

**SUPERVISOR'S MEETING
July 30, 2015**

The Jackson Township Supervisors held their regular meeting at 7:00 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.

Presentation by the Central Cambria Foundation towards the Special Deliveries Project

Chairman Bruce Baker said, Every year we have the 5K which Tracey Heeney does a fantastic job. Half of the money goes to the Central Cambria Education Foundation and half the money comes to the Supervisors which we put in an education fund and we disperse how we feel it can best be used to meet a need. This year we were asked if we would make our contribution as well as the Education Foundation's contribution to a program they're starting that involves backpacks for kids or "Special Deliveries Project". **Kelly Lashinsky** explained that the program involves providing students in need with meals for the weekend so that they're not as hungry when they come to school on Monday morning. We've been noticing that some students are not eating properly over the weekend so with the backpack, they will receive 2 breakfasts, 2 lunches, 2 dinners, 2 snacks and 2 drinks for the weekend. **Mr. Santini**, Principal at the Central Cambria Middle School said I just want to thank you folks for contributing the money as part of our goal. Kelly and the five other ladies who are heading this project have been hard at work and we've really had a great response and we appreciate Jackson Township getting involved. In my position I see a lot of things and receive a lot of information I'd rather not know about the backgrounds and situations some of the kids are in. There is certainly a need and we hope to help a lot of them in a small way and for some, maybe a big way. **Baker** said, we also have **Danielle Anderson**, Director of the Central Cambria Education Foundation and **Mr. Eckenrode** with the Foundation as well. This year Tracey said the total is \$2,000 so hopefully, that goes a long way.

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 June 25, 2015 and July 9, 2015. Vote-3 yes.

Township Financial Report:

FUND	Balance 6/25/15	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance 7/30/15
GENERAL	\$ 65,263.74	\$ 56,370.28	\$ 84,917.99	\$ 36,716.03
CAPITAL RESERVE	\$ 1,091,310.94	\$ 11,552.79	\$ 10,860.48	\$ 1,092,003.25
HIGHWAY AID	\$ 229,650.61	\$ 37.78	\$ 897.81	\$ 228,790.58
SR. CENTER FUND	\$ 18,303.13	\$ 2,617.11	\$ 2,367.62	\$ 18,552.62

Expenditures:

Motion Wallet, second Dreikorn to approve the bills for the period of June 26, 2015 through July 30, 2015. Vote-3 yes.

General Fund	Highway Aid Fund	Senior Center Fund
\$ 84,917.99	\$ 897.81	\$ 2,367.62

Township Police Report:

The June 2015 Police Report statistics were as follows: **911 Calls dispatched to Police: 169, Reportable Part I Crimes: 3 broken down as follows:** Larceny-2 and Burglary-1 **Reportable Part II Crimes: 6 broken down as follows:** Disorderly Conduct-2, DUI (Driving While Under the Influence)-1, Stolen Property-1, Drunkenness-1 and All Others-1. **Calls Resulting in Cases: 4, Total Arrestees: 6, Total Suspects: 0, Total Victims: 3, DUI Arrests: 1, Traffic Citations: 4, Non-Traffic Citations: 0, Total Warnings: 0**

Correspondence:

(None)

Old Business:

(None)

New Business:

Motion Dreikorn, second Wallet to approve Rosebud Mining Company Road Bond for a six month period to continue using 1.32 miles of Pike Road East. Vote-3 yes.

Motion Wallet, second Dreikorn to approve Resolution 03-15 approving the application for a PennDOT Highway Occupancy Permit from Greg Kupchella on SR-271 or William Penn Avenue. Vote-3 yes.

Motion Dreikorn, second Wallet to approve 5 year agreement with PennDOT to perform winter maintenance on 6.24 lane miles of Benshoff Hill Road from the Middle Taylor Township line to PA Route 271. Vote-3 yes.

Motion Wallet, second Dreikorn on approving the time sheets from June 21, 2015 through July 4, 2015 and July 5, 2015 through July 18, 2015. Vote-3 yes.

Motion Dreikorn, second Wallet to approve Capital Reserve Fund bill list for the period of June 26, 2015 through July 30, 2015 and transfer \$ 10,860.48 from the Capital Reserve Fund to the General Fund. Vote-3 yes.

CAPITAL RESERVE FUND BILL LIST (6/26/15 - 7/30/15)		
Vendor	Purchase Detail	Amount
Naugle Insurance Agency	July & August Premiums	\$ 10,860.48
TOTAL		\$ 10,860.48

Other New Business:

(None)

Public Comments:

Denny Palko said, I'm a resident of Nanty Glo and the President of the newly formed, South Branch Fishing Club. The creek comes through Nanty Glo - the South Branch of Blacklick, formerly known as sulphur creek. The last number of years, we have been working at bringing that creek back to life. Through the Cambria County Conservation District, we've acquired a grant to help the Flood Control Project and in doing so are actually putting fish back in the creek. The Pennsylvania Fish Commission has drawn up the plans and the Cambria County Conservation District has applied for the grant with us last year. We got it and we're hoping that next year, this project will be completed. We approached one of the Jackson Township Community Rod & Gun Club members about the new pond being built on Loraine Road, just a stone's throw from the Nanty Glo line and seeing if they would be interested in us providing some stock fish for the pond. He advised that I talk with the Supervisors for consideration. This year we put about 500 fish in the creek and reservoir. We know that with the new pond, we're going to have Nanty Glo kids fishing there just as Jackson Township kids fish in the creek. **Chairman Baker** said, our pond would be stocked through our Jackson Township club with Ed Westrick and I'm all for it if you kind of work together. They came up with the idea of the pond and they have pretty much agreed, they will run the show. They're gonna cut the grass and take care of the pond. **Palko** said, we were just looking that it will benefit all of the kids in the area. **Supervisor Wallet** added, I think it's a great idea. You guys are doing a wonderful thing.

Announcements:

Chairman Bruce Baker announced, The Board of Supervisors next meetings will be held on Thursday, August 13, 2015 at 8:00 am and Thursday, August 27, 2015 at 7:00 pm at the Jackson Township Municipal Building.

Adjournment:

Motion Wallet, second Dreikorn to adjourn the meeting at 7:24. Vote-3 yes.

Respectfully submitted,



David M. Hirko, Secretary