

**MINUTES OF THE DARLINGTON TOWNSHIP
SUPERVISORS MEETING HELD MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2021**

The Darlington Township Supervisors met on Monday, September 13, 2021 for their regular monthly meeting in the township municipal building at 7:00 P.M.

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

Present were the following:

Supervisors	Greg Houlette Paul Campbell Sandy Dey
Solicitors	Garen Fedeles and Taryn Hardy
Engineer/ Zoning Officer	Jeff Frye
Office Manager/Treasurer	Brenna Boyd
Secretary	Susan Householder

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Comments were made regarding Comcast, weeds, property maintenance, state roads, the water tower and Watt's Mill Bridge.

APPROVAL OF TOWNSHIP MEETING MINUTES: Greg Houlette motioned, Paul Campbell seconded to approve the August 9th, 2021 Township Minutes. Motion carried unanimously.

REPORTS:

FIRE DEPARTMENT: The monthly report was available.

POLICE DEPARTMENT: The monthly report was available.

ROAD MAINTENANCE: The monthly report was available.

ZONING/ ENGINEER: Jeff Frye stated Geopetro LLC has applied for a Conditional Use Permit. Jeff explained that the application was incomplete and that he had requested additional information.

SOLICITOR: Taryn Hardy stated the Board will go into Executive Session after the items on the agenda have been addressed.

RECREATION BOARD: Susan Householder stated that considering there was several other events happening at the same time as the Car Cruise on Sunday, the Board was pleased with the outcome and that it was a success.

OLD BUSINESS: Nothing

BUSINESS MEETING:

ITEM # 1 Supervisors to make a motion to adopt a resolution to authorize Brenna Boyd to open a checking account at Wesbanco regarding the funds received through the American Rescue Plan Act.

Greg Houlette motioned, Paul Campbell seconded to adopt a resolution to authorize Brenna Boy to open a checking account at Wesbanco regarding the funds received through the American Rescue Plan Act.

ITEM # 2 Supervisors to make a motion to approve the Non-Uniform MMO and the Police MMO Pension for 2022.

Greg Houlette motioned, Paul Campbell seconded to approve the Non-Uniform MMO and the Police MMO Pension for 2022. Motion carried unanimously.

ITEM # 3 Supervisors to adopt a policy regarding police equipment purchases and firearms.

Greg Houlette motioned, Paul Campbell seconded to adopt a policy regarding police equipment purchases and firearms. Motion carried unanimously.

ITEM # 4 Supervisors to make a motion to adopt a policy regarding police equipment purchases and firearms.

Greg Houlette motioned, Paul Campbell seconded to adopt a policy regarding police equipment purchases and firearms. Motion carried unanimously.

ITEM # 5 Supervisors to make a motion to hire Daniel Fredrick as a full-time police officer at the rate of \$21.45.

Greg Houlette motioned, Paul Campbell seconded to make a motion to hire Daniel Fredrick as a full-time police officer at the rate of \$21.45. Motion carried unanimously.

ITEM # 6 Supervisor's to make a motion to hire Hannah Shepler as a part time police officer at the rate of \$20.09 after the probationary period.

Greg Houlette motioned, Paul Campbell seconded to make a motion to hire Hannah Shepler as a part time police officer at the rate of \$20.09 after the probationary period. Motion carried unanimously.

ITEM # 7 Supervisors to make a motion to authorize Jeff Frye to advertise for 2021-2022 Winter Commodities to include Road Salt and Anti Skid.

Greg Houlette motioned, Paul Campbell seconded to make a motion to authorize Jeff Frye to advertise for 2021-2022 Winter Commodities to include Road Salt and Anti Skid. Motion carried unanimously.

ITEM # 8 Supervisors to make a motion to authorize Jeff Frye to advertise for Anti-Skid for the 2021-2022 Winter Commodities.

Greg Houlette motioned, Paul Campbell seconded to make a motion to authorize Jeff Frye to advertise for Anti-Skid for the 2021-2022 Winter Commodities. Motion carried unanimously.

ITEM #9 Supervisors to make a motion to approve the ordering of a Ford Interceptor Police Car, not to exceed the amount of \$50,000.00.

Greg Houlette motioned, Paul Campbell to make a motion to approve the ordering of a Ford Interceptor Police Car, not to exceed the amount of \$50,000.00. Motion carried unanimously.

ITEM # 10 Executive Session.

Greg Houlette motioned, Paul Campbell seconded to come out of Executive Session. Motion carried unanimously.

MONTHLY CORRESPONDENCE

Presented and reviewed.

OUTSTANDING BILLS: Greg Houlette motioned, Paul Campbell seconded to pay the outstanding bills. Motion carried unanimously.

TREASURER REPORT: Greg Houlette motioned, Paul Campbell seconded to approve the treasurer report. Motion carried unanimously.

ADJOURN: There being no further business, Greg Houlette motioned, Paul Campbell seconded to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously. Time 8:59.

Respectfully Submitted,

Susan Householder, Secretary