

BERKSHIRE TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES  
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES  
FEBRUARY 24, 2020

Rod Myers called this meeting to order to 7:00 p.m.

Roll Call: Josh Varble, here; Rod Myers, here; and Mike Dattilo, here.

Josh made a motion to approve the Special meeting minutes of February 10, 2020, Larry Buell Cemetery.

Second by Mike. Vote: Unanimous

Mike made a motion to approve the Regular meeting minutes of February 10, 2020 Second by Josh.

Vote: Unanimous

Mike made a motion to approve the Special meeting minutes of February 11, 13, 19, 2020 for interviewing for the Township Administrator. Second by Josh Vote: Unanimous

Old Business:

Doug Riedel from Delaware County Engineers office came to explain the situation and cost for Joe Walker Road Culvert repair. He explained several options to the Trustees.

2020-2-2 Mike made a motion to approve a purchase order for Tom Dew Excavating in the amount of 32,000.00 for Joe Walker Road culvert repair. Second by Rod. Vote: Unanimous.

Mike explained First Impressions takes care of the weed and fertilizing for the Cemetery and hall grounds.

2020-2-3 Mike made a motion to approve a purchase order to First Impressions for the weed control and fertilizing at Berkshire Cemetery in the amount of 1150.00 for 2 applications. Second by Josh. Vote: Unanimous

2020-2-4 Mike made a motion to approve a purchase order to First Impressions for the weed control and fertilizing at the Berkshire Township Hall with 2 applications. Second by Josh Vote: Unanimous.

Mike also explained a meeting was held with Village of Sunbury, Trenton Township and Delaware County to look at Walnut Street. Mike explained no real solution to fix at this point.

Rod explained he left paperwork in the back regarding BST&G overview for the year.

New Business:

36/37 Berkshire intersection was discussed. Josh explained that several options but he has spoken to ODOT and he believes only driveway and culvert to Berkshire Cemetery may be affected. A meeting will be held on March 3, 2020 at the Northgate Church from 5-7 p.m.

Josh advised a meeting on March 25, 2020 for the Zoning discussion with the Residents of Berkshire. A time will be confirmed.

Dave Weade brought to the Trustees an issue regarding the compensation for Melody George, Fiscal Officer, has been taking the minutes since December, 2019. Dave asks the Trustees to approve to pay Melody George the sum of 75.00 per meeting. This is the same as the Board is compensated.

Rod made a motion to approve to compensate Melody George to take the meeting minutes for both the Board of Zoning Appeals and the Zoning Board in the amount of 75.00 per meeting. Second by Mike.

Vote: Josh, abstain; Rod, yes; and Mike, yes. Approved.

Delaware Area Township Meeting next week.

Public Participation:

Alice Nicks – 10933 Vans Valley Road – Economic Development

Jon Kerr – Dustin Road – Weight limit on Roads

Susan Stanton- Legal load on roads

Mary Howard – South Galena Road – minutes/audio

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Public Participation:

John Boylan – Ditch Enclosure request - Trustees will get with John

Josh made a motion to authorize the Fiscal Officer to draw upon the funds to pay the bills. Second by Mike. Vote: Unanimous.

Josh made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:42 p.m. Second by Rod. Vote: Unanimous.