

**PULASKI TOWNSHIP
REGULAR MEETING
February 14, 2011**

The Pulaski Township Supervisors meeting was called to order at 6:30 P. M. in the Township Building, 3401 Sunflower Road, New Brighton, PA by the Chairman of the Board, Mr. Doug Margetic. Mr. Margetic led the Pledge to the Flag.

In attendance were the following people: Jim Barr, George Doyle, Alan Hickey, Rich Morrell, Debbie Hickman, Bonnie Hutchinson and Attorney Budicak.

A motion was made by George Hage and seconded by Byron Mooney to accept the minutes of the January 10, 2011 Meeting... Vote on the motion was: Mr. Margetic, yes; Mr. Hage, yes and Mr. Mooney, yes. The motion was carried.

A motion was made by George Hage and seconded by Byron Mooney to accept the Treasurer's Report and to pay the bills. Vote on the motion was: Mr. Margetic, yes; Mr. Hage, yes and Mr. Mooney, yes. The motion was carried.

CORRESPONDENCE

The following correspondence was received:

1. Beaver County Planning Commission minutes of December 21, 2010.
2. PSATS NewsBulletin – January, 2011 Issue.
3. Letter from the Upper Beaver Valley Veteran's Service Center requesting support Support for 2011.
4. Community Development Program of Beaver County saying that we were approved for the Public Service – Emergency Response Project. (Renaming streets and house numbers where necessary).
5. Letters from the Auditors for Pulaski Township saying the audit was complete.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Police: Chief Charles Van Fossan was present. A report for January with a total of 60 calls was turned in to the supervisors. He had nothing to report. No one had questions for him.

Fire Department: Alan Hickey was present. He reported there were five fires in New Brighton, 1 in New Sewickley and two in Pulaski Township. He stated that the Fire Department is not in favor of consolidation of the Fire Departments because they want to answer fire calls. Mr. Margetic said that the supervisors realize times are changing and they need to keep an open mind on the subject. Rumors are that New Brighton wants to take over everything and hire to full time fireman. Mr. Hickey questioned what is that going to do to the taxes.

Code Enforcement/Zoning Officer: Mr. John Clay, Code Enforcement Officer, was present. He reported he had no building permits for January and tagged several vehicles of which many were removed. He had two trash calls. He attended the Emergency Management for Beaver

County Meeting February 9, 2011 in reference to a disaster response system. Mr. Clay explained how it was discussed forming a regional emergency response system. There will be one regional director with one agent for each district. Tegrant would be the only problem that the supervisors are aware of and Mr. Morrell stated that they no longer keep a supply of materials on stock. They use what they make. He also attended Hazard Mitigation Meeting on February 7, 2011.

Mr. Clay inquired as to whether the township had a Comprehensive Plan in place and if they have equipment available in the case of a disaster such as an explosion, tornado, etc.

Recreation: Mr. Barr was in attendance. He reported they were finally able to conduct a meeting. He gave each Supervisor a copy of the Summer 2011 Playground Proposal which is attached.

Roads: Mike has been busy with snow removal, cleaning and checking all the equipment and fixing some signs. Mr. Mooney reported that the catch basin on 46th Street needs replaced when the weather breaks.

A motion was made by George Hage and seconded by Doug Margetic to accept the Committee Reports. Vote on the motion: Mr. Margetic, yes; Mr. Hage, yes and Mr. Mooney, yes. The motion was carried.

OLD BUSINESS

There was no old business to conduct.

NEW BUSINESS

A motion was made by George Hage and seconded by Doug Margetic to Adopt Resolution #350 naming representatives to the BCTAC. Mr. Hage is our representative, Doug Margetic is the first alternate and Larry Morley will be the second alternate. Vote on the motion: Mr. Margetic, yes; Mr. Hage, yes and Mr. Mooney, yes. The motion was carried.

A motion was made by Doug Margetic and seconded by George Hage to contribute \$100 to the Upper Beaver Valley Service Center located in the Borough Building of New Brighton. Vote on the motion: Mr. Margetic, yes; Mr. Hage, yes and Mr. Mooney, yes. The motion was carried.

A motion was made by Doug Margetic and seconded by George Hage to participate in the Beaver County Redevelopment Program. This would be the second phase of the Emergency Services Grant to help with the buying and installation of new road signs. Vote on the motion: Mr. Margetic, yes; Mr. Hage, yes and Mr. Mooney, yes. The motion was carried.

A motion was made by George Hage and seconded by Byron Mooney to contract with Co-Stars for the salt bid for 2011. Vote on the motion: Mr. Margetic, yes; Mr. Hage, yes and Mr. Mooney, yes. The motion was carried.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Mr. James Barr expressed that he wanted to commend Mike Zachodni for the fine job he did with snow removal this year.

Debbie Hickman asked about the siren at the Fire Department. Mr. Morrell said that the siren was damaged a few years back and it would cost \$15,000 to repair it and so it was never done. Also, there are noise factors in place with the government now that impairs the use of the siren.

Mr. Morell said that the directional signs need to be replaced on Blockhouse Run at the bottom of 30th Street. They have been knocked down and Penn Dot has never put them back up again. Also, the "Stop Here on Red" sign coming down Sunflower Road at the red light needs to be put back up.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. Margetic wished everyone a Happy Valentine's Day. Mr. Margetic announced that the next meeting will be held on Monday, March 14, 2011 at 6:30 P. M.

A motion was made by Doug Margetic and seconded by George Hage to adjourn the meeting at 7:00 P. M. Vote the motion: Mr. Margetic, yes; Mr. Hage, yes and Mr. Mooney, yes. The motion was carried.

Respectfully submitted

Mable Henn
Secretary