

The regular meeting for the month of March of the Marion Township Supervisors was called to order on Monday April 10 2017 at 4:00 p.m., at the municipal building. Supervisors Thomas George and Dean Davis and Alan Dambach were present. Also present were Chris Reese, Frank Evanson, Marilyn Zona, William Hummel, Doug Rice, Dave Kopp, Mary Kopp, Bill Hutton, Tom Roush and Barb Blinn.

The minutes of the March 13, 2017 meeting were approved and adopted on a motion by Dean Davis, seconded by Alan Dambach. TGAYE DDAYE ADAYE

WATER: The Township received a letter from the Commonwealth Financing Authority informing the Supervisors that the Township was denied the request for a grant to extend the Township water line on Herman Road. The Township will be flushing hydrants in May.

SEWAGE: No report.

ROAD REPORT: The Township has received a number of complaints about the trees that are laying on the lines along 588. The lines belong to Verizon and until the lines come down, Verizon will not do anything about it. The Secretary will contact Representative Marshall's office for any ideas on who may help with the problem.

POLICE: The Police Report for the month of March was submitted and approved as follows: Total Hours worked: 397 hours, Total calls: 30, Mutual aid: 1. Dean Davis motioned to have the police phones switched from Verizon to Sprint, Alan Dambach seconded. TGAYE DDAYE ADAYE Alan Dambach motioned for the Township to purchase s 2017 Ford Police Interceptor Utility vehicle from Day Ford through the Westmoreland County COG for \$27,571, a new radio from Interstate Communications for \$441, Equipment and installation from IbisTek for \$6095.35 and lettering and striping from Team Signs for \$660.

PLANNING COMMISSION: Doug Rice advised the Board that the Planning Commission is close to submitting the updated Zoning Ordinance to the Supervisors. Dean Davis motioned to approve and sign the Thomas Meehan Planning Module, Alan Dambach seconded. TGAYE ADYAE DDAYE The Supervisors reviewed the Meehan Subdivision. Dean Davis motioned to approve the Thomas Meehan Subdivision subject to approval of the Planning Module by DEP and the County Planning Commission approval of the subdivision, Alan Dambach seconded. TGAYE DDAYE ADAYE

ZONING: A building permit was issued in the month of March to J J Kennedy for electric for the new garage.

Attorney Reese advised the Board that the Convery septic system will be installed at the end of May to mid-June. Attorney Reese presented a document to the Supervisors that will be signed by Veka, Big Knob Fire Department, Harmony Fire District and Marion Township confirming arrangements for fire protection for Veka.

Barb Blinn spoke to the Supervisors along with Bill Hutton and her contractor concerning her building permit for her barn for her event center. She is going to reapply for a building permit with a building that will hold 99 people or less and taking the doors off to make it a shelter.

Renovations to the municipal building are ongoing.

Alan Dambach motioned to approve and sign the filing of The Return of Uncollected Taxes, Dean Davis seconded. TGAYE ADAYE DDAYE

Alan Dambach motioned to switch our phone lines from Verizon to Armstrong, Dean Davis seconded. TGAYE ADAYE DDAYE

Dean Davis motioned to donate \$300 for an AED for the soccer field at Brush Creek Park, Alan Dambach seconded. TGAYE ADAYE DDAYE

Tom Roush addressed the Board about his purchase of the Caldwell property and his intent to open a repair garage. The property is zoned A-1 and a repair garage is a Conditional Use in that Zoning District. After much discussion, Mr. Roush was given paperwork to apply for a Conditional Use.

Dean Davis motioned to pay the bills, Tom George seconded. Roll Call Mr. George-yes Mr. Davis- yes Mr. Dambach- yes

Alan Dambach motioned to adjourn, Dean Davis seconded. TGAYE DDAYE ADAYE