

August 6, 2018

The Walker Township Supervisors met on Monday, August 6, 2018 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 July 2, 2018 meeting were approved as presented.

VISITORS: Michael Robinson and Donald Zagurskie from Mifflintown Municipal Authority. MMA is looking to extend their water into Mexico. They went to SEDA-COG looking for financing. Money may be available through a grant which is based on income of the residents. There must, also, be an ordinance stating the residents must connect to the water line. The Supervisors would like 3 separate surveys done by the water company. The three surveys would be for the new line from NAPA to Rutter's, from the proposed line (Rutter's to Foster St) and for downtown Mexico. The surveys should include whether the resident has a bad well and whether they wanted public water.

OLD BUSINESS: The land use permit appeal hearing was held on July 12, 2018. The decision was to allow a corrected application to be filed and approved. The ordinance to impose a \$5.00 registration fee on "non-exempt" vehicles at the county level was not pursued by the Commissioners after reviewing the Municipal survey .

ZONING: By motion of Mr. Casner, seconded by Mr. Wagner and carried it was resolved to approve the following permits as presented by Mr. David Yohn: Dave Deamer (new application – Land Use), Velocitel LLC (Land use), Donald Schlegel (land use), Russel Beitz aka PA Premier Rental, LLC (land use), Daniel Renno (land use) and Nathan Schlegel – C&C Construction (land use).

SECRETARY: Township meeting, Completed minutes – Township, park calendar, Filed quarterly payroll tax reports, set up new email address/contacts, email to S Mosebey – ordinances, Courthouse for Bowsman Property research, NAPA credit application, RTK request – bid results, sent out bid results to bidders.

ROADS: Due to the heavy rains on August 1, 2018, storm damage was reported on the following roads: Jonestown, Maben, Wagner, Moore, Kauffman Hill, Mexico Heights and Texas Hollow Roads.

ORDINANCES: The Supervisors considered 3 new ordinances. A public meeting was held at the Municipal Building tonight with no visitors present to discuss the ordinances. By motion of Mr. Casner, seconded by Mr. Wagner and carried it was resolved to approve Ordinance 2018-2 – Emergency Service Cost Reimbursement ordinance. This will allow our ambulance companies, fire companies and EMS to bill the insurance company for their services.

By motion of Mr. Casner, seconded by Mr. Wagner and carried it was resolved to approve Ordinance 2018-3 – Holding Tank Ordinance. This sets up the procedure for the use and maintenance of new and existing holding tanks.

By motion of Mr. Casner, seconded by Mr. Wagner and carried it was resolved to approve Ordinance 2018-4 – Privy Ordinance. This sets up the procedure for the use and maintenance of new and existing privys.

FINANCES: None reported.

PARK: Key Box was installed, 4x4 in pavilions, repaired the trail and fertilized the fields.

NEW BUSINESS: Mifflintown Hose Co., #1 requested \$13,000 from their equipment fund balance to repair their truck. Tami Casey from the County Planning Committee contacted Mr. Dreibelbis concerning a permit issued to Steve Reinford. This permit was issued in March 2018. The Supervisors received notice Mr. Dave Deamer's E&S plan was approved. Mr. Dreibelbis was contacted by the Cohen Law Group concerning a check the Township has been holding until Nittany Media signed the agreement with the Township. The check will be reissued.

SUBDIVISIONS: By motion of Mr. Dreibelbis, seconded by Mr. Wagner and carried it was resolved to re-approve the Darryl Naylor Subdivision which had NO changes and because of the stale filing date.

BILLS: By motion of Mr. Dreibelbis, seconded by Mr. Wagner and carried it was resolved to approve the monthly bills paid with checks 13347 through 13381 and #681 from Mexico Street Light fund. An EFT was approved in the amount of \$1,915.47 for payroll taxes.

By motion of Mr. Wagner, seconded by Mr. Casner and carried it was resolved to adjourn at 8:55 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Nancy Baillie, Secretary