

**SUPERVISOR'S MEETING
August 29, 2013**

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 Mark Westrick 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 Wallet, second Westrick to approve the minutes of the Board of Supervisors Meetings held on July 25, 2013 and August 8, 2013. Vote-3 yes.

Township Financial Report:

FUND	Balance 7/25/13	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance 8/29/13
GENERAL	\$ 44,053.27	\$ 81,102.36	\$ 83,052.63	\$ 42,103.00
CAPITAL RESERVE	\$ 1,019,060.98	\$ 15,108.79	\$ 2,792.50	\$ 1,031,377.27
HIGHWAY AID	\$ 228,725.22	\$ 49.71	\$ 7,689.22	\$ 221,085.71
SR. CENTER FUND	\$ 26,645.39	\$ 2,618.61	\$ 5,666.87	\$ 23,597.13

Expenditures:

Motion Westrick, second Wallet to approve the bills for the period of July 26, 2013 through August 29, 2013. Vote-3 yes.

General Fund	Highway Aid Fund	Senior Center Fund
\$ 83,052.63	\$ 7,689.22	\$ 5,666.87

Township Police Report:

The July, 2013 Police Report statistics were as follows: **911 Calls dispatched to Police: 283 Reportable Part I Crimes: 6 broken down as follows:** Burglary-2, Larceny-2, Assault-1 and Motor Vehicle Theft-1. **Reportable Part II Crimes: 29 broken down as follows:** Disorderly Conduct-8, Stolen Property-4, Vandalism-3, Drugs-2, DUI (Driving While Under the Influence)-2, Forgery-2, Fraud-2, Family Offenses-1, Public Drunkenness-1 and all others-4. **Calls Resulting in Cases: 12, Total Arrestees: 16, Total Suspects: 0, Total Victims: 7, DUI Arrests: 1, Traffic Citations: 89, Non-Traffic Citations: 9, Total Warnings: 0**

Correspondence:

(None)

Old Business:

(None)

New Business:

Motion Wallet, second Westrick to approve the Subdivision and Merger Plan for Gloria & Jeffrey Garver. Vote-3 yes.

Motion Westrick, second Wallet on approving the time sheets from July 21, 2013 through August 3, 2013 and August 4, 2013 through August 17, 2013. Vote-3 yes.

Motion Wallet, second Westrick to approve Capital Reserve Fund bill list for the period of July 26, 2013 through August 29, 2013 and transfer \$ 2,792.50 from the Capital Reserve Fund to the General Fund. Vote-3 yes.

CAPITAL RESERVE FUND BILL LIST (7/26/13 - 8/29/13)		
Vendor	Purchase Detail	Amount
D. W. LaSota Engineering Inc.	Loraine Fishing Pond Project	\$ 2,792.50
TOTAL		\$ 2,792.50

Other New Business:

(None)

Public Comments:

Bob Albright said, we got a problem down there at the end of Old Nanty Glo Road. All the traffic coming down that road turns in my driveway on the culvert side. It's coming winter now and I planted grass on the other side, they come in my driveway and smash the snow down there. You're gonna have to come up with some kind of solution. **Chairman Baker** asked, are you talking about the pipe on the right side? **Albright** responded, yes. I've replaced it 3 times since I've been there and all the traffic coming down that road turns in my driveway. **Baker** said, ok, we'll look into it.

Clair Michaels said, at least you did a pretty good job mowing on our road. **Chairman Baker** said, we did a lot this year. **Michaels** said, it may need mowed again. . .we got a lot of rain.

Ed Westrick asked, is there any update on the fishing pond? **Chairman Baker** replied, we're trying Ed. **Supervisor Wallet** said, we're creeping closer to getting the permits submitted. **Westrick** said, it would be nice to get it built this year.

Bob Albright said, there's one other problem down there. . .that Abrams property and different properties here in the Township with grown up weeds. That Abrams property hasn't been touched for two or three years now. I thought we had an Ordinance on weeds growing in the Township.

Chairman Baker asked, who holds the title or deed to the property? **Albright** said, I have no idea. Somebody ought to be payin the taxes on it. **Baker** asked, are you filing a formal complaint about the weeds there? **Albright** said, whatever it takes. **Baker** said, we'll see who owns it and send them a letter. **Manager Hirko** said, I think it may be in the hands of a mortgage company but some of the out-of-state companies are very difficult to contact. **Albright** said, same thing with the tobacco shop with weeds. **Supervisor Westrick** said, I was told those people are in Virginia and they're very difficult to reach. **Albright** said, you have these ordinances, you should enforce them. **Clair Michaels** said, if people minded their own business, we'd be further ahead and keep your nose out of somebody's business, you're better off. **Baker** said, we'll look into the Abrams property.

Announcements:

Chairman Bruce Baker announced, The Board of Supervisors next meetings will be held on Thursday, September 12, 2013 at 8:00 am and Thursday, September 26, 2013 at 7:00 pm at the Jackson Township Municipal Building.

Adjournment:

Motion Westrick, second Wallet to adjourn the meeting at 7:12. Vote-3 yes.

Respectfully submitted,



David M. Hirko, Secretary