

Union Township Board of Supervisors
Minutes/ Regular Meeting
August 4, 2020

The regular monthly meeting of the Union Township Board of Supervisors was held on August 4, 2020. Supervisors Reitz, Allred and Bieber were present. Jeff Brouse, Rick Wetzel, and Chris Benfer were also in attendance. Atty. Lyons was absent.

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

Having reviewed the minutes of the previous meeting, a motion was made by Tom Reitz, seconded by Mark Bieber and carried to approve the minutes as presented.

Public Comment: None

Roadmaster Report:

- A tree on Seven Kitchens Road is causing a safety issue and should be removed. The Board discussed the location of the tree and who is responsible for it. If it is determined to be off of the Township ROW a letter will be sent to the property owner asking them to remove it.
- Discussion was held on the many mechanical issues happening with the backhoe. An estimate was received from CAT for a new 420 XE Backhoe Loader for \$121,814.00. The Board agreed that if CAT is willing to give an as-is trade in value of \$20,000.00 for our 2001 Backhoe, they would consider replacing it.
- An estimate of \$1800.00 was received from Fairchild Brothers to repair a driveway tie in issue on Supplee Mill Road. The Board made the decision to take a look at the driveway again before agreeing to fix the issue.
- The steps for the cardboard bins at the recycling center are almost complete.

Rick Wetzel and Chris Benfer attended the meeting to discuss the CSR 911 requirement for an updated Resolution stating not only that the Fire Company is the provider of emergency services, but also that they have the authority to make changes to the box cards. Billy Allred plans to speak with CSR 911 in an effort to clear up why the redundancy is needed.

FIRM updates were looked at. There will need to be some changes made to the current Floodplain Ordinance to stay compliant with FEMA.

The Temporary Construction Easements for the William Street project expire the end of 2020. The property owners will be notified to request renewal for another year to complete the project in 2021.

The Sewage Planning Module for Mihai Epure was presented. A motion was made by Tom Reitz, seconded by Billy Allred and carried to approve the module.

Checks 4570 – 4589 were presented for payment with bills totaling \$9924.74. A motion was made by Tom Reitz, seconded by Mark Bieber and carried to approve the bills as presented.

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:45 was made by Tom Reitz, seconded by Mark Bieber and carried.

General Fund	\$231,162.86
Equipment Fund	\$10,708.94
State Fund	\$420.62
Total	\$242,292.42

Respectfully Submitted,
Wendy Yoder
Secretary