

Clifford Township Supervisors Meeting May 9, 2017

Supervisors Present: Dennis Knowlton, Barry Searle, Chris Marcho
Solicitor: Joseph G. McGraw **Secretary:** Joan Hertzog

Business meeting held on Tuesday, May 9, 2017. Chairman Dennis Knowlton called the meeting to order at 7:02 pm. Motion to approve the minutes by Mr. Searle, second by Mr. Marcho. All in favor. Treasurer's report reviewed and will be put on file. List of bills reviewed. Mr. Searle made a motion to pay bills, except Clifford Auto and Clifford Supply, seconded by Mr. Knowlton. All in favor. Mr. Searle made a motion to pay all bills except Knowlton and Son, seconded by Mr. Marcho. Mr. Searle made a motion to pay Clifford Auto and Clifford Supply, seconded by Mr. Knowlton. All in favor. Mr. Marcho abstained due to potential conflict of interest. Mr. Searle made a motion to pay Knowlton and Son, seconded by Mr. Marcho. All in favor. Mr. Knowlton abstained due to potential conflict of interest.

Old Business: Atty. McGraw sent a second letter to property owner of abandoned trailer on Rt. 106

Four bids received for the Elkview Drive Reconstruction Project to be reviewed by Mr. Marcho, Kurt Booths and Ed Sumski from Penndot.

New Business: Mr. Searle made a motion to accept a Mobile Home Grant application and Mr. Knowlton second it as long as it passes final inspection. All in favor.

Mr. Searle spoke about information that he learned at the PSAT's convention that he, Mr. Booths and Mrs. Hertzog attended such as tax deductions for EMS workers and starting a board for an Agricultural Security Area.

Motion made by Mr. Searle and second by Mr. Marcho to advertise Ordinance #1-2017 for Opening Township Roads. All in favor.

Mr. Marcho will be looking into possible road maintenance for Hemlock and Sugar Maple Lanes.

Signs requested at Elkdale Corners and Swetter Corner.

Planning Commission scheduled the next public Zoning meeting for June 14, 2017 at 7:00 pm. Mr. Searle made a motion to advertise and it was second by Mr. Marcho.

Mr. Marcho made a motion for Tax Collector, Jan Price, to be the County Tax Representative. Second by Mr. Knowlton. All in favor. 70% of total taxes collected.

Mr. Searle made a motion to donate \$10,000 to the Clifford Fire Department. \$5,000 for a brush truck and \$5,000 for a lift rack. Second by Mr. Knowlton. Mr. Marcho who is a member of the company, abstained.

Thank you to Robert Keating for 17 years of supervising the Clifford Township Annual Clean-Up.

Joan Hertzog/Secretary
Adjournment 8:03 pm