

July 11, 2023

The Franklin Township Regular Monthly Meeting was held on July 11, 2023 in the township building. Present at the meeting were Supervisors Phil DePue and Mark Creamer, Secretary/Treasurer Jeanne Sullivan and the people on the attached sign-in list. Since Supervisor Burch was not in attendance, Supervisor Creamer acted as Chairperson. Mark called the meeting to order at 7:06 PM. The pledge to the flag was recited.

Mark asked if there were any questions about the minutes. Phil made a motion to accept the minutes. Mark seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Mark asked if there were any questions about the treasurer's report. Phil made a motion to accept the report. Mark seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Correspondence:

Global Chemicals, Inc. sent a prepaid reply card for ordering products.

The DEP sent an Application Withdrawal for General Permit for Bluestone Application and General Permit for Stormwater Associated with Mining Activities at the Honeyford No. 2 Quarry.

Jim Brozena sent a Repetitive Loss Update on property located at 20689 State Route 29.

SWN sent a Notice of Intent for Consumptive Use at the King N Pad.

New Milford Borough sent a letter about the pool renovation project.

PA Dept. of General Services sent a letter about the Federal Surplus Property Program with an application. The Township's eligibility expired on March 4, 2022.

Roadmaster:

- Fixed water problem on Salt Springs Road. Water was running into their Carriage House.
- Put 2 pipes on Holy Road.
- 5/8 – 5/11. We graded Lake Roy and Pratt Roads getting ready for first dust oil spraying.
- 5/14 – 5/19 Booth Road and watered and watered getting ready to spray. Sprayed Booth Road.
- 5/22 – 5/26. Watered and rolled Johnson and Hunsinger Roads and sprayed them on 5/25.
- 6/5 – 6/9. Watered and rolled Hawk and sprayed on 6/8.
- 6/12 – 6/16. Watered and rolled Potter and Forks Hill for spraying. Sprayed 6/15.
- 6/19 – 6/23. Tried to get Booth and Ebbs ready to spray but got rained off.
- 6/16 – 6/30. Graded Bronson Hill, School and Mitchell Roads.
- 7/3 – 7/8. Watered and rolled for spraying. Sprayed Booth, Ebbs, Bronson Hill and School. Graded Conroy Road.
- We had Dennis Bennett and Robby Gregory trim roads that had dead Ash trees that were going to fall into our roads. We felt that it was a safety issue.
- The oil spraying (Dust oil) has had mostly positive results and some not so. We are learning. Please remember that is product seals our roads from water and keeps our roads (dust is our roads blowing away) and should improve year to year. Our hope is that all the roads we have rebuilt over the last 4 years will last with minimum repairs for years. That would be a huge savings for our township.

The Township will continue payroll services with Erin Jenner.

Mark made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Phil seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 7:30.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeanne Sullivan  
Secretary/Treasurer

**Treasurer's Report**

|                        |            |
|------------------------|------------|
| General                | 127,183.92 |
| State Fund             | 156,163.50 |
| Operational Reserve    | 1,490.21   |
| Capital Reserve Impact | 507,295.89 |
| Equipment              | 32,183.91  |
| Fire                   | 23,178.52  |
| Dirt and Gravel        | 105.30     |
| Payroll                | 19,133.00  |
| Small Cap              | 1,186.54   |
| FEMA                   | 870,758.13 |
| Buy Out                | 129,365.23 |

**General Checking**

|       |                     |          |
|-------|---------------------|----------|
| 10874 | D B Tree LLC        | 9000.00  |
| 10875 | Waste Management    | 218.02   |
| 10876 | FT Payroll          | 20000.00 |
| 10877 | John Bonham         | 441.42   |
| 10878 | Angelo Ventresca    | 97.00    |
| 10879 | Olivia Zawiski      | 60.00    |
| 10880 | NEIC                | 642.54   |
| 10881 | Dempsey             | 179.20   |
| 10882 | Spectrum            | 113.54   |
| 10883 | R&R Landscaping     | 3600.00  |
| 10884 | Diaz Disposal       | 700.60   |
| 10885 | Glezens Power Equip | 87.96    |
| 10886 | Liberty Township    | 1916.00  |
| 10887 | Highmark            | 1050.03  |
| 10888 | R&R Landscaping     | 5400.00  |
| 10889 | Down to Earth       | 1625.00  |
| 10890 | JC Smith            | 223.92   |
| 10891 | Waste Management    | 218.26   |
| 10892 | Void                |          |
| 10893 | J and J Springs     | 20.00    |
| 10894 | Penelec             | 182.32   |

## Deposits:

7/13 3345.00

7/18 1783.64

7/26 1871.89

**State**

|      |                |           |
|------|----------------|-----------|
| 2789 | Void           |           |
| 2790 | Bradco         | 844.56    |
| 2791 | Mirabito       | 1221.71   |
| 2792 | G's Excavating | 1040.00   |
| 2793 | A Wilber       | 2555.22   |
| 2794 | Midland        | 25,953.63 |

**Small Cap**

|      |        |       |
|------|--------|-------|
| 7/6  | Paypal | 17.42 |
| 7/11 | DECD   | 9.00  |

**Equipment**

Deposit:

7/13 446.00

**Fire**

7/13 682.39

**Impact**

Deposit

7/7 335,064.11

**Payroll**

|      |          |         |
|------|----------|---------|
| 7/7  | Payroll  | 1218.42 |
| 7/14 | Payroll  | 2763.81 |
| 7/14 | 10204    | 139.49  |
| 7/15 | IRS      | 2721.32 |
| 7/15 | PA State | 352.06  |
| 7/28 | Payroll  | 1494.06 |

Deposit:

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7/7 20,000.00