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**Marion Township Board of Supervisors Meeting Held July 8, 2021 at the Township Building**

**Present:** Archie Gettig Jr., Herbert Chapman, and Angel Emery

**Guests:** Brian McCauley (Tax Collector), Ken Roan, Marti Roan, Linda Neff, Ilene Barner, Susan Kramer, Tim Weight and Rich Moyle

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Gettig at 7:30 p.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

**On a motion by Chapman and 2nd by Gettig, motion passed to approve the June 10, 2021 Board of Supervisors meeting minutes as presented 2-0.**

Gettig mentioned the Rick Dillon could not attend tonight.

**Public Comments:**  Ken Roan raised concern regarding the lack of signage along 26 stating the substation is there, Gettig will contact Howard Fire Company and PennDOT.

**OId Business:**

**Zito Media-** Everything is finished for now, Zito Media can be removed from agenda.

**911 Addressing-** The agreement was previously approved in a board meeting. **On a motion by Getting and 2nd by Chapman, motion passed to adopt ordinance #2020 as presented 2-0.**

**New Business:**

**Rich Moyle, EMC/Howard Fire Company-** Nothing new to report.

**Nittany Valley Joint Planning Commission**- Meeting to be held July 16th.

**Planning Commission**- No Meeting, Lack of quorum.

**Park & Rec-** Gettig spoke with someone from NVLL regarding the trees and he said he would talk to the league.

June 26th the Marion Grange will be holding the Marion Grange Community Day from 2:00-5:00 at the Marion Township park.

**Zoning Report**-Weed violation letter came back to the township building, Weight will take care of it. Discussion was held with Ilene Barner regarding pine trees with limbs out on the road, Barner questioned the mulberry trees, Gettig will measure to see if it’s on township property.

**Head Road Master Report**- A lot of park maintenance has been done along with mowing along roads. Jacksonville Road from Forest Avenue to the county line and Hubler Ridge Road will be getting graded in the week or two, weather permitting. There’s been an increase in larger vehicle traffic on Sand Ridge. Roan questioned the 10 TON weight limit from I-80 to county line? Gettig spoke with PennDOT, it is from the intersection to the county line. Gettig also thanked the Howard Fire Company for the use of the message board for the Marion Grange Community Day.

**Ken Roan-** A letter was received from Ken and Marti Roan regarding recently vacated right of ways and the desire to have the township vacate the right of way by their home. Getting explained vacating the right of way on Alandra saved the township potentially $30,000 because if it does get developed by the land owner now, it will be the land owner’s responsibility to upgrade the roadway. There was an email received from Louis Glantz who researched the Roan property and it looks like Roan already owns to the center line. Linda Neff explained there is an easement, not a right of way. Weight mentioned that it came with the easement already on the deed for future development. Roan would like to amend his request to get rid of the easement, Gettig asked the Roan’s to submit a formal letter asking for the removal of the easement and the Board will submit it to the township solicitor.

**Other Discussion Items:**

An email was received from HRI requesting use of the pavilion. **On a motion by Gettig and 2nd by Chapman, motion passed to allow HRI to use the pavilion 2-0.**

**On a motion by Gettig and 2nd by Chapman, motion passed to accept Treasurer’s Report and pay bills as presented 2-0.**

**Motion to adjourn 8:13 p.m.**

Treasurers Report: including the list of checks written to date for approval with Treasurer’s report. (Some checks were mailed and the balance is being presented for signatures at this meeting). Checks listed above are from June 11, 2021 through July 8, 2021. Check numbers and the amounts are on the listings and it will be included with the official minutes for filing. Additional checks written after the above dates may be presented for approval at the monthly meetings. The above additional checks will be included again on the monthly listing for approval at the following months meeting.

PLEASE NOTE ALL BALANCES BELOW ARE AFTER ALL CHECKS LISTED IN ABOVE REPORT HAVE BEEN WRITTEN.

General ---- $235,317.21 State liquid fuels fund-- $119,674.96

Park Fund ---- $2,752.31 State Equipment Fund--$28,970.58

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Archie Gettig Jr., Head Chairman

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 Herbert Chapman, Supervisor