

# *Conestoga Township B.O.S Minutes*

## *September 6<sup>th</sup> 2016*

CALL TO ORDER- The Supervisors meeting was called to order at 7 pm by Eshleman.

PRESENT- Supervisors; Craig Eshleman, John Berry, and Bob Hershey , Secretary Naomi Little, Citizens; Andrew Collins, Leroy Eshleman, Eric Doman, Don Henson, Mike & Kathy Landis, Doris Warfel, Tim Buyers, Gaye Denlinger, Bill Rankin, Ray Hess, Steve & Carol Ebersole, Robin Maquire, Theresa Fiorill, Stephen Bublitz, Karl Lefever, Dave Gochnaurer, Dianna Good, Becky Miles, Lynda Like, Jon Telesco, Kim Kann, Jeff Landis, Elaine Jones, John Michener, Kathy Sangray, Melanie Scheid, Wes Bruckno, Steve Appel, Nancy Pechiro, Adam Conley, Bob & Donna Wiggins, Gary R Erb.

MINUTES- The Supervisors approved the August 2016 meeting minutes on a motion by Berry, second by Hershey. All in favor none opposed.

ARTICLES MINUTES –The Supervisors approved the July Articles meeting minutes on a motion by Eshleman, second by Berry. All in favor none opposed.

APPROVE BILLS- The Supervisors approved all bills paid during the month of August on a motion by Hershey, second by Berry. All in favor none opposed.

TREASURER’S REPORT- No report

ZONING REPORT- No report,

ROAD MASTER REPORT- John Berry gave an update on the roads for the past month. Replaced Spring Run Rd pipe, replaced 2 pipes and a box on River Hill Rd, milled and rolled sections of Spring Run Rd off of River Rd added millings and stone. Cleaned debris off the bridges of Stoney Ln, Stehman Rd, Stone Hill Rd and repaired wing walls on all three bridges. Mowed road banks and office, repaired road banks on Stoney Ln. Cleaned gutters on River Rd. Ordered road signs to replaced stolen ones.

Tim Buyers inquired about a maple tree that has limbs protruding over the road on Berrydale. Berry said he will make a note to take a look at it to see what the road crew can do.

Karl Lefever wanted to thank one of the Road Crew Leroy Eshleman for keeping the road banks maintained nicely.

POLICE REPORT- Report given by Acting Chief John Michener.

Becky Miles inquired about having the Township send a letter to thank John Fiorill for his service to the Township. The Board agreed to send out a letter on a motion by Eshleman, second by Hershey. All in favor none opposed.

Tim Buyers suggested that Berrydale is a good road for the Police to be able to monitor speeding in that area, Acting Chief Michener informed the residents that they are utilizing Berrydale to monitor speeding with a new device that allows them to sit at that range.

#### OLD BUSINESS

No old business to conduct.

#### NEW BUSINESS:

SET BUDGET MEETING DATES-The Supervisors set the budget meeting dates for September 20<sup>th</sup> at 8 AM, September 26<sup>th</sup> at 8 AM, and a possible third meeting if needed for Oct 18<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM. Motion to advertise dates by Eshleman, second by Berry. All in favor none opposed.

RESOLUTION- The Supervisors adopted a Zoning and Building fee schedule for the Township . Resolution 2016-12 was adopted on a motion by Berry, second by Eshleman. All in favor none opposed.

LIBRARY- Joyce from Lancaster Public Library spoke on the current activities at the Public Library and current events for the public to attend. The Supervisors stated the Township will provide the annual support for the Library once the Budget Meetings begin.

#### GENERAL PUBLIC

Robin Maquire informed the Board on information about the applications for water with draw at Rockhill. She informed that there could be 24/7 water with draw and drilling. She would like to know how this would affect the Noise Ordinance. The

Supervisors stated that they will look into it and if there is anything they can do they will work to do so.

Residents spoke about animal cruelty issues at a local farm; Robin Maquire said she will contact ORCA again and notify the Board about any new information.

Residents inquired about the Above Ground Pipe Ordinance, the Supervisors informed the Residents that they will be working with the Solicitor to review the ordinance along with Wes Bruckno from the Planning Commission.

ADJOURN- @ 7:48 pm motion by Berry, second by Hershey. All in favor none opposed.

*Respectively Submitted by,*

*Naomi Little - Secretary*