

Gamble Township Supervisors

June 13, 2017

The Gamble Township Supervisors met on the above date for their regular meeting at the Community Hall, Calvert with 3 members present. Joe Reighard, Dave Bailey and Ken Schriener. Joe called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM, with the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance.

Ken made a motion, seconded by Dave, to approve the May minutes as presented.

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Guests: Betty Bonazzi, chairman of the Auditors, presented a letter detailing the Auditor's report to the Board. Joe made a motion, seconded by Ken, to supply the Solicitor with a copy to determine how to proceed. The Board will then be meeting with the solicitor about this. Still, no copy of the audit report given to the Board.

Secretary had several items of correspondence including several property transfers and NOIs for various gas companies. Ken reported that Seneca will be contacting each property owner in regard to the water line they are proposing to install along Calvert and Sugar Camp roads, from Rose Valley Road to Pad C.

Zoning – 5 permits were issued.

Planning – Nothing

EMA – Quarterly newsletter, which is also available on the county website.

Roadmaster – Dave reported on the various activities of the road crew. Question was raised as to repairs to Mosteller Road bridge. Joe stated he can get a grate, just needs dimensions and will need a welder to install. Dave went along with Hammaker's in regard to project and stated that the company will be starting work shortly. Also reviewed Lake Road project with Penn Dot rep and had estimates. Sec to advertise for bids to be opened at next meeting.

On Going – 1. Fire Company Hill Climb – Andrew Clark from Trout Run fire company, presented paperwork to Board for signatures. Joe made a motion, seconded by Ken, to accept the request to hold the Hill Climb. 2. Discussion on Auditors' findings, see above. 3. Driveways – will check with Solicitor about letter. 4. Winner Lane Bridge – still on county's deficiency list, waiting for a definition of Deficient. Joe feels this is a political maneuvering for the County Commissioners to approve the \$5.00 fee attached to driver licenses. 5. Use of other township's equipment – Dave has not had a chance to check with anyone, so he rented a mower from Bradco to do the trimming of the roads. Tractor, with a 4 foot mower and a boom mower to trim along the roads, for a week. Tractor is overheating, so not able to mow until looked at. 6. Use of other money to pay bills – Ken talked to PEMA about not receiving any more money. Due to a miscommunication, more paperwork has to be submitted. Will work on this next week and

should have the money by the next meeting. Ken made a motion, seconded by Dave, to have the secretary determine what account to take the money from to pay the past due bill.

New Business – Nothing

Public Comment – Ray Andraka appreciated hearing about work on Lake Road. Tuck Smith, who owns property along Mill Creek Road, had concerns about the pipes installed near his property, an ongoing problem. Joe stated the Board will look over the situation and determine what needs to be done. Dave Albert still concerned with the width of Sugar Camp Road

Joe made a motion, seconded by Ken, to pay the bills.

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 PM.

Pat Hipple, Sec