

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
PERRY TOWNSHIP

UNOFFICIAL

March 5, 2024

The committee-of-the-whole meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Perry Township was called to order by Chairman Lance N. Adam, at 7:00 p.m. on March 5, 2024 in the Township Municipal Building, 680 Moselem Springs Road, Shoemakersville, PA. This meeting is being recorded. This meeting is available on ZOOM.

Pledge of Allegiance

A roll call was conducted by Chairman Adam and the following Supervisors were present:

Lance N. Adam- PRESENT

Patrick J. Daly-PRESENT (by phone)

Joseph Dalton- PRESENT

Rochelle Dreibelbis, Administrator- PRESENT

Public Comments: None

Review List of Preliminary Invoices- Includes the remainder of the road salt contract and the 2024 DES emergency dispatch fees. No comments.

Review Unofficial Minutes of the Supervisors Meeting February 13, 2024. No comments.

CELG 2024 Sponsorship- Supervisor Dalton questioned what the prior year sponsorship amount was? Each year prior was \$500.00. Chairman Adam made a motion to donate \$500.00 to Center for Excellence in Local Government for 2024. Supervisor Dalton seconded the motion. Motion carried with all Supervisors voting yes.

Hamburg Public Library- Chelsea Williams and Deb Wahl in representation of the Hamburg Public Library. The library has had a 30% increase in circulation over the last 5 years. Informed on new programs and circulations being offered for adults and children. Discussed new partnerships the library is working with. The library recently received a few excellent grants towards their expansion/ handicap accessibility project. Discussed state and county funding matches due to Hamburg Public Library being Perry Township's designated library. The library has raised approximately \$1.2million towards the needed \$2.1million for the expansion project.

Recreation Board Vacant Position- A letter of interest was received from Margie Dreibelbis to fill the vacant Recreation Board position. At their last meeting, the Recreation Board voted to accept the letter of interest. Chairman Adam made a motion to appoint Margie Dreibelbis to the Perry Township Recreation Board. Supervisor Dalton seconded the motion. Motion carried with all Supervisors voting yes.

Pine View Bridge Discussion- Due to deteriorating steel beams, the Pine View Bridge has been narrowed down to one lane. Chairman Adam met with a bridge engineer to discuss the course of action needed. To replace with concrete culverts, the engineer quoted between \$250,000.00-\$300,000.00, with permitting and engineering costs. To replace what is already existing, in-house, Chairman Adam quoted under \$50,000.00. Administrator Dreibelbis suggested using ARPA funding for the project. To be discussed further.

Public Comments:

Nancy James- The scouts will spread the mulch at the recreation park and township building when the weather breaks.

Adjourn:

Chairman Adam made a motion, seconded by Supervisor Dalton, to adjourn the meeting at 7:18 p.m.
Motion carried with all Supervisors voting yes.

MINUTES APPROVED ON
April 9, 2024

RECORDED BY

Lance N. Adam, Chairman

Rochelle Dreibelbis, Administrator