

Howe Township  
April 5, 2018

The Howe Township Board of Supervisors met in regular session at the UPMC Pinnacle Health Community Room at 5:30 p.m. on April 5, 2018. Present: Chairman Dale Beaver, Vice Chairman Charles Burd, Supervisor Kathy Donahey, Secretary Nancy Cangoli, Frank Campbell-HTMA, Luke Roman-Perry County Times and 3 residents.

Chairman Beaver called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance. Secretary Cangoli called the roll. All Supervisors were present.

A motion was made to approve the minutes as presented for March 1, 2018; Burd/Donahey. Motion carried.

A motion was made to approve the bills to be paid; Donahey/Burd. Motion carried.

### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Alex Owtscharuk addressed the Board regarding an issue he has with the sewer line and is looking for an exemption or to have the township buy his house because there is not going to be a gravity feed line down the road, it will be high pressure with a check valve. He believes the check valve will get stuck by debris and will contaminate his house. Chairman Beaver stated the township would not be buying his house and the sewer line falls within the sewer project handled by the HTMA. The Board does not make decisions on the installation of the sewer project. Frank Campbell stated the Municipal Authority is aware of the issue and their Engineer will be working on it.

### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

The vacancies on the Zoning Hearing Board and the Municipal Authority still need to be filled and are advertised on the website. More candidates are needed.

Keystone Opportunity Zone (KOZ)-There will be a workshop April 11, 2018 with the school district and at least 2 of the Perry County Commissioners.

E-Cycling scheduled for June 9<sup>th</sup>-Kristie Smith has not gotten back to Chairman Beaver on the donation. The PSATS convention is coming up-April 22 through April 25.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

Spring Cleanup day will be May 19, 2018 from 8:00 a.m. to Noon or until the dumpsters are full.

Secretary Cangoli reported Fortenbaugh Accounting Services has completed and filed the 2017 audit with DCED on March 30th. She will be picking it up before the next meeting.

### **MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY**

Minutes from March 19, 2018 have been submitted. The CDBG surveys were completed.

### **ROAD MASTER**

A second load of salt has been delivered. Road Master Beaver has gotten prices for 4 new rear tires for the truck from several places. Kauffman's in Newport has the best deal. A motion was made that 4 new rear tires be put on the back of the dump truck which are Firestones and do it with Max Kauffman's Service Center in Newport for approximately \$665.92 installed and out the door; Beaver/Burd. Motion carried.

Gypsy Hollow Rd project- The geo fabric and dewatering bags have been delivered.

Supervisor Burd thanked Dale and Wayne for the job they did plowing the snow over the winter.

**ZONING OFFICER**

No permits were issued. The citations issued to the property owners of 106 and 368 Juniata Parkway East- they have pled guilty and have set up payment plans with the District Justice-there has been no update per Bob Hart.

**PLANNING COMMISSION**

There was no meeting in March.

<u>Plan</u>	<u>Submitted</u>	<u>Date-Approve/Disapprove</u>
Buffalo Crossing Commons	5/4/17	2/1/18-extension to July 2018

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 6:19 p.m.; Burd/Donahey. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted  
Nancy Cangioli  
Secretary