

**MINUTES OF THE DARLINGTON TOWNSHIP
SUPERVISORS MEETING HELD MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2013**

The Darlington Township Supervisors met on Monday, September 9, 2013 for their regular monthly meeting in the township municipal building at 8:00 P.M.

Chairman, Chad Crawford called the meeting to order and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by the Lord's Prayer.

Present were the following:

Supervisors	Chad Crawford
	John Nicely
	Hans Dahlin
Zoning Officer	Jeff Frye
Solicitors	Garen Fedeles

APPROVAL OF THE WORKSHOP MEETING

Chad Crawford motioned, John Nicely seconded to approve the September 2, 2013 Workshop Meeting minutes. Motion carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chad Crawford motioned, John Nicely seconded to approve the August 13, 2013 minutes. Motion carried unanimously.

REPORTS:

FIRE DEPARTMENT: Monthly report was not available. President, Brian Farkas stated that the garage door needs repaired in the fire department bay and that the company that serviced the doors in the past needs to be contacted.

POLICE DEPARTMENT: Monthly report was available.

ROAD MAINTENANCE: Monthly report was available.

ZONING OFFICER: Jeff Frye stated firstly, he issued two 10 day notices regarding property maintenance. Secondly, he provided an updated plan for McCaughtry Run Road. And thirdly, he has contacted Brandon Smith regarding his driveway drainage problem and remarked Mr. Smith is working to resolve this issue.

Chad Crawford stated that they contacted the resident on Enon Road regarding her moving her vehicle. He also remarked that the road department will be creating a parking place for her.

SOLICITORS REPORT: Nothing to report.

HOST MUNICIPAL INSPECTOR: Monthly report was not available.

VISITORS COMMENTS: Present: Bill Shaffer is requesting the roads be chipped with 1B aggregate. He stated that using the 2B aggregate is too large for the surfacing of the roads and feels it is a dust and safety issue.

Engineer, Jeff Frye explained the reason the Road Master, Kevin McRoberts is using the 2B aggregate is because most of the roads do not have a base under them so he is attempting to build them up with a blend of aggregate, then in the future he will smooth out the road using the 1B aggregate.

Brian Farkas stated residents on Cannelton Road have contacted Columbiana Port Authority regarding the potential danger of a rub rail elevated above the track surface. Chad Crawford stated he spoke with a representative and they will be removing it next week.

Kathy Shumaker stated that it is to her understanding Dr. Tsai did not obtain a permit for the statue and also that she is not pleased with the way it looks.

She also stated that there was a property maintenance issue by her home. Chad Crawford asked her to submit to the township office the address and photos of the property that needs attention. Dr. Tsai stated he is favor of the statue and that you can't please everyone. Jeff Frye, responded to him that he understands that Dr. Tsai is in the process of obtaining the necessary permits to comply with the township ordinance.

Brandon Nelsnik, Stephen Zachewicz and Mike McMannus stated they were present in behalf of Dr. Tsai and in favor of the statue and the Brickyard Gym.

Mr. Spawn presented a map showing where Darlington, Chippewa, Big Beaver and South Beaver meet. He further mentioned he was almost broadsided by a fire truck over the weekend.

Greg Houlette spoke regarding the dust at Tuboscope.

Alvin Hamilton, manager of Tuboscope explained that Youngblood Paving is supposed to handle the tarring of Tuboscope's property this week. He also inquired about occasional after hour operation. He explained that rarely they have deliveries after hours but would like the townships approval to accept them when it does occur. He also requested approval for portable lighting regarding these deliveries. Jeff stated the ordinance read that there is regulations for lighting and also for the noise level that Tuboscope would have to comply with.

VISTORS COMMENTS:

BUSINESS MEETING

ITEM # 1 Supervisors to approve the 2014 MMO for the PMRS Darlington Township pension plan.

Chad Crawford motioned, Hans Dahlin seconded to approve the 2014 MMO for the PMRS Darlington Township pension plan. Motion carried unanimously.

ITEM #2 Supervisors to approve the purchasing of Salt, Anti-Skid, and cinders through the COG for the 2014 winter season.

John Nicely motioned, Chad Crawford seconded to approve the purchasing of Salt, Anti-Skid, and cinders through the COG for the 2014 winter season. Motion carried unanimously.

ITEM #3 Supervisors to accept the Ordinance regarding McCaughtry Run Road and Bradford Road in the Barbara Kerestes Plan.

Chad Crawford motioned, Hans Dahlin seconded to accept the Ordinance regarding McCaughtry Run Road and Bradford Road in the Barbara Kerestes Plan. Motion carried unanimously.

ITEM #4 Supervisors to accept the Ordinance regarding McCaughtry Run Road and Bradford in the Freda Cope Plan.

Chad Crawford motioned, Hans Dahlin seconded to accept the Ordinance regarding McCaughtry Run Road and Bradford Road in the Freda Cope Plan. Motion carried unanimously.

MONTHLY CORRESPONDENCE

Presented and reviewed.

OUTSTANDING BILLS: Chad Crawford motioned, John Nicely seconded to pay the outstanding bills. Motion carried unanimously.

TREASURER REPORT: Chad Crawford motioned, Hans Dahlin seconded to approve the treasurer's report. Motion carried unanimously.

ADJOURN:

There being no further business Chad Crawford motioned, Hans Dahlin seconded to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously. Time 8:50.

Respectfully Submitted,

Susan Householder
Secretary