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Supervisors

The monthly meeting of the Jefferson Township Board of Supervisors was called to order by Mr. Burkett on October 14, 2024, at 7:00pm at the Jefferson Township Building, 7407 Lamor Rd, Mercer, PA 16137.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and Roll Call was taken. In attendance we're Supervisors John Burkett, Richard McCullough, Tyler Angermeier and Secretary/Treasurer Rachel Nickel, along with the public sign in sheet.

A motion was made by Mr. McCullough to approve the minutes from September 9, 2024 Supervisors Meeting. Seconded by Mr. Angermeier. Motion passed with 3 yes votes.

Motion was made by Mr. Angermeier and seconded by Mr. McCullough to pay the following payables for September 9, 2024 through October 14, 2024. Motion passed with 3 yes votes.

General Fund	\$ 264,453.79	Sewer	\$ 2,364.31
Parks & Recreation	\$ 0	State Liquid Fuels	\$ 36,750.89

A motion was made by Mr. McCullough to approve the September reconciliations. Seconded by Mr. Angermeier. Motion passed with 3 yes votes

Public Comment: ATV Accessible Roads was the topic of concern for the public. Many are for the making Jefferson Township roads accessible and many are not for making the roads accessible. Lots of discussion among the public and the supervisors. The supervisors will draft up an ordinance and talk with DCNR and the Jefferson Township Police department to find out the laws of ATV's. (Attached are each individuals comments on this matter in the minute book along with the call in opinions on this matter.)

Correspondence: Mr. Burkett read the Charter Communications and had it up for anyone that wanted to review. Mr. Burkett read the notice of estimated allocation of SLF & Turnback funds for 2025. Mr. Burkett read the complaint from a township resident will address the issue.

Administrative Actions: Mr. Burkett made a motion to Adopt of the Amendment Rezoning Map Ordinance 101424. Seconded by Mr. McCullough. Motion passed with 3 yes votes.

Mr. Burkett read the quotes on the electric upgrade for the township building and the lodge. Chiappini Electric LLC. \$8,700.00 Lengyel Electric, Inc. \$9,425.00 Wilson Electric, Inc. \$9,326.00 Mr. McCullough made a motion to award the bid to Chiappini Electric LLC for \$8,700.00 paid from ARPA funds. Seconded by Mr. Burkett. Motion approved with 2 yes votes and 1 opposed vote.

Mr. Burkett made a motion to accept the following additions & exonerations for the September 2024 Tax Duplicate Per Capita Exons 2 \$10 Seconded by Mr. McCullough. Motion passed with 3 yes votes.

Staff Reports:

- Police Department ~
- Fire Department ~
- Parks and Recreation ~
- Road Report ~ Mr. McCullough reported that the seal coating is completed. The road crew has been ditching and grading roads. They will be getting the equipment ready for winter months.
- Sewer Report ~ Purchasing a sewer truck from #1 Cochran 2024 Chevy 3500HD Chassis Work for \$74,009.53. Purchasing a sewer trailer from M & R ST Pro Series Tilt Bed Equipment Trailer for \$14,038.50.

Unfinished Business: Fencing tennis courts & ball field Tabled possibly grants available

Sealing tennis courts Tabled possibly grants available

Ray of Sunshine – Iron Tooth Farm (Glamping) Tabled getting more information

Scott McGinnis zoning officer talked that Mr. Sailer would need to either have a variance or a rezoning of the property for the camping.

New Business:

Mr. Burkett read the upcoming meetings.

Mr. Burkett motioned to adjourn the Jefferson Township Board of Supervisors meeting. Mr. McCullough seconded. Motion passed with 3 yes votes.

Adjournment: Meeting adjourn at 8:10pm

MINUTES: October 14, 2024

Approved by: John Burkett
John Burkett, Chairman

Date: 11/11/2024

Attested by: _____
Rachel Nickel, Secretary/Treasurer