

**Franklin Township, Adams County
Board of Supervisors Meeting**

April 4, 2024

SUPERVISORS PRESENT: Supervisors Williams, Supervisor Santay, and Supervisor Crushong.

OTHERS PRESENT: Susan Plank, Secretary/Treasurer, Curt MacBeth, Roadmaster, and Bernie Yannetti, Solicitor

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS ONLY

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION by Supervisor Williams, seconded by Supervisor Santay to approve the March 7, 2024 Board of Supervisors Meeting Minutes and the March 21, 2024 Workshop Meeting Minutes. Motion carried 3-0.

APPROVAL OF BILL LIST #4

MOTION by Supervisor Santay, seconded by Supervisor Williams to approve Bill List #4 – General Account - Check Nos. 38853 – 38898 in the amount of \$46,029.31 and American Rescue Fund Check No. 107 in the amount of \$50,000.00 for a Grand Total of \$96,029.31. Motion carried, 3-0.

PRELIMINARY/FINAL PLAN

None were presented

STORMWATER MANAGEMENT PLAN

None were presented

REPORTS

Reports will be posted on line for review

OLD BUSINESS

498 Tillietown Road – Update.

Solicitor Yannetti informed the Board that the Magistrate fine the resident \$100 plus court cost. He informed the Board that the resident has 30 days to appeal. Once the 30

days are pass then there needs to be discussion on what comes next to get the resident compliant.

NEW BUSINESS

Municibid Results for Tri-Axle, Backhoe, and Unit #5 1997 International on Municibid

Susan Plank Secretary/Treasurer informed the Board that the bids did not meet the reserves that were sent to the equipment.

MOTION by Supervisor Williams, seconded by Supervisor Santy to deny the bids on Municibid since they did not meet the reserve amounts. Motion carried, 3-0.

Curtis MacBeth, Roadmaster informed the Board that he has had some calls and offers on the equipment from interested parties that did not bid on Municibid. He informed the Board that he has a Township coming to look at the International on Monday, April 8, 2024. He has an offer of \$150K for the Tri-axle and a \$20K offer on the Backhoe. The Board suggested that the Township give a counter offer.

MOTION by Supervisor Santay, seconded by Supervisor Williams to table the decision until the Workshop. Motion carried, 3-0.

Award Road Project – Scott School Road/Bottom Road

MOTION by Supervisor Williams, seconded by Supervisor Santay to award the Scott School/Bottom Road Project to C. E. Williams with a low bid of \$87,525.00. Motion Carried, 3-0.

Boyer Nursery Road Guardrail Damage

Susan Plank, Secretary/Treasurer informed the Board that there was an accident on Boyers Nursery Road that damaged the guardrail. The driver had the minimum property coverage in the amount of \$5k. The estimate to repair the guardrail came in at \$18,300.00. The Township insurance agency informed Susan that the guardrail is not covered under the Township insurance unless the Township list all the guardrails in the Township and where they are located. It is being looked into as to what assets the driver has as to whether the Township can put a lien on them.

MOTION by Supervisor Santay, seconded by Supervisor Williams to table a decision on this incident until the Workshop. Motion carried, 3-0.

GUESTS

Resident Russell Myers, 18 Edward Court asked the Board why the residents on Edward were not notified of the land transfer between Kuhn and the Gettysburg Area School District (GASD). He informed the Board that there is a water issue down the lane from the school parking lot. There was some confusion about why there would be a need to notify residents when any property is transferred. Clem Malot, Zoning Officer,

Pennsylvania Municipal Code Alliance informed Mr. Myers that the Planning Commission Agenda and Minutes are posted on the Website to inform the residents what may be happening in the Township that would concern them.

There were no other comments from residents.

ADJOURN

MOTION by Supervisor Santay, seconded by Supervisor Williams to adjourn at 7:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan J. Plank
Secretary/Treasurer

Chairman _____

Vice-Chairman _____

Supervisor _____