

September 1, 2021

The regular monthly meeting of the Foster Township Supervisors was held at the Municipal Building.

Members present: Chairman Rob Sterling, Vice Chairman John Barrett, Roadmaster, John Carr, Secretary Janet Mitchell, Solicitor Brennan Engineer Dan Cook.

A copy of the previous meeting minutes was given to the supervisors there are no correction or additions the minutes stand approved with a motion by Carr second by Barrett.

A copy of the bills was given to Supervisors a motion was made to pay the bills with a motion by Carr second by Barrett.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Gene Maley questions if the American Rescue plan money was received, Secretary Janet Mitchell states it was received and a bank account was opened for the funds of \$12,507,97. The second equal deposit will be received at a later date. Questions a record of total distributions for internet acquisition will file a Right to Know on the internet.

Al Gober question when the next zoning hearing meeting will be set. Brennan states Attorney Burke will contact the board.

ENGINEER REPORT

Property Maintenance>>>>Work is being done with Mr. Brennan on the property maintenance appeal.

2020 Comprehensive Plan>>>>The Comprehensive Plan draft will be reviewed at the September 15, 2021 meeting at 6:30 P.M.

Schuylkill County Municipal Authority Act 537 plan update>>>>No additional update on this topic.

Reading Anthracite Development>>>>working with the applicant in review fees in preparation of the submission of the final land development plan.

CES Landfill Development>>>>No additional updates on this topic.

Ryan development>>>>A meeting was held with the applicant, PennDOT, Schuylkill County and Foster Township, and Benesch Traffic Engineer.

2021 Road Program>>>>The Piping and inlets have been delivered. There are several inlets that were missing the concrete top units. The contractor and supplier were contacted the tops should be delivered on Saturday August 28, 2021.

The contractor plans on mobilizing once the township has completed the remainder of the inlets and pipe installation. We would expect that the paving to begin mid-September.

BBZ Update>>>> A response letter with minor comments to the HOP submission from PennDOT and expect to resubmit shortly.

A HOP for the former Haney property will be submitted to PennDOT shortly.

Website Update>>>>Based on the review of the website, it appears that the majority of these documents have been added.

Sterling asks for update on the HOP for Haney and Hosmer property. Mr. Brennan suggests authorize to get appraisal the lots.

SOLICITOR REPORT

- Update on the mansion. 30 -60 days on appeal. Mumma Lawyer will be contacted.
- Internet update zoom conference with Mike Fox will be set up.
- Deeds for the township to Municipal Authority for BBZ phase One subdivision were presented.
- Redevelopment authority paperwork was submitted to the State.
- Meeting with SEDCO, SCEDA, and Airport Authority will be held next week Supervisors will attend.

Discussion on Zoning amendments needed and zoning maps. Brennan Suggests to have input by looking at copy of Zoning ordinance and have work session with Supervisors and the Solicitor by the end of September. Discussion on timeline to give to Foster Planning Commission, County Planning Commission and stakeholder by Nov. 17, Public meeting in December after regular meeting adopt in January 2022.

Mr. Brenan discusses his billing with Mr. Maley on time on internet. Also reports Engineer bills will be the same, not totaled just for internet.

ROAD MASTERS Report

Generator fixed.

New Lights installed in Garage.

Rose garden wall is under construction.

Supplies were received on road project.

Police Report

ATV Problems discussed again.

A hit and run reported in Upper Beechwood Ave looking for 2005- 2012 Nissan Centra.

School bus situation going well.

Discussion on Fall burning, ordinance states leave branches etc. no other items. Discussion on burning on something impossible to move. Burning in place of large items must be brought to the Supervisors attention.

Motion to adjourn By Carr second by Barrett.

Attest: Janet Mitchell

Secretary Foster Township