

ANTHONY TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS

Work Session Meeting

Tuesday September 25, 2018

The meeting was called to order by Richard Hess, Chair, at 6:00 P.M. In attendance were Supervisors Richard Hess, William Hartman, Dennis Sheatler, Roadmaster Frank Rishel, Solicitor Robert Buehner, Jr., and 2 visitors.

Deborah Descaro, STV Inc., and Mark Jackson, Talen, were in attendance to discuss the Montour LLC Pipeline project that will be installing a 20" natural gas pipeline through our township. After much discussion, Richard Hess thanked them for their presentation. Our Solicitor, Robert Buehner, Jr. will write-up the agreement and Penny will put together the driveway permits and when completed, contact Deborah to review the documents.

Frank Rishel reported on the meeting that was held on Monday September 24 with PEMA/FEMA representatives, Commissioner Holdren, Greg Molter and Ed Burkland, Montour County EMC to assess the damage to the homes in our township. Ed will continue to keep us informed of the status of the government declaring a declaration of disaster for our area.

Penny asked the board for direction with the cost of the dumpsters that were ordered by the residents. After some discussion, Dennis Sheatler made a motion to reimburse the residents for the cost of the dumpsters but not until the township receives a receipt proving payment of the invoice. Second William Hartman.

Penny reported that there is a program through the Montour County Emergency Services called the 911 swift reach program. This program allows any resident to have their phone numbers entered onto a program that calls all numbers that are entered in case of an emergency situation. Dennis Sheatler asked Penny to make sure that this program is still available and if so, then enter the information in the current newsletter.

Penny reported that there are stream restoration monies available through the Natural Resources Conservation Service but they need a list of residents whose homes are within 50' of the waterway. This money will only cover the cost for streambank erosion, channel blocked or removal of woody debris. The board reviewed the list of residents that may be eligible and asked Penny to send that list to Kris Ribble director of the program.

Alarm system was discussed. Nothing needs to be done at this time. Dave Matta of Vmax Security System will keep monitoring it and if there is an issue again we will then look closer into the reason for the false alarms.

Frank reported that he will be working on Magargle Road for the Dirt & Gravel grant project within the next couple of weeks. He will not be finishing the project this year with the DSA because of it being too late in the season to lay the stone. It will be completed in the spring of 2019.

The board reviewed the newsletter that was submitted. It will be reviewed at the October meeting for approval.

Discussed the inventory for 2018. Leah, Dennis and Frank will be doing the inventory on Wednesday October 31, 2018 at 9:00 AM.

Request for payment for October was reviewed.

No public comment.

There being no further official business. Richard Hess made a motion to adjourn at 8:20 PM. Second Dennis Sheatler.

Respectfully Submitted by,

Penny Jo Rishel
Secretary/Treasurer