

## MERCER TOWNSHIP, BUTLER COUNTY

Board of Supervisors  
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July 13, 2015

**REGULAR MEETING:** Meeting was called to order by Chairman, R. Stuchal at 7:05 pm. Members present: W. Walowen, P. Treese and Secretary L. Giesler. No visitors present.

**MINUTES REPORT:** Motion to accept June minutes as printed by W. Walowen. Seconded by P. Treese. All in favor, motion carried.

**BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR:** None to report.

**OLD BUSINESS:** Received copy of signed agreement from Harrisville Borough from their solicitor's office. Received copy of deed for additional township property. Mr. Steiner agreed to continue mowing the property for the summer. Paving and seal coating: Seal coating was successfully completed. Paving tentatively set for the week of July 20<sup>th</sup>. Keep eye on seal coat invoice. They are to separate the borough invoice from the township invoice.

**NEW BUSINESS:** None to report.

**OTHER BUSINESS:** Inquiries on Upton property on W. Mercer St. currently owned by Jeff Kelly. John Eberlein wants to put in an electrical sewage system. Supervisors talked with the MCA and said the only thing acceptable is a holding tank. Needs to be inspected annually at \$375. Elaine Tonelli talked about the neighbor's sewage running into her yard. The neighbor agreed to pump her system again. Need to replace the culvert at Troy Jones property. Supervisors would prefer to visit him instead of sending a letter. Losser/Fair property in Forestville: Secretary will schedule a meeting on July 22<sup>nd</sup> or 23<sup>rd</sup> after talking with solicitor to decide how we want to proceed. Secretary will also contact the Butler Eagle to advertise said meeting. 537 Plan: Motion to advertise the 537 Plan no later than August 13<sup>th</sup> for adoption on September 14<sup>th</sup> by R. Stuchal. Seconded by P. Treese. All in favor, motion carried.

**MEETING REPORTS:** None to report.

**ROAD REPORT:** 6/9 - Installed french drains Unity rd approx 225' east and west side of bridge, Brian Risch did backhoe work. Also replaced culvert for Frank Lappa, Frampton rd. 6/10 - Talked with Paul Dickey. Slippery Rock Twp regarding paving past their culvert on Harmony rd, said it would be fine. 6/1 - Rick and Pete repaired hydraulics on mowing machine, and put back in storage. Got dump truck washed. 6/12 - Call from Frank Lappa thanking us for repairing his culvert. 6/14 got call from 911 regarding culvert at Browntown rd and rt 8 Pete and I answered call, opened culvert and 5 others on Browntown due to storm, Rick flagged traffic later on Harmony rd due to flash flooding at Pyles. 6/15 - Pete and Rick cleaned up debris next morning following storms, all rds south of Harrisville. 6/16 - Pete and Rick regraded ditches Unity rd after storms. 6/17 - Rick and I cleaned culverts Sheilds rd and Harmony rd at Pyles, also new ditch Whiteoak rd below Burnetts .Regraded ditches Sutherland rd 90 degree bend to Enterprise.Also need repair to road surface below Jeff Knox .Brian Risch did backhoe work,also cleaned ditches on Unity r again at bridges ,from storm damage. 6/18 - Pete and Rick took truck to Hunters for inspection. Put scarifier on grader,cleaned ditches on Whitaker rd. 6/19 - Pete and Rick started grading Unity rd to prep for tar and chip. 6/22. Rick Pete and I graded Unity rd Pete and I hauled stone. 6/24. Rick put final grade on Unity Youngblood rolled surface,I dressed ditches final time repaired two drop boxes Eathan Hill ,to prep for tar and chip ,Youngblood shot ditches on Unity rd with MC 70 as per contract. 6/25 - Youngblood applied tar and chip , single seal Eathan Hill,Frampton ,applied surface treatment to all Unity ,and final single seal .

**FINANCIAL REPORT:** Gen. - \$104,213 State - \$69,620 Cap. Res. - \$116,067

**Motion to pay bills** and transfer \$12,225 from general savings to general checking by R. Stuchal. Seconded by P. Treese. All in favor, motion carried.

**ADJOURNMENT:** Motion to adjourn meeting at 8:40 by W. Walowen. Seconded by P. Treese. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Lori Giesler, Township Secretary