

TOWAMENSING TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS MEETING MINUTES
TOWAMENSING TOWNSHIP BUILDING
April 3, 2014

CALL TO ORDER

7:00pm

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

Penny Kleintop, Chairperson/Treasurer; Tom Newman, Vice-chairman; Guy Seifert, Supervisor; Thomas Nanovic, Solicitor; Lora Nothstein, Secretary; Carl Faust, Zoning Officer; Greg Hass, Engineer.

All present

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Towamensing Township Meeting Minutes March 13, 2014

Motion: Vice-chairman Tom Newman made Motion to approve meeting minutes, seconded by Supervisor Guy Seifert.

All in favor. Motion carried.

Bill List and Payroll from March 2014

Motion: Vice-chairman Tom Newman made Motion to approve bill list and payroll, seconded by Supervisor Guy Seifert.

All in favor. Motion carried.

Treasures Report

Motion: Vice-chairman Tom Newman made Motion to approve treasures report, seconded by Supervisor Guy Seifert.

All in favor. Motion carried.

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

Fire Chief Wayne Knirnschild announced that the fire company has received the donation of a rescue vehicle. And asked the Supervisors if they would put it on the insurance.

Supervisors said this was already done.

Charles Laviolette, gave information on upcoming events at the library such as an art show, student art show and computer classes.

Steve Crolc a resident of the Township said he is still having problem with his neighbor burning at times he learning so much and so often that he (Mr. Kralik) can't breathe. He asked the Supervisors with they could do about this.

Supervisor Penny Kleintop said she had spoken to his neighbor the last time he complained and the Township has mailed a letter to him in regards to burning. Township does not have a burning ordinance but we do follow DEP guidelines. Supervisors all agreed they would look into this matter.

PLANS AND SUBDIVISIONS

Lake View Estates; letter of credit.

Motion: Motion: Supervisor Guy Seifert made Motion to approve letter of credit in the amount tabulated by Carbon Engineering in the amount of \$151,062.56; other conditions must be completed as listed below.

Developers bank must have new letter of credit presented to Township before April 14, 2014

Amendment to wording on original plan must be changed as notified by Greg Hass.

Motion seconded by Vice-chairman Thomas Newman.

All in favor. Motion carried.

Approve the Second Amendment to Development Agreement for Lake View Estates.

Motion: Vice-chair Thomas Newman made motion to approve second amendment, seconded by Supervisor Guy Seifert.

All in favor. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

Approve Secretary, Lora Nothstein as voting delegate for PSATS.

Motion: Supervisor Guy Seifert made Motion to approve Sec., Lora Nothstein as voting delegate for PSATS, seconded by Vice-chairman Thomas Newman.

All in favor. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Historical Commission up-date.

Mary Beth beers gave update on what is happening with the historical commission. She has been calling and updating the resource list, and on May the first 2014 at the Supervisors meeting historical commission should be presenting the updated property index to Supervisors.

Historical commission is also working on a cookbook as a fundraiser; we are soliciting recipes, short stories and other information about the Towamensing area. Residents can email their information and recipes to the historic commission email; Towamensinghistory@yahoo.com.

Towamensing Township Fire Police; swear in Fred Lesko

Solicitor Tom Nanovic swore in new fire policeman Fred Lesko.

Approve Towamensing Township Fire Police at help at Carbon County Fair August 4th through August 9, 2014, Blue Mountain Health System 5K race on May 10, 2014 and Black Bear Triathlon June 1, 2014.

Motion: Supervisor Guy Seifert made Motion to approve, seconded by Vice-chairman Thomas Newman.

All in favor. Motion carried.

Approve food allowance & mileage for PSATS attendees.

Approve road-master & secretary mileage for 1st quarter.

Motion: Vice-chairman Tom Newman made Motion to approve food allowance in mileage, seconded by Supervisor Guy Seifert.

All in favor. Motion carried.

Purchase fencing & back stop for softball field.

Motion: Vice-chairman Tom Newman made motion to approve buying fencing and backstop for ball field, Supervisor Guy Seifert seconded the motion.

All in favor. Motion carried.

ROAD MASTER REPORT

Available in township office

You can 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

PLANNING COMMISSION REPORT

Available in township office

CORRESPONDENCE

OFFICIALS

Presentation to Gary Anthony for 25 years of service (April 1, 1989).

Spring Clean-up is set for April 6 & 7, 2014 from 8am to 4pm.

See list on bulletin board for items that will be accepted, some items have a set fee.

Zoning Office hours for April, 2014

April 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd, 30th, from 5:00PM to 7:00PM.

Zoning Officer can be contacted at the township web site for additional appointments:

zoning@towzoning.com; in comments put attention Carl or

Phone: 610-681-4202 or 570-943-2577.

Local Government Day set for April 25, 2014 at 1:15pm.

Changed to April 24, 2014.

Township building will be closed on April 18, 2014 in observance of Good Friday.

Township Secretary is collecting items for our Troops, if you would like to donate please see list of acceptable items on bulletin board in meeting room. Items will be accepted from now until April 11, 2014. You can drop them at the Township office M-F from 8am to 4pm. Thank you for your donation.

Adjournment