m.; Miller/Raudensky. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Nancy Cangioli
Secretary