

## **Organizational Meeting**

**January 2, 2018**

The Organizational meeting for the Gamble Township Supervisors was held on January 2, 2018, beginning at 7:00 PM at the Community Hall, Calvert with 3 members present. Joe Reighard, Ken Schriner and Dave Bailey. Joe called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM with the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance.

Ken made a motion, seconded by Dave, for the following officers for 2018: Chair: Joe Reighard; Vice Chair: Ken Schriner, Roadmaster: Dave Bailey; Secretary – Pat Hipple; and set the treasurer's bond at \$1,000,000.

On a motion by Joe and seconded by Ken, with Dave abstaining, the Board suggested the following wages for Supervisors/workers: Roadmaster – \$17.00/hr and supervisor/workers at \$15.00/hr. The Auditors will meet on Wednesday to set these wages. The Board stated that the Roadmaster/foreman is one position and one person. If there becomes a separate Roadmaster at some point, the pay rate should be dropped back. Joe gave the Auditors a chart comparing various townships and asked them to look it over before their meeting.

Dave made a motion, seconded by Ken, for the following wages: Mike Swarhout - \$16.00/hr; rest of laborers – \$15.00/hr; Secretary –\$7140.00/yr; mileage – IRS rate of .545/mile

Ken made a motion, seconded by Joe to appoint the following:

- Solicitor – David Smith and McCormick Law Office
- Vacancy Board – Jack Hipple and Board of Supervisors
- EMA Coordinator – Joe Colucci
- Zoning Officer – Lycoming County Staff
- Permit Officer – Pat Hipple
- Delegate to Annual Convention – to be determined
- SEO – Jamie Nolan

Planning Commission – Joe made a motion, seconded by Ken, to abolish the local Planning Commission, due to lack of personnel. It is only an advisory commission due to being under the County's Zoning and Subdivision plans.

Meeting date/time for Supervisor's to remain the Second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 PM.

Ken made a motion, seconded by Joe, to hold several work sessions during the year to discuss on-going road work and keep track of the budget. It was decided that these would be the second Tuesday of Mar, June and Oct, beginning at 7:00 PM, just before the regular meetings.

Joe made a motion, seconded by Ken, to retain same bank facilities: Woodlands Bank, PLGIT and Muncy Bank.

Joe made a motion, seconded by Ken to keep the taxes the same: Real Estate -.467 mills; Fire tax - .340 mills; Real estate transfer – ½ of 1%; earned income – ½ of 1%; nonresident earned income – ½ of 1%; and to set purchasing limits of Roadmaster - \$1,000 and Sec -\$250.

Auditors – Betty Bonazzi (12/23); Sandy Baylor (12/19); Earl Dame (12/21)  
Supervisors: Joe Reighard (12/23); Ken Schriener (12/19); Dave Bailey (12/21) Meeting adjourned at 7:30 PM.