MINUTES OF THE DARLINGTON TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS MEETING HELD MONDAY, JUNE 12, 2023

The Darlington Township Supervisors met on Monday, May 8, 2023 for their regularly scheduled monthly meeting in the Township municipal building at 7:02 P.M.

Mike Carreon, Chairman of the Board called the meeting to order at 7:04 P.M. and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by the Lord's Prayer.

PRESENT:

Supervisors Greg Houlette

Tom Blinkiewicz Mike Carreon

Solicitor Taryn Hardy Secretary/Treasurer Brenna Boyde

ABSENT:

Engineer/Zoning Officer Jeff Frye

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Nancy Blanchard of Little Beaver Road inquired about the mowing of the side of the roadway. She is concerned about safety. She also indicated that the NVR plant is leaving nails and sharp debris on the roadway.

Bill Shafer of Oakdale Road shared his frustration with the detour to get to East Palestine and states that Norfolk Southern should be continuing to consider inconvenience fees. Shared his ongoing frustration with unmaintained property.

Joe Caler of Oakdale Road inquired into the progress of the overgrown grass, trash, and debris at 311 Oakdale.

Cornelius Miller of Enon Road inquired about obtaining a Conditional Use permit.

Carl Dean of McCaughtry Road shared his concerns about the targeting of residents because they do not have a known or favorable last name with the Township Supervisors.

Glenda Tetemanza of Darlington Borough wanted to share that there is burning going on in the late evening that is resulting in noxious gas and she believes it is originating in Darlington Township.

TOWNSHIP MINUTES:

Mike Carreon motioned and Greg Houlette seconded to approve the May 8, 2023 Township minutes as presented.

REPORTS:

FIRE DEPARTMENT: No Report

POLICE DEPARTMENT: Monthly report was available for review. It was also shared that four Police Officers are in the final stages of testing to become EMR/EMS responders.

ROAD MAINTENANCE: Monthly report was available for review.

ENGINEER: No Report

CODE ENFORCEMENT: Monthly report was available for review.

ZONING OFFICER: No Report

SOLICITOR: Nothing to Report

RECREATION BOARD: No Report available

COMMUNICATION:

7-year Agricultural Security Program renewal will begin in late June or early July

DCED Fire-Study was discussed regarding addressing the decline in Volunteer Fire Service

OLD BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS:

ITEM 1: Greg Houlette motioned to approve the employment of Colby Carreon as seasonal labor at a rate of \$15.24/hour. Tom Blinkiewicz seconded. Chairman Mike Carreon abstained. Motion was carried.

ITEM 2: Mike Carreon motioned to approve Resolution 11-2023 for Disposition of Records. Greg Houlette seconded. Motion was carried.

ITEM 3: Mike Carreon motioned to approve the advertising of road materials for summer 2023. Greg Houlette seconded. Motion was carried.

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

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

ADJOURN:

There being no further business Mike Carreon motioned, Greg Houlette seconded to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously. Time 8:00PM

Respectfully Submitted,

Brenna Boyde Secretary/Treasurer