

June 3, 2013

The Walker Township Supervisors met on Monday, June 3, 2013 at the Walker Township Municipal Building for their monthly meeting. Martin Dreibelbis called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Supervisors Casner and Wagner were present. The minutes of the May 6, 2013 meeting were approved as presented.

VISITORS: David N Hommrich from Sunrise Energy was present to ask about the requirements for a solar power facility. His company is looking for about 15 acres in the rural-agriculture district to place such a facility. The Township does not have any regulations at this point in time to permit or deny such a facility. He would have to go through the Zoning Hearing Board under the "uses not provided for" provision. It was suggested to talk to the neighbors before applying for the hearing.

OLD BUSINESS: Mr. Dreibelbis contacted Mark Heisey (Penn Dot) concerning the Agility Program. The Supervisors requested Penn Dot paint the yellow lines on township roads and, in exchange, the Supervisors will mow the berms of the state roads. The request was denied.

REPORTS:

Zoning: By motion of Mr. Casner, seconded by Mr. Wagner and carried it was resolved to approve the following permits as presented by Shirley Saner: Benjamin Petersheim (land use), Nathan Nace (land use) and Lucy Montroso (land use).

Secretary: Attended Township, Executive and Recreation Board meetings, wrote meeting minutes, updated Township calendar, filed payroll taxes, park availability and sent out paperwork for same, Workers comp audit, fire extinguisher inspection, and researched sewage permits for Nace property.

Roads: The Supervisors met with Wilson Brothers Consulting to review the final bridge plans. By motion of Mr. Dreibelbis, seconded by Mr. Casner and carried it was resolved to retain Wilson Brother's Consulting for consultation during construction at a cost of \$8,700.

Ordinances: None presented.

Finances: None presented.

Park: None presented.

NEW BUSINESS: By motion of Mr. Dreibelbis, seconded by Mr. Casner and carried it was resolve to re-affirm the Township's support in urging Pennsylvania's General Assembly to enact commonsense reforms to the Prevailing Wage Act to reduce the burden on our taxpayers.

By motion of Mr. Wagner, seconded by Mr. Casner and carried it was resolved to not allow Capital Tax Collections to refund earned income paid by non-residents who work in the Township but pay taxes in another state.

SUBDIVISIONS: By motion of Mr. Wagner, seconded by Mr. Casner and carried it was resolved to approve the Darlene Davis Subdivision. By motion of Mr. Dreibelbis, seconded by Mr. Wagner and carried it was resolved to approve the Arthur and Dina Zug planning module.

BILLS: By motion of Mr. Wagner, seconded by Mr. Casner and carried it was resolved to approve the attached monthly bills paid with checks 11322 through 11357 and #619 from Mexico Street Light fund. Also, approved was \$2,467.74 EFT for payroll taxes.

By motion of Mr. Wagner, seconded by Mr. Dreibelbis and carried it was resolved to adjourn at 8:20 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Nancy Baillie, Secretary