

MINUTES  
HEALTH & SANITATION COMMITTEE  
AUGUST 1, 2022

The Penn Township Health and Sanitation Committee convened on Monday, August 1, 2022, at 7:51 p.m. following the Finance Committee meeting. Present were Chairman Berlingo, Commissioners Allison, Elksnis and Heiland. Also present were Township Manager Rodgers, Police Chief Hettinger, Fire Chief Clouser, Township Engineer Bortner, Zoning Officer Smith, and Township Secretary Sweeney. Commissioner Brown was present via cell-phone. The following items were discussed:

ANNOUNCEMENTS: There were none.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES: The minutes of the July 5, 2022, Health and Sanitation Committee meeting were approved as submitted.

CITIZEN'S COMMENTS: There were none.

OAK HILL HERSHEY / HEIGHTS SEWER PROJECT: Township Manager Rodgers reported that the project is moving along. The work is still located at Oak Hills installing the pipes and working on the Stormwater, and will soon progress to Hershey Heights Road. The Township has received a few calls with concerns from the residents, and the construction company has been very good addressing those concerns. The Township is awaiting word from the attorney if the board of review decision will be appealed by the property owner on Hershey Heights. She is in the process of researching demolition services.

JANET STREET AND BREEZEWOOD DRIVE SEWER PROJECTS: Township Manager Rodgers reported the Township is waiting for a resolution for condemnation for the Bon-Ton and Matthews property from the attorney. The Committee recommended adopting the resolution.

The Breezewood Drive agreement has been approved and signed by Southwestern School District. We are just waiting for their attorney to review.

REFUSE AND RECYCLING COLLECTION CONTRACT: Township Manager Rodgers reported she will get the bid advertised as soon as possible with bid opening scheduled for September.

OTHER MATTERS: Commissioner Elksnis asked Manager Rodgers if she has received any more candidates for the supervisory positions at the Wastewater Treatment Plant. She stated that she has not. The Committee recommended Manager Rodgers to reach out to the applicants, and arrange appointments for the interviews.

CITIZEN'S QUESTIONS TO THE COMMITTEE: There were none.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Donna M. Sweeney,  
Township Secretary