

Upper Paxton Township Board of Supervisors
Monthly Meeting
April 27, 2022

Those in attendance: Robert Stoner, John Orr, and Robert Coleman, Supervisors; Luanna Zimmerman, Secretary/Treasurer; Rich Wiest, Roadmaster; Dave Rhoades, Frank Klinger, and Terry Kerwin.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Stoner at 10:00 a.m. All present recited the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. Bob Coleman made a motion to approve the minutes from the April 12th meeting. Second by John Orr. With all in favor, motion carried. John Orr made a motion to pay the bills. Second by Bob Coleman. All in favor, motion carried.

Public Comments: None

Roadmaster's Report: Rich Wiest reported that the roadcrew has been busy with the following items: plowing snow, grading River Drive & S. Malta Road, preparation for spring cleanup, street sweeping, hauling stone, and getting ready for contracted roadwork.

Old Business:

1. Frank Klinger and Terry Kerwin spoke with the Board regarding the sink hole on Frank Klinger's property located at 544 State Street, Millersburg, PA 17061. Kerwin provided the Board with photos of the sink hole that were taken earlier today. The Board acknowledged the problem but said they were unsure of the Township's responsibility as this sink hole is on private property and is not an area that the Township has previously maintained. Chairman Stoner noted that the Township did have an engineer observe the storm sewer from State Route 209 to the outfall at Bradenbaugh Field. After discussion, the Board encouraged Klinger to arrange a meeting with PA DEP to discuss this issue. John Orr said that he would like to attend this meeting. Robert Stoner said that he will contact Dauphin County to find out if funding is available to address the Tanner Run stormwater issue. Stoner also said he will contact the Millersburg Area School District as he understands they are a considering a building project at the middle school/high school campus.
2. John Orr said that he and Luanna Zimmerman attended a site meeting with FEMA at Snyder Mill Road. Representatives from FEMA reviewed the damage from Hurricane Ida and took measurements. Orr said that a zoom meeting is scheduled for 5-2-22. Orr also said that he reviewed drawings from Light-Heigel for the proposed repairs. Keith Heigel plans to apply to PA DEP for the necessary permits as soon as he obtains clearance from the Pennsylvania Natural Diversity Inventory (PNDI) review.
3. Plans to build a new salt shed at the Upper Paxton Township Municipal Site were discussed. This was tabled and will be revisited at a future meeting.

New Business:

1. Robert Stoner made a motion to have Luanna Zimmerman purchase \$15.00 gift cards for the volunteers that helped at the Township Spring Cleanup Day. Second by Bob Coleman. With all in favor, motion carried.
2. The recent Spring Cleanup Day was discussed. John Orr said he is currently working on an informational list to be posted on the Township's website. Traffic control and additional dumpsters for the next cleanup day were discussed. This will be revisited at a future meeting.

Public Comments: None

With no further business on the agenda, Robert Stoner moved to adjourn. Bob Coleman seconded the motion. With all in favor, motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 11:40 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Luanna Zimmerman,
Secretary/Treasurer