Union Township Board of Supervisors Minutes/ Regular Meeting August 1, 2017

The regular monthly meeting of the Union Township Board of Supervisors was held on August 1, 2017 with Supervisors Poe, Reitz and Allred present. Also in attendance were David Jacobson, Jeffery Brouse, and Mark Bieber. Atty. Lyons was absent.

Meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM followed by the pledge to the flag.

Minutes of the previous meeting were called for and approved as read.

Public Comment: David Jacobson asked a question of the Board regarding the public access boat ramp off of Silo Lane that is being put in as part of the CSVT project.

The Chairman brought to the attention of the Board an issue with a hollow tree that is posing a safety concern. The tree is located just North of South Riverbreeze Avenue on a Township easement. The Board agreed that the tree should be removed at the expense of the Township. An estimate was received from Jordan's Tree Trimming and they will be scheduled to do the removal.

Charles Axtman, PE has approved the changes that needed to be addressed on the Winfield Storage Development Plan, however the Plan is still in the wrong name and the front page of the Stormwater Maintenance Agreement is not filled out completely. The Board will wait to sign the Agreement until these issues are resolved.

The EBT Manager estimated that our cost of the Engineering fees for the Green Light Go Grant Application would be 22%.

UGI is in the design phase of the "Get Gas" program on Shirley Drive as well as a portion of Park Road.

There are multiple sub-division proposals that are being addressed by the Planning Commission.

The residents at 1668 Felmey Road made the Township aware of a drain pipe issue at that address. The Chairman notified the residents that the issue in their yard is a private matter and will not be fixed by the Township. There is an issue on the Township road also that will be resolved.

There have been many storm water pipe issues throughout the Township as a result of the heavy rainfall this summer.

There was a request from the residents at 5664 County Line Road for a "Hidden Driveway" sign. As per Penn DOT, the Board would have to request the sign on her behalf. The Board agreed that the sight distance issue at that location is more of a problem because of tree limbs and bushes that should be trimmed back. The Chairman will talk with Clay Paine at Penn DOT about doing tree trimming on County Line Road. They do not feel at this time that a "Hidden Driveway" sign would be beneficial.

The County Convention will be held at The Cellars in Lewisburg this year. Billy Allred brought up concerns that the UCATO is in need of people to step up to some open positions if the Association is going to be able to continue.

Billy Allred has looked into a website for the Township. If the Board decides to not use Seda Cog to design it, the proposal will be put out for phone bids. The domain name uniontwp.org is available and Billy will reserve it.

Checks 3565-3585 were presented for payment with bills totaling \$31,860.70. A motion was made by Billy Allred, seconded by Tom Reitz and carried to approve bills as presented.

The Chairman called an Executive Session.

The Board came out of Executive Session at 9:20.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30 PM.

Respectfully Submitted, Wendy Yoder Secretary

 General Fund
 \$163,239.74

 State Fund
 \$89,300.53

 Equipment Fund
 \$42,701.88

 Total
 \$295,242.15