PULASKI TOWNSHIP
REGULAR MEETING
December 9, 2024

Pulaski Township Supervisors held their regular meeting on Monday, December 9, 2024 at the Pulaski Township Fire Hall, 3401 Sunflower Road, New Brighton, PA 15066. Casey Zachodni, Chairman called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm by leading the pledge to the flag.

Those present for the meeting were Casey Zachodni, Ralph Flara, Mark Wagle, Peggy Griffith, Chief Ron Walton, Attorney Joseph M. Budicak, Connie Wagle, Bill Thomas, Gary Pavlinich, Deb Hickman.

A motion was made by Mr. Zachodni and seconded by Mr. Flara to approve the minutes for the November 11, 2024 meeting. Vote on the motion: Mr. Zachodni - yes, Mr. Flara – yes, Mr. Wagle – yes. The motion is carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Zachodni and seconded by Mr. Wagle to accept the treasurer's report for November 2024. Vote on the motion: Mr. Zachodni – yes, Mr. Flara – yes, Mr. Wagle – yes. The motion is carried.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Mr. Bill Thomas has nothing for the meeting tonight. Mr. Gary Pavalinch would like to replace Mr. Thomas' position on the New Brighton Regional Planning Commission as Mr. Thomas resigns. Mr. Zachodni stated we need to ask Attorney Budicak if this would be permitted due to Mr. Pavalinch wife serving on committee as well. Attorney Budicak states it will be o. Ms. Deb Hickman has nothing for the meeting tonight.

CORRESPONDENCE

The office received a thank you from the New Brighton Halloween Parade Committee for our donation of $100.00.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Police: Chief Ron Walton was present at the meeting with the report for November 2024, there were 26 calls in the township. The report will be placed on file in the office.
Fire: There is no report at the end of the meeting, nor is anyone present from the Fire Department.
Code Enforcement/Zoning Officer: Peggy Griffith was present at meeting with the report for November 2024. She would like to add a reminder of the Zoning hearing board on 12-18 -2024 for 2 variances in the township, starting at 5:00 and 5:30 in the Pulaski Township Fire Hall. The report will be placed on file in the office.

Road Department: The Roadmaster finished up the leaves and has been cleaning out the garage and organizing tools, and some new tools were purchased recently. He replaced a few road signs and was called out a few times to salt the roads. The report will be placed on file in the office.
Recreation: The minutes from the 12-3-2024 meeting was received via email in the office. The minutes will be placed on file in the office.

OLD BUSINESS

The 2024 Road Project will be deferred to 2025 due to the weather conditions.

NEW BUSINESS

A motion was made by Mr. Zachodni and seconded by Mr. Wagle to come to an agreement with Dawn Mohrbacher to pay $100 of the $237.60 owed for stormwater fee from previous owner of her property. Vote on the motion: Mr. Zachodni – yes, Mr. Flara – yes, Mr. Wagle – yes. The motion is carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Zachodni and seconded by Mr. Flara to purchase a CAT Backhoe using only the Covid 19 money the township received, our current backhoe is 30 years old and will be sold on Municibid. Three quotes were received for ne backhoe:
CAT - $114,900.00, CASE - $119,000.00 and John Deere - $115,200.00. Vote on the motion: Mr. Zachodni – yes, Mr. Flara – yes, Mr. Wagle – yes. The motion is carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Zachodni and seconded by Mr. Wagle to adopt a resolution for the Beaver County Tax Collection Committee to appoint Ralph Flara as voting delegate for 2025. Vote on the motion: Mr. Zachodni – yes, Mr. Flara – yes, Mr. Wagle – yes. The motion is carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Zachodni and seconded by Mr. Flara to give a Christmas Bonus of $200 for the Secretary, Connie Wagle. Vote on the motion: Mr. Zachodni – yes, Mr. Flara – yes, Mr. Wagle – abstain. The motion is carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Zachodni and seconded by Mr. Wagle to give a Christmas Bonus for $50 for Full Time Roadmaster, Joe Cipolla as he has only been working with us for 7 weeks. Vote on the motion: Mr. Zachodni – yes, Mr. Flara – yes, Mr. Wagle - abstained. The motion is carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Wagle and seconded by Mr. Flara to give a Christmas Bonus for $200 to Part Time Roadmaster, Mike Zachodni. Vote on the motion: Mr. Wagle – yes, Mr. Flara – yes, Mr. Zachodni – abstained. The motion is carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Zachodni and seconded by Mr. Wagle to approve and accept the budget for 2025. Vote on the motion: Mr. Zachodni – yes, Mr. Flara – yes, Mr. Wagle – yes. The motion is carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Zachodni and seconded by Mr. Flara to approve and accept the meeting schedule for 2025. Vote on the motion: Mr. Zachodni – yes, Mr. Flara – yes, Mr. Wagle – yes. The motion is carried.

A motion was made by Mr. Zachodni and seconded by Mr. Wagle to accept with regrets the resignation of Mr. Bill Thomas from the New Brighton Regional Planning Commission Committee. Vote on the motion: Mr. Zachodni – yes, Mr. Flara – yes, Mr. Wagle – yes. The motion is carried.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Burning in the township is permitted Tuesday – Saturday 10 AM – 6 PM – ALL fires should be distinguished by 6 PM. NO burning on holidays or Sunday and Monday.

The parking ordinance is being enforced by the New Brighton Police Department.

There will be a cookie walk presented by the New Brighton Band Boosters on Saturday, December 21, 2024 – 11 AM – 1 PM at the Church of the Nazarene, 423 Penn Avenue.

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR.

Please visit the township website at pulaskitwpbeavercounty.org.
The township email is pulaskitwp@comcast.net

The meeting to close the books for 2024 will be held Thursday, December 26, 2024 @ 5PM.
The Reorganization meeting will be held on Thursday, January 2, 2024 @ 5PM.
The regular meeting will be held on Monday, January 13, 2025 @ 6PM.

A motion was made by Mr. Zachodni and seconded by Mr. Wagle to adjourn the meeting At 6:20 PM. Vote on the motion: Mr. Zachodni – yes, Mr. Flara – yes, Mr. Wagle – yes. The motion is carried.

Respectfully submitted

Connie Wagle