

THURSDAY, June 1, 2023
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
ROARING BROOK TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

The regular meeting of the Roaring Brook Township Board of Supervisors was held on Thursday, June 1, 2023, at 8:00 pm at the Municipal Building on Blue Shutters Road. Present were Supervisors Anthony Jordan, Robert Farischon and Eric Schield, Solicitor Jenna Kraycer Tuzze, Chief Donald Hickey, Paul Kozik, Paul Mizerak and Ed Jennings.

An executive session was held prior to the meeting to discuss current & potential litigation.

PUBLIC COMMENT

- None

ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA

- None

MINUTES & TREASURERS REPORT

- A **MOTION to accept the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of May 4, 2023**, as presented was made by Farischon and seconded by Schield. Motion carried.
- A **MOTION to accept the Accounts Payable and Payroll for the report of June 1, 2023**, as presented was made by Schield and seconded by Farischon. Motion carried.
- A **MOTION to accept the Treasurer's Report for the report of June 1, 2023**, as presented, was made by Schield, and seconded by Farischon. Motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE

- E-Mail from Shirley Fackler requesting use of Township meeting room for the Crestwood Townhouse Association meeting on June 7, 2023 at 7pm.
- Check from Comcast for Franchise Fees in the amount of \$9,992.65.
- Lackawanna County Conservation District RE: Lake Scranton Transmission Main Rehab & Metering Station – planning concept of the submitted Erosion and Sediment Pollution Control Plan has been reviewed and found Adequate.
- E-Mail from Patricia Betti regarding St. Eulalia's 5K Race on Saturday July 22, 2023 asking for Police Department to help with the safety of the race.
- PA Comptroller Office – a notice on overpayment made to Township that resulted in excess state aid of the 2022 Commonwealth allocation of the Municipal Pension System State Aid in the amount of \$9,937.61.

ACTION ON CORRESPONDENCE

- Jordan explained the police pension was in distress and Township paid an extra \$15,000 per year for 10 years. When the 2022 MMO amount was sent to the Township it was based on old figures. Now the pension plan is fully funded we have to refund the overpayment.

SOLICITOR'S REPORT

- Flynn assessment appeal resulted in a refund for 2021 and 2022 real estate. The Township will issue a refund check. Real Estate Tax Collector has given a refund for 2023.
- **Ruocco Case** – Judge Munley had a hearing on May 5th and we should be hearing something any day now.
- **Marjon Zoning Change** – was appealed by two residents and Judge Nealon made a decision in favor of the Township.
- Zoning complaints about 108 Mosswood Road for various offenses and Township will send a letter and if it is not addressed then will file a complaint.

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ROAD DEPARTMENT

- Report read.
- Spring Clean Up was done by contractor. People put out a lot of items - even a large amount of wood and building materials that are not allowed.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

- Report read and on file.

RECYCLING

- 2.06 ton for May 2023. YTD is 6.72 ton, that is .01 ton less than last year.

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- No meetings, next meeting in July.

BUILDING PERMITS

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| • Matt Rosensweet | Deck | Summit Woods |
| • Marie & Frank Nardone | Replace Deck | Roaring Brook Estates |
| • Joseph Gilroy | Replace Deck | Olwen Heights |

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- Simmerson Road Project – Box culvert should be done before the end of June.

NEW BUSINESS

- Refund of overpayment of Municipal Police Pension State Aid – A **MOTION** by Farischon and seconded by Schield to **refund the Commonwealth \$9,937.61 for overpayment of 2022 State Aid Pension funds.** Motion carried.
- Spencer Road – A **MOTION** by Schield and seconded by Farischon to **apply for a grant to pave Spencer Road in conjunction with Moscow Borough.** Motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENT

- None.

ADJOURNMENT

- A **MOTION** by Schield and seconded by Farischon was made **to adjourn at 8:55 pm.** Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Farischon, Secretary