

- MINUTES
- Pittston Township
- Board of Supervisors Meeting
- October 17, 2022
- Pittston Township Municipal Building

`Call Meeting To Order 7:00 PM

- Pledge of Allegiance
- Roll Call Slezak \_\_P\_\_ Hawk \_\_P\_\_ Rinaldi \_P\_\_\_\_\_

**Minutes:** Minutes of the Supervisors regularly scheduled September 26, 2022 was presented to Supervisors for their review comments and/or corrections.

#### QUESTIONS/CONCERNS

- **Motion:** To ACCEPT minutes of September 26, 2022
  - Slezak \_\_ \_\_ Hawk \_\_M\_\_ Rinaldi \_S\_\_\_\_\_
  - Roll Call: Slezak \_\_Y\_ Hawk \_Y\_\_ Rinaldi \_ Y\_\_\_\_\_

#### Supervisors Comments and correspondence

#### Announcements

**Annual Bag Distribution** - Sept. 30 is the deadline for reimbursements to residents. To date, \$ 140,670

Sewer Reimbursements	\$100,320
Ptn. Twp. Sewer Authority	9,090
Septic	1,440
Ambulance	29,820

#### Financial

2023 Budget preparations are underway. Departments have been asked to provide their request for 2023 budget items. First reading of 2023 Tentative Budget will be read at the November, 2022 regularly scheduled meeting of the Supervisors.

Sept prepaid bills in the amount of \$ 116,297.98. LSA Grant \$ 54,050, Police Pension 98,428.58, Volunteer Fire Relief 28,708.31 and unpaid bills in the amount of \$ 83293.20 and payroll

9-28-2022	66,536
10-12-2022	68,787

Pet Supply	36
AFLAC	66.86

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EZPass	105
Amazon	131.39
PSATS	319
AXON	375
PLIC	
Insurance	793.23
Hartford	
Ins.	1,210.68
AmTrust	4543
Pr Transfer	66,252.94

BHW	13940.17
Charles Helena (return of escrow)	1000.00
BHW	10053.64

#### QUESTIONS/CONCERNS

- Motion to approve payment of bills and unpaid bills.

Slezak___	Hawk _S___	Rinaldi __M_
Slezak _Y__	Hawk _Y__	Rinaldi _Y___

**Emergency Management Report** - commented on the Halloween parties which will be available during the Halloween season by the Recreation Board, Police Department and Fire Dept.

#### Fire Department

Incident Report -

#### QUESTIONS/CONCERNS

- Motion to approve incident report

Slezak___S__	Hawk ___M__	Rinaldi ___
Slezak _Y__	Hawk _Y_	Rinaldi __Y___

CBA Contract - another meeting will be scheduled to continue negotiations.

**Recreation - Parks** - still waiting for material and installation.

#### Police

**POLICE REPORT** - submitted by Chief Angelella -

- Motion ACCEPT                      police report as submitted

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 Slezak \_Y\_\_ Hawk \_Y\_\_ Rinaldi \_\_Y\_\_

Officer McIntyre is requesting approval to attend Tactical Emergency Casualty Care training class, Wed. Nov. 2 and Nov 3 in Lehighon, PA Cost of class is \$225.00

- Motion ALLOW officer McIntyre to attend Tactical Emergency Casualty Care Training School Nov. 2 and Nov. 3, 2022

Slezak\_\_\_\_ Hawk \_\_S\_\_ Rinaldi \_M\_\_  
 Slezak \_Y\_\_ Hawk \_Y\_\_ Rinaldi \_\_Y\_\_

Full Time Police Officers

- Motion TABLED any discussion on this matter. Will be continued at a personnel meeting to be convened.

Slezak\_\_\_\_ Hawk \_\_S\_\_ Rinaldi \_M\_\_  
 Slezak \_Y\_\_ Hawk \_Y\_\_ Rinaldi \_\_Y\_\_

**Ambulance Association -**

**Monthly Report** - read into the minutes by Mr. Bonita

#### QUESTIONS/CONCERNS

Supervisor Hawk commented on the activity of the ambulance association. Coverage to WB City, Dickson City. Questioned as to reimbursements to the Ambulance. Supervisor Rinaldi questioned as to whether reimbursement should come to the Twp. but Mr. Bonita informed him that the Ambulance Association is a separate entity; the Twp. has no employees from the Association on its payroll.

- Motion ACCEPT Monthly Report

Slezak\_\_M\_\_ Hawk \_\_S\_\_ Rinaldi \_\_\_\_  
 Slezak \_Y\_\_ Hawk \_\_Y\_\_ Rinaldi Y

**Road Department**

Notice was posted on website reminding residents about placement of basketball stands on Twp. roadways is not prohibited.

Yard waste - October 18 will be the last for Lower Browntown Area, etc.

October 25 Glendale, Butler Heights, Suscon, etc..

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Supervisor Slezak wanted to add that there would be another leaf pickup but at a later date.

### **Planning/Zoning/Code Enforcement**

No report was read in that T. Best was not at the meeting

Planning Commission vacancy - applications being accepted

Conditional Approvals - Planning Commission will no longer be granted for DEP, NPDES and O&M Agreements. All documents will be submitted to Engineer and T. Best before Supervisors are notified to approve.

**Engineering Report** - read into the minutes by Mr. Bonita

### **MS-4**

**CNA Engineering** - prepared, updated and submitted the Twp. portion of the MS4 report to LLVSA for their use and submission to DEP

### **Public Comment**

**Joe Lokuta** - Asked for permission to record his conversation and Solicitor stated that it was OK. He questioned (a) a specific incident regarding an accident and statements made to him by an individual involved in the accident. Chief stated that his facts were not correct and that she would be happy to discuss the situation at the Station. (b) the towing policy of the Twp. and wanted to know why he was not getting towing. He has not been on the towing list since 2019. Chief Angelella stated he is still on the towing list and she would not discuss this any further at a public meeting and invited Mr. Lokuta to the police station to discuss. He asked if he could record his discussion at the Station but Chief stated that it was not allowed in the police building. There are signs posted that no recording or video is allowed. He stated "then it is a waste of time" and left the podium.

**Adjournment:** Motion to Adjourn

• Slezak\_\_\_ \_\_ Hawk \_S\_\_ Rinaldi \_M\_\_  
Roll Call: Slezak\_Y\_\_\_ Hawk \_\_\_Y\_\_ Rinaldi \_\_\_Y\_