

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 **January 2, 2024**, at 7:00 PM. In attendance were Chairman Shawn Gilbert; Vice Chairman Robert Leibensperger (by telephone); Supervisor George Gerhard; Kristin Woleslagle, Admin Asst; Christopher Riedlinger, Solicitor; Rick Weaver, Chief of Police. Absent was Bill McMullen, Engineer.

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 read by the Chief of Police, Rick Weaver for the month of December 2023. Vice-Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Gerhard seconded. Kristin Woleslagle polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion; motion carried.

Fire Company Report – A Motion was made by Chairman Gilbert to approve the Fire Company Report for the month of December 2023. Vice-Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Gerhard seconded. Kristin Woleslagle 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 December 21, 2023. Vice-Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Gerhard seconded. Kristin Woleslagle 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 December 2023. Vice-Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Gerhard seconded. Kristin Woleslagle polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion; motion carried.

Approval of the Township and sewer bills -- A motion was made by Chairman Gilbert to approve the current Township and sewer bills through January 1, 2024. Vice-Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Gerhard seconded. Kristin Woleslagle 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 December 2023. Vice-Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Gerhard seconded. Kristin Woleslagle polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion; motion carried.

Attorney's Business – None

Old Business – None

New Business –

- 1. Motion to adopt Resolution 2024-08 appointing an auditor to settle and adjust Rush Township accounts for Fiscal Year 2023.** Vice-Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Gerhard seconded. Kristin Woleslagle polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion; motion carried.
- 2. Motion to adopt Resolution 2024-09 to approve the updated job description for Part-Time Police Officer.** Vice-Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Gerhard seconded. Kristin Woleslagle polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion; motion carried.
- 3. Motion to accept resignation letter from Susan Bettis as Secretary/Treasurer.** Vice-Chairman Leibensperger approved; Supervisor Gerhard seconded. Kristin Woleslagle polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion; motion carried.

Public Comment – None

Supervisors Comment --

There will be no garbage pickup on Friday, January 5th. Garbage will be collected on Saturday, January 6th.

Christmas Tree pickup will occur on Tuesday, January 9th and Tuesday, January 23rd.

Vice-Chairman Leibensperger gave kudos to the Road Crew, Sewer Department, and the office for doing a good job.

Adjournment- Have a good night! The meeting is adjourned!