

MERCER TOWNSHIP, BUTLER COUNTY

Board of Supervisors
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REGULAR MEETING: Meeting was called to order at 7:05 pm by Chairman, R. Stuchal. Members present: W. Walowen, P. Treese and Secretary L. Giesler. Visitors present: Terry

MINUTES REPORT: Motion to accept the September minutes as printed by R. Stuchal. Seconded by P. Treese. All in favor, motion carried.

BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR: **Terry Hogue:** Voiced his concern about speed limit on Station Road. **Henry Powell:** Voiced concern about the sewage system being installed on Mercer Street Extension. **Gary Hughes:** Mayor of Harrisville Borough just meeting with the neighboring townships.

OLD BUSINESS: 537 Plan: Sent letter to M. Crawford informing him of the motion made at September's meeting. Kyle Fritz will talk with him this week. Motion to approve the advertisement for project bids for SR 58 sewer extension by R. Stuchal. Seconded by W. Walowen. All in favor, motion carried. **Allison/English issue:** Nothing new.

Daugherty/Osborn Update: Both are good to go. SEO suggested each draw a map for them as soon as the locations are defined. **BC Commissioners:** Will get meeting together with Joel McKay and Commissioners concerning CDBG grant money availability. **Former Tax Collector's Records:** Talked with C. Savage at tax office. She does not have to give us any records if she chooses not to.

NEW BUSINESS: Motion to advertise the bids for the sewer project by R. Stuchal. Seconded by W. Walowen. All in favor, motion carried. **Motion to sign Ordinance #67** – Wastewater Treatment Service Agreement with Grove City Borough by W. Walowen. Seconded by P. Treese. All in favor, motion carried. **Motion to sign Wastewater Treatment Service Agreement** with Grove City Borough by R. Stuchal. Seconded by P. Treese. All in favor, motion carried. **Bank Loan:** Secretary will check into it. **Berkheimer:** Have solicitor review the project before adopting. **EFax Number:** Secretary will look into subscribing at \$14.95 for initial setup and \$29.95 per month at \$.10 per page overage rate.

OTHER BUSINESS: Budget 2017 Revenue: Revenue budgeted at \$258,504 currently.

MEETING REPORTS: EMC Meeting: Talked about different weather systems, weather watch and weather warning difference. Rick will need to be certified and go to training. Compensation should be give to EMC representative.

ROAD REPORT: 9/2 Bryan Risch dug for electric service at new garage. 9/3 Jerry Grossman installed service to building and began wiring. 9/4 Bryan Risch back-filled ditch. 9/5 Rick picked up steel to modify grader blades. 9/6 thru 9/8 Rick and I oversaw pavers. 9/8 Shields completed repairs and paving on Harmony Road. 321 tons 19mm for repair to Harmony on 9/6 and 1532 tons for Prairie St. and Harmony-Browntown to GC Materials driveway for 9/7. 183 tons on Harmony Road Ext. to Tieline Rd. on 9/8. 9/8 506.35 ton on Rt. 58 to GC Materials driveway. 9/10 Rick welded attached box to road grader. Walt repaired and installed new stop sign on Sutherland Rd. and Rt. 8. 9/12 thru 9/20 Pete and Rick filled berms on Harmony Rd. and Prairie St. Ext., 53 loads of limestone. 9/22 thru 9/28 Pete and Rick mowed berms and cut brush. 9/23 Jerry Grossman finished wiring in new garage. 9/29 Pavecare swept road edges on Ethan Hill. Received motor for spinner. **PUC Letter:** Will have secretary send letter concerning the railroad crossing letting them know that we have a 35 mph speed limit on that road so the requirements do not qualify us to do that. Will be moving spreader and snow plow and take care of Harrisville Borough and get us ready for winter weather.

FINANCIAL REPORT: General - \$27,947 State - \$20,841 Cap. Res. - \$16,204 Motion to pay bills and transfer \$2,000 from general savings to general checking by W. Walowen. Seconded by P. Treese. All in favor, motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion to adjourn meeting at 9:55 pm by R. Stuchal. Seconded by P. Treese. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lori Giesler, Township Secretary