

Clifford Township Supervisors Meeting May 12, 2015

Present: Barry Searle Chris Marcho

Secretary: Christy Bennett

Business meeting held on Tuesday April 14, 2015. Vice Chairman Barry Searle called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm. Motion to approve the minutes by Mr. Marcho, second by Mr. Searle. All in favor. Treasurer's report reviewed and will be put on file. List of bills reviewed. Mr. Marcho made a motion to pay bills plus Hansen Equipment Inc. Seconded by Mr. Searle. All in favor.

Mr. Bob Kline, running for District Attorney, addressed the board in hopes of getting support for his election.

Mr. Searle made a motion to pass the Engine Break Retarder ordinance. Seconded by Mr. Marcho. All in favor.

Mr. Marcho reported the township received \$1112.50 for the sale of the old chipper, spreader and rake that was an attachments for a tractor at Lopatofsky's Auction.

The May 2nd Great American Clean-up was very successful with enough donations to cover the cost of disposing of the waste.

Mr. Searle reported from his County Commissioner's meeting with Alan Hall and other township supervisors. Mr. Searle will be a part of a political action committee to go to Harrisburg on behalf of Susquehanna County. Mr. Hall and PennDot district manager will meet with the township to inspect cave-ins along 106.

Mr. Marcho made a motion to add Sue Price to the list of Fire Police. Seconded by Mr. Searle. All in favor.

Mr. Searle made a motion to accept the pay rate of \$15.00 an hour for road master retroactive to April 1, 2015. Seconded by Mr. Marcho. All in favor.

Mr. Marcho made a motion to donate \$250.00 to Community Rod & Gun for the fish that will be used to stock the creek in the park. Seconded by Mr. Searle. All in favor.

Mr. Marcho made a motion to have background checks on employees who might be in contact with the school children and have the township pay for it. Mr. Searle seconded. All in favor.

Tax Collector: Mr. Phillips reported that about 75% of property taxes have been collected for the year. Last month \$103591.26 in property tax was collected and \$8634.99 for fire protection. \$41065.00 real estate and \$3424.00 fire yet to be collected.

Fire Company: Mr. Phillips reported 50 calls for the month of April and about 51 calls for March. The fire company is making some changes to the picnic grounds by moving some buildings around. There will be fireworks both Friday and Saturday nights. Just signed for a new rescue truck. It will be ready in about 8 months.

Mr. Searle made a motion to spend up to \$300.00 for garbage cans for the park. Seconded by Mr. Marcho. All in favor.

Alliance: Adams cable helped change banners on Main Street.