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Minutes of May 5, 2015 Regular Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 6 PM by Chairman J. Challingsworth.

The April meeting minutes reviewed. J. Kline made motion to approve, seconded by E. Bogert. Motion carried.

The financials were reviewed. E. Bogert made motion to approve, seconded by J. Kline. Motion carried. Bills to pay were reviewed. J. Kline made motion to approve, seconded by E. Bogert. Motion carried.

Reports:

Road Foreman:

- Work on roads – haul stone; berm; hot patch on Mountain Road; patch pot holes.
- COG oil bid to Hammaker – CRS2 \$1.83 and E1 Prime \$1.42. Prices lower than last year. Materials contracted. No increase for duration of contract.
- Townships will begin tar and chipping the week of June 22, weather permitting. This is a cooperative effort with several Townships and 8 to 8 ½ miles will be chipped in Fishing Creek Township including Rohrsburg Cemetery; Mountain; Three Springs; Posey Hill; Strawberry Lane; Kinney Hill
- Order conveyor chain for truck #553. J. Kline made motion to purchase, seconded by E. Bogert. Motion carried.
- Chemung has sale on new “STOP” signs at \$29.50 each. New plastic faces cost \$44.00. E. Bogert made motion to purchase, seconded by J. Kline. Motion carried. Ten new signs will be ordered.

SEO:

Three permits applied for:

- Kathleen Mertz – East of Winding Rd
- Adam Good – Asbury Rd
- Nathan Merrill – Shultz Rd

Pre-Construction Permits:

- B150407 – Adam Good – 246 Asbury Rd – New Home
- B150408 – Matthew Harter – 10A Mountain Rd – Demolition
- B150409 – Tom McHenry – 264 Hill Road – Pool
- B150410 – Andre` Zajac – 694 Winding Road – Pool

A waiver of Permit Fees for Fishing Creek Sportsmen's Association was requested. DEP will be sending waiver as work will involve back wall and not disturb stream. E. Bogert made motion to waive, seconded by J. Kline. J. Challingsworth abstained.

Old Business:

-J. Challingsworth checked with State regarding placement of signs indicating Amish Buggies in the area. State will purchase and erect signs on State roads. Signs on Township roads will cost approximately \$100 plus installation, and will be responsibility of the Township. For signs requested by individual families (i.e. WATCH CHILDREN), resident buys sign and Township will erect.

-PEMA will issue a final reimbursement for 2011 flood expenses in the amount of \$1,726.04.

New Business:

-None.

Correspondence:

-Bloomsburg Library Bookmobile plans to purchase a new unit and has asked for input from municipal leaders as well as anyone else who may have ideas or suggestions. Interested parties are asked to contact the library.

Recognition of Guests:

-A. Stackhouse questioned what size buildings were included in the waiver of permit fees for demolition. J. Challingsworth stated any major structure, i.e. barn, house, etc needed a demolition permit and there would be no charge for those type structures.

-E. Kuhn questioned if Rohrsburg Cemetery Road was still slated to be repaired, tar and chipped. J. Kline stated it is on the schedule for this summer.

-L. Boudman commended road crew for job well done.

-W. Blakeney asked what could be done regarding campaign signs blocking the view of oncoming traffic at Savage Hill and Rt 487 in Orange Twp. He was directed to call PennDOT.

-D. Kishbaugh received compliment on the improvement of Paperdale Road.

For the Good of the Township:

-Schwann's Home Delivery has partnered with Orangeville Fire Company to conduct a fundraiser between May 1 and July 1. 20% of product and 40% of e-certificate sales will go to the Fire Company. Schwann's will then contribute 5% for the remainder of the year as well.

There being no further business for consideration, J. Kline made motion to adjourn, seconded by E. Bogert. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 6:34 PM.

**Respectfully Submitted,
Coralee Kindt
Secretary/Treasurer**