

Clifford Township Supervisors Meeting April 13, 2021

Supervisors Present: Dennis Knowlton, Barry Searle and Chris Marcho

Solicitor: Joseph McGraw

Secretary: MaryAnn Tayoun

Business meeting held on Tuesday, April 13, 2021 at the Clifford Township building. Chairman Knowlton called the meeting to order at 7:04pm. Motion to approve, March minutes by Mr. Knowlton. Seconded by Mr. Searle. Treasurer's report reviewed and will be put on file. List of bills reviewed. Motion to pay all bills except Clifford Home & Auto made by Mr. Knowlton, seconded by Mr. Searle. Mr. Searle motioned to pay bill for Clifford Home & Auto Seconded by Mr. Knowlton. Motion carried. Supervisor Marcho abstains due to conflict of interest.

Old Business –

Pedestrian Bridge– Bids for Steel Bridge opened & reviewed: 5 total Bids

True North Steel- 65,818.00 Bailey Bridges/Pioneer Bridges - 66,316.00

Wheeler Lumber- 73,140.00 Anderson Bridges - 85,900.00 Contact Engineer Solutions- 90,495.00

Motion to award bid to True North Steel and pay with by Mr. Searle, seconded by Mr. Knowlton

Motion made to advertise and begin bids for the General Construction of bridge by Mr. Searle, seconded by Mr. Knowlton, All in favor.

Spring Cleanup & E-Recycle scheduled Saturday, 9 to noon.

GC Pipeline- motion to table by supervisors.

2021 SPRING ROAD BIDS	BROZONIS EXCAVATING	BARHITE EXCAVATING
SHAPING ROADS PER MILE	4,650.00	1,650.00
DITCH CLEANING PER MILE	4,975.00	2,500.00
TRUCKING MATERIAL	5.25 PER TON	4.00 PER TON

Motion for 2021 spring road bid awarded to Barhite Excavating by Mr. Marcho, seconded by Mr. Searle.

2021 MOWING BID	BARHITE EXCAVATING	BRIAN ZEMBRZYCKI Ex.
	125.00 HOUR	85.00 HOUR

Motion 2021 Mowing bid awarded to Brian Zembrzycki Excavating by Mr. Searle, seconded by Mr. Marcho.

New Business

Susquehanna burn ban in effect until 4/30/2021

American Rescue Plan- Township to receive funds from American Rescue Fund. Motion to open new account for funds by Mr. Searle seconded by Mr. Knowlton.

HB 972- Mr. Searle made township aware of Act providing for sport activities in public institutes of higher education & public school entities to be expressly designated.

Junk Accumulation- Constable sent out for multiple Twp. complaints

Blessing given from Supervisors to Mr. Pettinato to name his private road. Motion by Mr. Searle, seconded by Mr. Knowlton. All in favor.

Dog Walk Meet & Great for Griffon Pond at the park. Motion by Mr. Knowlton, seconded by Mr. Searle.

Motion to pay Justin Ford as employee, fill Jay Lynch position, for SEO. Motion by Mr. Marcho, seconded by Mr. Searle.

Motion made by Mr. Marcho to donate 2,500.00 from Act fund to Greenfield K9 unit. Seconded by Mr. Searle.

Donation made to Township from Alexandra Conley and Family.

Mr. Knowlton checked for any new business. Continued on to reports.

Township Representative Reports:

Police – Reports saving a man's life due to quick response & thanks to equipment such as AED & other donations from Township. 48 dispatches reported.

Road Report – Road Master Booths reports call for down tree. Attempts made to get multiple phone bids for road guard rails. Phone bids started for tree cutting bids.

Motion to put out bids to blacktop Twp Parking Lot by Mr. Marcho, Seconded by Mr. Knowlton

Planning Commission- Sally of Planning Commission recommends 4 maps to be approved & signed by supervisors. Motion made by Mr. Marcho seconded by Mr. Knowlton.

Park and Recreation – Motion for Mountain View Soccer to use field for their games. Gate to be installed for parking in outer field. Concrete pad quoted for park by recycle bins at 3,300. Garage openers and gutters for garage in the works.

Permit Officer-1 electric, 1 pool, 1 driveway, 3 subdivisions

Sewage Office – 1 permit issued. Annas property approved for bathroom only, no bath/shower with provisions such as checks.

Tax Collector – Not present, 28 % as of March per Phill Price

Fire Company - 49 EMS/ Fire calls

Historical Society – Sandy Wilmot reports the museum will be getting new carpet. Glacier project coming along well. Requests donation of 400.00 for plexy-glass to be placed over quilt in office. Motion made by Mr. Searle, seconded by Mr. Marcho

Next Clifford Township Supervisors Meeting
May 11th, 2021 at 7:00pm. MaryAnn Tayoun, Secretary/Treasurer

Adjournment 8:30pm

MaryAnn Tayoun, Secretary