

# **Mahoning Township**

## **Board of Township Supervisors**

***Mahoning Township...First Township in Lawrence County...Organized in 1805***

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### **MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING ON AUGUST 13, 2024**

The Mahoning Township Supervisors held their regularly scheduled meeting on Tuesday, August 13, 2024 at approximately 6:02 p.m. in the meeting room of the Mahoning Township building located at 4538 West State Street, Edinburg, PA 16116.

**ROLL CALL** was taken by Jean Greco, Secretary/Treasurer. Members present were: Mark Sackin, Gary Pezzuolo, and Vito Yeropoli. Also present were Engineer Gregg DelPrincipe, and Solicitor Louis Perrotta.

Chairman Pezzuolo asked for any guest speakers. Resident Susan Buchanan expressed concerns with solar companies soliciting area farming residents. Her concern was knowing the township could use additional funds that supervisors could be forced to approve solar panels on farm land. Solicitor Perrotta reassured her that the Solar Ordinance is in place and best protects what residents have expressed for years during meetings. Solar farms can only be installed on Industrial Zoned parcels. It was stated no solar applications have been received at this point.

Virginia Phillips who regularly attends meetings noted to the supervisors her strong desire to not have solar farms come in. She noted to raise taxes and bring in more monies and that the supervisors' actions to date have been correct.

Resident Jill Bissett also agrees with Mrs. Phillips. She also wanted to thank the road crew for taking care of the ditches and trees she had shared concerns about at last month's meeting. Pezzuolo noted to her that paving is next for her area.

Resident Annie Phillips expressed gratitude to the police officers and Sackin in dealing with two large stray dogs that were on her property on Jacobson Road. She also asked that the minutes be updated on the township's webpage. Greco stated this was in the process of being done; however, the 3<sup>rd</sup> party consultant was out of town.

Pezzuolo once again asked for any speaker. There were none.

Sackin made a motion to **ADOPT THE MINUTES** of the July 9, 2024 which was made by seconded by Pezzuolo with a vote of all in favor. Yeropoli made a motion to **PAY THE BILLS** as prepared by Greco since the last month's meeting which was seconded by Pezzuolo with a vote of all in favor. Sackin made a motion to **PAY THE PAYROLLS** as prepared by Greco since the last month's meeting which was seconded by Yeropoli with a vote of all in favor.

Greco gave the report for Township **ZONING** which there was for 1 shed and 1 new single family home. Greco also gave the report for **PLANNING** in which a meeting is needed for to approve **SUBDIVISION FOR SKY KING/LINDY PAVING**. The county comments were received and given to the supervisors. Pezzuolo made a motion to follow the County's comments and approve the

subdivision which was seconded by Sackin. Yeropoli who has a conflict of interest in this abstained from voting. The vote was all in favor pending the Township's Planning Committee's review. No report was given for the **FIRE DEPARTMENT**. No report was given for the **POLICE DEPARTMENT**.

Pezzuolo asked Greco for any **ANNOUNCEMENTS and CORRESPONDENCES** in which Greco had none.

Pezzuolo asked for any **UNFINISHED BUSINESS** in which there was none. Pezzuolo noted under **NEW BUSINESS** which there was none. Pezzuolo noted that the paving on Mohawk School Road was completed. Paving on Evergreen Road would be done next.

Pezzuolo opened the meeting back to the residents for discussion. There was none.

Pezzuolo noted the **NEXT REGULAR MEETING** will be 6:00 p.m. – September 10, 2024 at 6:00 p.m.

At 6:16 p.m., Pezzuolo made a motion to **ADJOURN** which was seconded by Yeropoli with a vote of all in favor.

*Jean M. Greco*  
*Township Secretary*