TOWAMENSING TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS MEETING MINUTES TOWAMENSING TOWNSHIP BUILDING OCTOBER 4, 2012

CALL TO ORDER

7PM

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

Penny Kleintop, Chairperson/Treasurer, Tom Newman, Vice-Chairman, Guy Seifert, Supervisor, Thomas Nanovic, Solicitor, and Lora Nothstein, Secretary.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Towamensing Township Supervisor Meeting Minutes from September 6, 2012.

MOTION: Supervisor Guy Seifert made motion to accept Meeting Minutes, seconded by Vice-Chairman Tom Newman.

All in favor. Motion Carried

Towamensing Township Special Meeting September 17, 2012.

MOTION: Supervisor Guy Seifert made motion to accept Meeting Minutes, seconded by Vice-Chairman Tom Newman.

All in favor. Motion Carried

Bill List & Payroll for September, 2012

MOTION: Supervisor Guy Seifert made motion to accept Meeting Minutes, seconded by Vice-Chairman Tom Newman.

All in favor. Motion Carried

Treasure's Report

MOTION: Supervisor Guy Seifert made motion to accept Meeting Minutes, seconded by Vice-Chairman Tom Newman.

All in favor. Motion Carried

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION- 5 MINUTE LIMIT (Please sign the book if you would like to address the Board).

Charles Loviolette talked to the supervisors about making a donation to the library for the 2013 year. He also gave an up-date on the "happenings" at the library.

Supervisors thanked him for the information.

Clay Andrews from Penn Forest Road asked the supervisors to place children at play sign on the road to help keep speeders in check. He also asked for a speed limit sigh to be placed; 25 or 35 MPH.

Solicitor Tom Nanovic explained that a speed study would have to be done before this could take place and that within the township the speed limit is 55mph, with the exception of Stable Road because of the school.

Supervisors thanked Mr. Andrews and said they would talk to the road-master and have him place children at play signs.

PLANS AND SUBDIVISIONS

NONE

OLD BUSINESS

Historic Commission up-date on Greenzweig School; Set date for work shop in October.

No work shop date set, permission given to Solicitor to draft paper work for lease of property and transfer of building. Supervisors suggested Historic Commission Chairman Karl Rolappe put together costs for initial stabilization and other costs to procure property.

Historic Commission Meeting in October will be a Hay Ride and Bon Fire at Old Homestead Tree Farm. Date is October 25, 2012 at 5:30 pm.

Sign Conditional Use; Country Junction

NEW BUSINESS

Set date for Trick-or-Treat Night; October 31, 2012 from 6pm to 8pm

MOTION: Supervisor Guy Seifert made motion to accept Meeting Minutes, seconded by Vice-Chairman Tom Newman.

All in favor. Motion Carried

Towamensing Township Fire Police to participate in Palmerton Veterans Day Parade; November 11, 2012 as traffic control.

MOTION: Vice-Chairman Tom Newman made motion to accept Meeting Minutes, seconded by Supervisor Guy Seifert.

All in favor. Motion Carried

Towamensing Township Fire Police to participate in Halloween Parade; October 21, 2012, traffic control.

MOTION: Supervisor Guy Seifert made motion to accept Meeting Minutes, seconded by Vice-Chairman Tom Newman.

All in favor, Motion Carried

Swear in new Towamensing Township Fire Police.

Robert (Bob) Daniels

Hiring of temporary clerk for zoning office; Brenda Renkel, \$11.00 per hour.

MOTION: Vice-Chairman Tom Newman made motion to accept Meeting Minutes, seconded by Supervisor Guy Seifert.

All in favor. Motion Carried

Set date for workshop on 2013 budget.

October 18th & 19th from 8am to 12pm.

Forest Inn Restaurant LLC & Waldorf Entertainment LLC.

Supervisors will have Solicitor Tom Nanovic mail a notice of trespass, giving Forest Inn Restaurant LLC & Waldorf Entertainment LLC 30 days to vacate the property.

Historical Building Award

Dr. Touger 460 Beers Lane, Palmerton PA 18071

ROAD MASTER REPORT

Available in township office

You can now email the road master you questions or comments: ttroad@ptd.net

ZONING OFFICER REPORT

Available in township office

SEO REPORT

Available in township office

FIRE COMPANY REPORT

Available in township office

CORRESPONDENCE

None

OFFICIALS

Zoning Office hours for October 2012. October, 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, from 5:00PM to 7:00PM Zoning Officer can be contacted at the township web site for additional appointments: <u>info@towamensingtownship.com</u>; in comments put attention Christine or by phone: 610-681-4202 ext: 3

Zoning & SALDO workshop will be held on October 22, 2012 at Towamensing Township starts at 7PM.

October 13th drive thru flue clinic 9am to 1pm in Palmerton at the West End Fire Company.

UCC Apple Fest Saturday October 13th, 9am to 3:30pm.

Executive Session

7:45 to 8:45pm.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Supervisor Guy Seifert made motion to accept Meeting Minutes, seconded by Vice-Chairman Tom Newman.

All in favor. Motion Carried

8:46pm