

SUPERVISOR'S MEETING
March 30, 2017

The Jackson Township Supervisors held their regular meeting at 6:00 p.m. at the Jackson Township Municipal Building. Members present were Supervisors Bruce Baker, John Wallet and Eric Dreikorn along with Secretary/Treasurer/Manager Dave Hirko and Solicitor Bill Barbin. The meeting was called to order by Bruce Baker, Chairman with the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

Board Roll Call was taken with all three Supervisors present.

Public Comments Concerning Agenda Items:

(None)

Minutes:

Motion Dreikorn, second Wallet to approve the minutes of the Board of Supervisors Meetings held on February 23, 2017 and March 9, 2017. Vote-3 yes.

Township Financial Report:

FUND	Balance 2/23/17	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance 3/30/17
GENERAL	\$ 30,600.05	\$ 110,074.13	\$ 115,546.66	\$ 25,127.52
CAPITAL RESERVE	\$ 863,207.65	\$ 329.67	\$ 19,212.90	\$ 844,324.42
HIGHWAY AID	\$ 180,921.84	\$ 217,117.52	\$ 6,751.99	\$ 391,287.37
SR. CENTER FUND	\$ 76,281.02	\$ 2,626.18	\$ 4,825.05	\$ 74,082.15

Expenditures:

Motion Wallet, second Dreikorn to approve the bills for the period of February 24, 2017 through March 30, 2017. Vote-3 yes.

General Fund	Highway Aid Fund	Senior Center Fund	Capital Reserve Fund
\$ 115,546.66	\$ 6,751.99	\$ 4,825.05	\$ 19,212.90

CAPITAL RESERVE FUND BILL LIST (2/23/17 thru 3/30/17)		
Vendor	Purchase Detail	Amount
Naugle Insurance	Downpayment of 2017 Insurance Policy	\$ 19,212.90
TOTAL		\$ 19,212.90

Township Police Report:

The February, 2017 Police Report statistics were as follows: **911 Calls dispatched to Police: 256, Reportable Part I Crimes: 0 Reportable Part II Crimes: 7 broken down as follows: DUI (Driving While Under the Influence)-4, Sex Offenses-3 Calls Resulting in Cases: 5, Total Arrestees: 3, Total Suspects: 0, Total Victims: 1, DUI Arrests: 2, Traffic Citations: 23, Non-Traffic Citations: 3, Total Warnings: 0**

Correspondence:

(None)

Old Business:

(None)

New Business:

Motion Dreikorn, second Wallet to approve Cable System Franchise Agreement between Comcast and Jackson Township. Vote-3 yes.

Motion Wallet, second Dreikorn to approve request by the Jackson Township Volunteer Fire Company to add David Grove and Ronald Flowers to the roster of the Jackson Township Fire Police. Vote-3 yes.

Motion Dreikorn, second Wallet to approve license for temporary use of the property of Donald Leckey on Saturday, July 15, 2017 for the purpose of holding a fireworks display during the Jackson Heritage Festival. Vote-3 yes.

Motion Wallet, second Dreikorn to authorize the submission of the PennDOT application for 2017 County Aid for road projects. Vote-3 yes.

Motion Dreikorn, second Wallet on approving the time sheets from February 12, 2017 through February 25, 2017 and February 26, 2017 through March 11, 2017 and March 12, 2017 through March 25, 2017. Vote-3 yes.

Other New Business:

(None)

Public Comments:

Ed Westrick said, I would personally like to thank you guys for the job that's being done on the pond down there. I think you're doing a great job and it's coming along pretty good and we also need to thank Jackson and East Taylor Fire Companies for the job they did on Sunday in putting in the cribs for the fish habitats. **Vice Chairman Wallet** said, we would like to thank you Ed for all you did down there too. **Westrick** said, it's been a long time coming. **Supervisor Dreikorn** said, you think about long it's taken and then boom. . it's happening real fast which is nice. **Wallet** said, I think the concept for the pond first started in 2013. **Westrick** said, even before that we made an agreement at the Club to participate in it. **Wallet** said, well. . we're almost there. Karl Smith took the water pH and I talked to the guy at the Fish Hatchery and he said the pH is perfect, so we ordered two sets of starter fish for the initial stocking of bait fish and everything else. **Chairman Baker** said, our initial plan was to take the cribs and drag them out onto the ice and when the ice melted, they would sink to the bottom where we wanted them, but the pond never froze over this winter. In a normal year that would have worked fine but then the Fire Company had the idea of floating them out and then sinking them. That's what we did on Sunday. They attached a crib to a barrel and then floated them into position, cut the rope and the crib sunk. The JET (Jackson - East Taylor) Diving Team helped to do this along with members of both Jackson and East Taylor Fire Companies. As a thank you, we got them some pizza and wings and they enjoyed the day as much as we appreciated their help. Chief Barry Emerson said this was good experience for the young firemen.

Announcements:

Chairman Bruce Baker announced, The Board of Supervisors next meetings will be held on Thursday, April 13, 2017 at 7:30 am and April 27, 2017 at 6:00 pm at the Jackson Township Municipal Building. The Jackson Township Supervisors in cooperation with Vinco Brethren Church will hold their 11th Annual Easter Egg Hunt at Mitchell Park on Saturday, April 8, 2017 at 12:00 noon.

Adjournment:

Motion Wallet, second Dreikorn to adjourn the meeting at 6:10. Vote-3 yes.

Respectfully submitted,



David M. Hirko, Secretary