

Clifford Township Supervisors Meeting October 9, 2018

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

Business meeting held on Tuesday, October 9, 2018. Chairman Dennis Knowlton called the meeting to order at 7:00 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. Knowlton made a motion to pay all bills, except for Clifford Home and Auto. Second by Mr. Searle. All in favor. Mr. Searle made a motion to pay Clifford Home and Auto. Second by Mr. Knowlton. All in favor. Mr. Marcho abstained due to potential conflict of interest.

Old Business: Atty. McGraw sent a letter in response to a complaint about property at 3433 SR 2014.

The township will be looking into rewording the Outdoor Events application and possibly updating the ordinance.

Road Master, Kurt Booths, reported the township did what it could do regarding a complaint on T.R. Williams Road. Now, the homeowner will need to contact Gibson concerning storm water run-off.

New Business: Mr. Searle made the motion to advertise and post the proposed 2019 Budget. Second by Mr. Marcho. All in favor. Taxes will not be raised.

Mr. Searle made a motion to sign a letter from New Milford Mayor, Scott Smith, asking DEP to grant more permission to townships to clean out local streams to help prevent future flooding. Second by Mr. Knowlton. All in favor.

Mr. Searle made a motion to sign Resolution 2-18 Adoption of the Susquehanna County Hazard Mitigation Plan. Second by Mr. Marcho. All in favor.

Mr. Searle made a motion to establish a \$2,000 grant program to help EMS volunteers pay for training. Second by Mr. Knowlton. All in favor. Mr. Marcho will schedule a meeting with the fire department.

Mr. Searle made a motion to join the Greater Forest City Business Association. Second by Mr. Marcho. All in favor.

Atty. McGraw will be contacting New Enterprise regarding the cracking on Elkview Drive. If there continues to be no response, it has been agreed on that Mr. Booths will hire someone to do the repairs to avoid further damage and bill New Enterprise.

Planning Commission Chairperson, Sally Fischbeck, recommended supervisors to approve the Vauter subdivision. Also, nominees for an opening on the Planning Commission Board are now being accepted.

Mr. Marcho spoke about the Fall Frenzy 5K Run walk and the Trunk or Treat events to be held in the park. Mr. Wilson is almost finished with the Multi-Purpose Court and working on the pavilion.

EMC, Philip Price, reported having cots and blankets and is working on portable radios for the township.

Historical Society president, Sandy Wilmot, reported the last open house of the season will be this Sunday. Also, she will be speaking at the Endless Mountain Heritage Region's annual meeting.

Joan Hertzog/Secretary
Adjournment 7:51 pm