

Canton Township
Board of Supervisors Meeting
July 09, 2020

Call meeting to order at 6:32 PM by Chairman Tom Bodnovich.

Roll Call: Bodnovich-yes, Sheppard-yes, Main-yes, Solicitor-Makel-yes, Harshmans CE Group- Leasure-yes. Also, Code Enforcement Officer- Chris Hammett and Assistant Secretary/Treasurer- Christy Moore.

Engineers Report: See attached.

Parks and Recreation Report: No events.

Motion to approve the meeting minutes from the regular meeting on June 11, 2020.

Motion made by: Mr. Jack Sheppard

Second by: Mr. Tom Bodnovich

Vote: Sheppard-yes, Bodnovich-yes, Main-yes, Motion carried.

Motion to pay the bills found true and correct and payroll 13 and 14.

-Public Works: \$ 43,371.29

-General Funds: \$ 13,068.58

-State Fund: \$ 8,267.79

-Impact Fee: \$ 28,800.00 (Berthel Bridge)

-Payroll: \$ 48,871.69

-Municipal Shares: \$ 0.00

-General Escrow: \$9,050.00

-Fire Escrow: \$0.00

-Dye Escrow: \$0.00

-Donation: \$ 0.00

-Developers Escrow \$ 0.00

Total: \$ 151,429.34

Motion made by: Mr. Jack Sheppard

Second by: Mr. Tom Bodnovich

Vote: Sheppard-yes, Bodnovich-yes, Main-yes, but abstains from payroll, Motion carried.

Motion to approve the agreement with PMRS for the Pension Plan (this must be re-adopted every 6 years to adapt to the Union contract agreements).

Motion made by: Mr. Tom Bodnovich

Second by: Mr. Jack Sheppard

Vote: Sheppard-yes, Bodnovich-yes, Main-abstains, Motion carried.

Motion to approve to advertise Ordinance 6 of 2020 Electing to Amend its Non-Uniform Pension Plan.

Motion made by: Mr. Tom Bodnovich

Second by: Mr. Jack Sheppard

Vote: Sheppard-yes, Bodnovich-yes, Main-abstains, Motion carried.

Mr. Main had no discussions of items 6 and 7 (Abstain form filled out).

Motion to approve the quote of \$2,155.50 from Crystal Sound for the Base Radio for the new emergency management and the township building for roughly double the amount.

Motion made by: Mr. Jack Sheppard

Second by: Mr. Tom Bodnovich

Vote: Sheppard-yes, Bodnovich-yes, Main-yes, Motion carried.

Motion to approve Resolution 4 of 2020 concerning the intermunicipal agreement with Chartiers Township regarding maintenance on Grable Road and the approaches to Mullberry Bridge and Airport Bridge.

Motion made by: Mr. Tom Bodnovich

Second by: Mr. Butch Main

Vote: Sheppard-yes, Bodnovich-yes, Main-yes, Motion carried.

Motion to approve Resolution 5 of 2020 concerning the Intermunicipal Agreement with Chartiers regarding the maintenance and repairs to Mullberry Bridge and Airport Bridge.

Motion made by: Mr. Tom Bodnovich

Second by: Mr. Butch Main

Vote: Sheppard-yes, Bodnovich-yes, Main-yes, Motion carried.

Motion to reject the proposal from USW Local 7139 for the condemnation of the building located at 1515 Jefferson Avenue and to also approve a drop plan to the satisfaction of the township.

Motion made by: Mr. Jack Sheppard

Second by: Mr. Tom Bodnovich

Vote: Sheppard-yes, Bodnovich-yes, Main yes, Motion carried.

Motion to approve to advertise for a part-time Code Enforcement Officer.

Motion made by: Mr. Tom Bodnovich

Second by: Mr. Jack Sheppard

Vote: Sheppard-yes, Bodnovich-yes, Main-yes, Motion carried.

Motion to approve the renewal for Workers Compensation in the amount of 64,277.00 for the 08-01-20 through 08-01-21 period this is an increase of 8,310.00 from last year.

Motion made by: Mr. Jack Sheppard

Second by: Mr. Tom Bodnovich

Vote: Sheppard-yes, Bodnovich-yes, Main-yes, Motion carried.

Motion to approve to advertise Ordinance 7 of 2020 Establishing Law and Regulations regarding Discharging of Firearms in Residential Areas.

Motion made by: Mr. Jack Sheppard

Second by: Mr. Tom Bodnovich

Vote: Sheppard-yes, Bodnovich-yes, Main-yes, Motion carried.

Motion to approve Resolution 6 of 2020 Condemning a Fee simple interest for property situated in Canton for the construction of a recreation center.

Motion made by: Mr. Tom Bodnovich

Second by: Mr. Butch Main

Vote: Sheppard-yes, Bodnovich-yes, Main-yes, Motion carried.

Public Participation: None.

Solicitors Report: Some discussion on Kurowski, Al'Rubens, and 90 Hawkins cases.

New Business: Jack wants a walking trail (4 foot pass around perimeter of property at Wolfdale Park.

Also, putting benches down by soccer nets.

Old Business:

-Equity injunction on 112 and 118 Ellis. On back burner right now.

-Eminent domain of 1853 Virginia Via. On back burner right now.

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:15 PM.

Motion made by: Mr. Jack Sheppard

Second by: Mr. Tom Bodnovich

Vote: Sheppard-yes, Bodnovich-yes, Main-yes, Motion carried.

Minutes Respectfully submitted,



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Township Engineer's Report
July 9, 2020

Active Projects:

1. Berthel Bridge – Work complete and Contractor submitted final invoice. We have requested Maintenance bond from Contractor. Should have early next week.
2. Mulberry Bridge – Working on Bid Documents for project. Documents should be complete next week for review.
3. Airport Bridge – Working on Bid Documents for project. Documents should be complete next week for review.
4. McClay Bridge – Design in progress.
5. Jefferson Ave. Park – Sent response to Redevelopment Authority on Contractor's Change Order. We have not received any response to date.
6. Senkiac Subdivision – Completed review of subdivision plan with only minor comments.
7. 90 Hawkins – Completed a assessment condition of the structure and issued report .

Inactive Projects:

CC: File 14.043

