Conestoga Township BOS Minutes August 1, 2023

BOS Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm by Robert Hershey Jr.

PRESENT – Supervisors: Vice Chairman Robert Hershey Jr. & Matthew Connelly; Citizens (attendance attached).

MINUTES – Supervisors approved the BOS Meeting Minutes for July 5, 2023 on a motion by Robert Hershey Jr. and seconded by Matthew Connelly. All in favor – none opposed.

BILLS – The supervisors approved bills for July 2023 on a motion by Robert Hershey Jr. and seconded by Matthew Connelly. All in favor – none opposed.

Business of the General Public

Robert Hershey Jr.: Bob opened the floor for comment.

Lydia Martin: Lydia requested the Southern Regional Comprehensive Plan be put on the agenda for August. She inquired about the township's next steps.

Robert Hershey Jr.: Bob stated that John was taking the lead on her request and apologized for not being able to respond at this time.

Lydia Martin: Lydia requested the comp plan be added to the agenda for September's meeting. She had a second request regarding Conestoga's weed ordinance and the presence of Japanese Knotweed on a resident's private property. She stated that Japanese Knotweed is a weed on Pennsylvania's list of invasive species. She asked the board how it would be addressed and stated she had no idea who owned the land. She came with papers and coordinates to the area where the weeds were located.

Robert Hershey Jr.: Bob asked the Secretary to take a copy of the map detailing the location of the weeds in an empty lot in the township and forward the request to zoning.

New Business

Well Variance Request: 6 Woodcrest Drive, Conestoga, PA

Robert Hershey Jr.: Bob stated the reason for the request for variance at property 6 Woodcrest Drive. He said it was due to limited space for well and septic. Bob stated that the request was evaluated by the Sewage Enforcement Officer, Mark Deimler and had his approval.

Robert Hershey Jr. motioned to approve a request for variance at the property of 6 Woodcrest Drive, seconded by **Matthew Connelly**. All in favor - None opposed.

MEETING ADJOURNED at 7:11 pm, motioned by **Robert Hershey Jr.** and seconded by **Matthew Connelly**. All in favor - none opposed.

Submitted by,

Brandi Tomasetti,

Secretary Treasurer