

**MINUTES OF THE DARLINGTON TOWNSHIP
SUPERVISORS MEETING HELD
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2022**

The Darlington Township Supervisors met on Monday, February 14, 2022 for their regularly scheduled monthly meeting in the Township municipal building at 7:00 P.M.

Chairman, Greg Houlette called the meeting to order at 7:01 P.M. and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by the Lord's Prayer.

Present were the following:

Supervisors	Greg Houlette Tom Blinkiewicz Mike Carreon
Engineer/Zoning Officer	Jeff Frye
Solicitor	Taryn Hardy

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Bill Shaffer commended the Road Department for their efforts to keep the Township roads clear and safe. He did express concern about not pushing the residual amount of snow on the side of the roads.

Joe Caler inquired about code violations on Oakdale Road.

Marilyn Cope reported that they continue to have concerns regarding the trailers and disabled vehicles located behind the fence of their neighbors on Black Drive.

APPROVAL OF TOWNSHIP MINUTES:

Greg Houlette motioned; Mike Carreon seconded to approve the January 10, 2022 Township minutes. Motion carried unanimously.

REPORTS:

FIRE DEPARTMENT: Monthly Treasurer's report was available.

POLICE DEPARTMENT: Monthly report was available.

ROAD MAINTENANCE: Monthly report was available.

ENGINEER: Discussed potential improvement project at Industrial Park regarding water treatment system.

ZONING OFFICER: Jeff Frye reported he handled a zoning application for a cellular tower upgrade already located on Valley Road. He also mentioned the need to arrange for the Conditional Use Hearing for the McRoberts well pad Bitcoin mining project.

SOLICITOR: Nothing to Report.

RECREATION BOARD: No Report.

COMMUNICATION: Annual Spring Clean-up Event will take place on Saturday, April 9, 2022.

OLD BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS:

ITEM 1: Motion to increase rates for reservation not made prior to March 1, 2022 to the following:
Event Room rental = \$150.00
Rental of both Pavilion and Room together = \$175.00
Pavilion rental alone remains \$50

Greg Houlette motioned; Mike Carreon seconded to approve. Motion carried unanimously.

ITEM 2: Motion to approve the purchase of two flip sights and two red dot sights for Police Department in an amount not to exceed \$750.00

Greg Houlette motioned; Mike Carreon seconded to approve. Motion carried unanimously.

ITEM 3: Motion to purchase a new Nextiva IP based phone system for Municipal Building use through ConneCTel with an start-up and installation cost not to exceed \$1850.00

Motion failed. Discussion tabled.

ITEM 4: Motion to purchase intercom, electronic door controller, and all associated labor to complete vestibule door project with a cost not to exceed \$2000.

Greg Houlette motioned; Mike Carreon seconded to approve. Motion carried unanimously.

OUTSTANDING BILLS: Greg Houlette motioned; Mike Carreon seconded to pay the outstanding bills. Motion carried.

TREASURER REPORT: Greg Houlette motioned; Mike Carreon seconded to accept the treasurer's report. Motion carried.

ADJOURN:

There being no further business, Greg Houlette motioned, Mike Carreon seconded to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously. Time 7:44.

Respectfully Submitted,

Brenna Boyde
Secretary/Treasurer