

Rush Township Building
Hometown, PA 18252

Minutes of the Rush Township Board of Supervisors

A meeting was held at the Rush Township Municipal Building on May 20, 2021 at 7:00 PM. In attendance were: Chairman Shawn Gilbert, Vice Chairman Robert Leibensperger, Supervisor Jeaninne Motroni, Treasurer/Secretary Debbie DelFranco, Chief Kenneth Zipovsky, Bill McMullen, Engineer; Chris Riedlinger, Solicitor.

Chairman Shawn Gilbert called the meeting to order.

Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Police Report – A Motion was made by Chairman Gilbert to approve the police report for the month of April 2021. Vice Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Motroni seconded. Debbie DelFranco polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion, motion carried.

Minutes of Previous Meeting - A motion was made by Chairman Gilbert to approve the previous meeting minutes of April 15, 2021. Vice Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Motroni seconded. Debbie DelFranco polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion, motion carried.

Treasurer's Report – A motion was made by Chairman Gilbert to approve the treasurer's report as of April 2021. Vice Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Motroni seconded. Debbie DelFranco polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion, motion carried.

Approval of current township and sewer bills thru May 19, 2021.

A motion was made by Chairman Gilbert to approve the current township and sewer bills thru May 19, 2021. Vice Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Motroni seconded. Debbie DelFranco polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion, motion carried.

Approval of municipal reports (sewer, road, Arro, Prodesign) – A motion was made by Chairman Gilbert to approve the municipal reports for April 2021. Vice Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Motroni seconded. Debbie DelFranco polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion, motion carried.

Attorney's Business –

Old Business – None

NEW BUSINESS – None

1. Motion to approve an addendum to the Agreement for Sale of Real Estate with Susan Biege and Andrea Dunn and to have Shawn Gilbert execute the addendum on behalf of Rush Township. Vice-Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Motroni seconded. Debbie DelFranco polled the board. All member voted in favor of the motion, motion carried.

2. Motion to approve Application for Payment #4 of Arthur "Pat" Aungst, Inc. in the amount of \$62,453.28 for the Ye Old Hauto and Keller Road Storm Water Improvement Project. Vice-Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Motroni seconded. Debbie DelFranco polled the board. All members voted in favor of motion, motion carried.

3. Motion to approve Application for Payment #5-Final of Arthur "Pat" Aungst, Inc. in the amount of \$19,596.25 for the Ye Old Hauto and Keller Road Storm Water Improvement Project. Vice-Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Motroni seconded. Debbie DelFranco polled the board. All members voted in voted of the motion, motion carried.

4. Motion to approve Resolution 2021-15 relating to record retention. Vice Chairman Leibensperger approved. Supervisor Motroni seconded. Debbie DelFranco polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion, motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENT- Charlie Barnes from NESJMA asked for 10% of the Covid Relief Monies that Townships are to receive sometime in June. He asked for the money to help with the projects that are going on at NESJMA (Northeastern Schuylkill Joint Municipal Authority). The board asked what their outstanding sewer debt is and said that we could gladly help with collecting debt owed.

5.SUPERVISORS COMMENT- Administrative Office will be closed on Monday, May 31, 2021 in observance of Memorial Day. Monday, May 31st garbage will be picked up on Tuesday, June 1st and Friday, June 4th garbage will be picked up on Saturday, June 5th.

Chairman Gilbert adjourned meeting at 7:30 PM

Attested/Transcribed by Deborah DelFranco, Secretary/Treasurer