

**RUSH TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
MONTHLY MEETING  
THURSDAY, JULY 18, 2013 7 P.M.**

Minutes of the Meeting of the Rush Township Board of Supervisors

The meeting of the Rush Township Board of Supervisors was called to order by Supervisor Shawn Gilbert at 7 o'clock p.m. Those in attendance were Supervisor Robert Leibensperger, Supervisor Jeaninne Motroni, Secretary/Treasurer Darlene Fenstermacher, William McMullen, and attorney Chris Reidlinger. Six residents and two reporter of Rush Township were in attendance.

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Moment of silence for former Supervisor and Planning Commission Member Kenneth Hoppes.

3. PUBLIC COMMENT –

Mr. Leonzi – Questioned about the possibility of methadone labs in vacant homes within in the township. Also questioned people moving in and out of the township.

Joe Shamonsky – Asked about the flowers for Kenneth Hoppes. Also, asked why oil trucks are being parked full in a residential area.

Charlie Shamonsky – Stated that his son called UPS to have truck stop using Meadow Avenue as a shortcut.

Stephen Behun – Asked about the denial of the variance of the car port on his property. Also asked when the 10 foot rule came into effect.

4. POLICE REPORT - Motion made by Vice-Chairman Leibensperger. Motion seconded by Supervisor Motroni. Mrs. Fenstermacher polled the Board. All voted yes.

5. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING –June 20, 2013. Motion made by Vice-Chairman Leibensperger. Motion seconded by Supervisor Motroni. Mrs. Fenstermacher polled the Board. All voted yes.

6. TREASURERS REPORT – As of June 20, 2013. Motion made by Vice-Chairman Leibensperger. Motion seconded by Supervisor Motroni. Mrs. Fenstermacher polled the Board. All voted yes.

7. APPROVAL OF CURRENT TOWNSHIP AND SEWER BILLS THRU July 31, 2013. Motion made by Vice-Chairman Leibensperger. Motion seconded by Supervisor Motroni. Mrs. Fenstermacher polled the Board. All voted yes.

8. MUNICIPAL REPORTS (SEWER, ROAD, ARRO, PRODESIGN PLUS) - Motion made by Vice-Chairman Leibensperger. Motion seconded by Supervisor Motroni. Mrs. Fenstermacher polled the Board. All voted yes.

9. CORRESPONDENCE

10. ATTORNEY'S BUSINESS

A) Motion to revise the transient vendor ordinance. Motion made by Vice-Chairman Leibensperger. Motion seconded by Supervisor Motroni. Mrs. Fenstermacher polled the Board. All voted yes.

B) Motion to being in outside third party investigator for a personnel issue. Motion made by Vice-Chairman Leibensperger. Motion seconded by Supervisor Motroni. Mrs. Fenstermacher polled the Board. Chairman Shawn Gilbert abstained.

## 11. OLD BUSINESS

A) Bid opening for wood chipper: Matthew Stalher \$2050.00; Merman Motors \$2510.00; Lake Hauto Club \$2002.56; Stoney Lonesome Excavating \$283.00; Dunns Tree Service \$1005.00; Cory Wagner \$3000.00; William Ebert \$1409.00; Rick Bauer \$2601.00; William Raibeck \$1879.00; Penn Hazel \$2200.00. Chipper awarded to Cory Wagner for \$3000.00. Motion made by Vice-Chairman Leibensperger. Motion seconded by Supervisor Motroni. Mrs. Fenstermacher polled the Board. All voted yes.

## 12. NEW BUSINESS

- A) Motion to purchase 16 boxes of road flares for the fire companies and the police department at a cost of \$37.08 per box. Motion made by Vice-Chairman Leibensperger. Motion seconded by Supervisor Motroni. Mrs. Fenstermacher polled the Board. All voted yes.
- B) Motion to accept Andrew Morgan's letter of resignation. Motion made by Vice-Chairman Leibensperger. Motion seconded by Supervisor Motroni. Mrs. Fenstermacher polled the Board. All voted yes.
- C) Motion to accept Richard Bekesy's letter of resignation. Motion made by Vice-Chairman Leibensperger. Motion seconded by Supervisor Motroni. Mrs. Fenstermacher polled the Board. All voted yes.
- D) Motion to advertise for a road department employee. Motion made by Vice-Chairman Leibensperger. Motion seconded by Supervisor Motroni. Mrs. Fenstermacher polled the Board. All voted yes.
- E) Motion to advertise for part-time police officers. Motion made by Vice-Chairman Leibensperger. Motion seconded by Supervisor Motroni. Mrs. Fenstermacher polled the Board. All voted yes.
- F) Motion to appoint Michele Griffiths to serve out the vacant position on the Planning Commission Board. Motion made by Vice-Chairman Leibensperger. Motion seconded by Supervisor Motroni. Mrs. Fenstermacher polled the Board. All voted yes.

## 13. SUPERVISORS COMMENT –

Ash pick up will be on Thursday's, please call the office to be added to the list

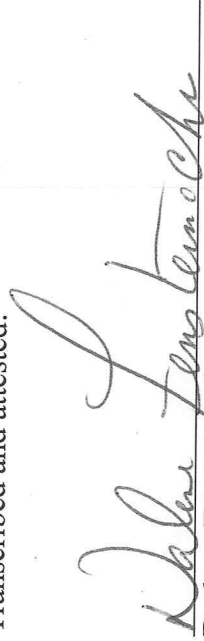
The next electronic recycling event will be held July 20<sup>th</sup> from 9am to 1 pm at the Township Building. AGS will be charging residents \$15.00 per Freon appliances, \$10.00 per television, \$20.00 per large projection and console televisions.

Complaints must be made in writing and have a signature to be official

Funds are still available for the low income housing rehabilitation program

14. ADJOURNMENT – Meeting was adjourned at 7:50 PM.

Transcribed and attested:



Darlene Fenstermacher  
Secretary/Treasurer