

▪ **MINUTES**
 ▪ **Pittston Township**
 ▪ **Monthly Meeting of Board of Supervisors**
 ▪ **July 18, 2016**
 ▪ **Pittston Township Municipal Building**

Call Meeting To Order 7:00 PM

- Pledge of Allegiance
- Roll Call Frank Sciabacucchi __P__ Barbara Attardo _P__ Steve Rinaldi __P__

Minutes: minutes of the June 20, 2016 were distributed to Supervisors for their review, comments and/or corrections.

- **Motion:** To ACCEPT minutes of June 20, 2016 as presented to the Supervisors for their review, comments and/or corrections.

- Sciabacucchi _S__ Attardo __M__ Rinaldi _____
- Roll Call: Sciabacucchi __Y__ Attardo _Y__ Rinaldi __Y__

Public Comment Speakers are reminded of the 10 minute time allotment

James Grudzinski - discussion of letter sent regarding making parts of Frothingham a one way. He is formally objecting to the attempt. Supervisor Rinaldi stated that we have been receiving information from residents affected by not all eleven residents. Mr. Grudzinski stated that a no parking sign might work instead of a one way street and that even with a one way trucks, which seem to be the problem, will still be able to be on the street. He also suggested a no truck allowed sign. Supervisor Rinaldi stated that a decision will be made by the next scheduled monthly meeting.

Megan Galonis - questioned the Right to Know procedure in the Twp. She feels she has been singled out because her request was denied. Mr. Bonita outlined the procedure with her.....that any legal implications of a RTK request is forwarded to Atty Finnerty; any zoning implications are forwarded to Mr. Best. She questioned the letter on denial she received and Mr. Bonita stated he simply took the letter Atty Finnerty wrote and put it on letterhead and was signed by the RTk officer. She once again stated she was singled out. Mr. Bonita once again reiterated the procedure and she stated that there was some lying going on. Atty Finnerty deferred until he read his file. Atty Finnerty advised Ms. Galonis that there is a RTK statute which specifically governs what documents are covered and what are exempt. The decision of the Twp. was overruled by the Ethics Committee in part and records were released to her.

Supervisors Comments -

Business Office has filed the Twp.'s 2015 904 Recycling Grant in the amount of \$ 49,822 which will be automatically reduced by the state by 40% or an estimated \$33,405. This is the result of both commercial and residential recycling efforts.

2010	\$26,315	
2011	26,234	
2012	22,973	
2013	31,117	Received in 2016
2014	30,231	Estimated Money still owed the Twp.
2015	33,405	Submitted 7-13-16

The Township still has not received their 2014 Recycling Grant from the Commonwealth.

Frank Sciabacucchi, Roadmaster has requested from PDOT the installation of a multi-way stop at two (2) intersections on Oak St. and Railroad St. PDOT will conduct an engineering and traffic study and will notify the Twp. in writing of their findings and recommendations.

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Atty Finnerty discussed the status of the Springbook project. He stated that there is a grant outstanding on the project and several attempts have been made by the Supervisors to get this project moving. The latest attempt was in 2013 when there was a meeting called for approximately 28 affected property owners. All residents affected were forwarded easements which were necessary for this project. They were told at that time that ALL property owners would have to agree and sign the easements before the project could go forward. To date the Twp. has 9 easements; several present felt they should be paid for the easements. The Twp. will once again try to contact via US mail and send prepared easements to all residents with notification that ALL residents must sign if the project will go forward.

Correspondence Received
New Business

- **New Business**
- **Motion:** To ratify June-July pre-paid bills in the amount \$ 58673.35 with S. Rinaldi abstaining on check 17832 and bills payable in the amount of \$17559.17 Payroll and related expenses for payroll period ending

6-29-16	30988.63
7-13-16	36924.22

Harford EFT	617.49
Principal EFT	395.95
Hassler EFT	125.00
AFLAC	95.38

Advanced Code.....	\$ 11699.71
MultiScape	796.99
MultiScape	1292.45

- Sciabacucchi__M__ Attardo ____ Rinaldi __S__
- Roll Call: Sciabacucchi__Y__ Attardo __Y__ Rinaldi __Y__

Police

POLICE REPORT was read to the public.

To ACCEPT police report as submitted.

- Sciabacucchi_S____ Attardo ____ Rinaldi __M__
- Roll Call: Sciabacucchi__Y__ Attardo __Y__ Rinaldi __Y__

Fire Dept.
none

Zoning & Planning Report

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none

Adjournment: Motion to Adjourn

Sciabacucchi ___S___ Attardo _____ Rinaldi _M___
 Roll Call: Sciabacucchi ___Y___ Attardo __Y___ Rinaldi _Y___