

HICKORY TOWNSHIP  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
MONTHLY MEETING  
November 2, 2020

The regular monthly meeting of the Hickory Township Board of Supervisors held at the Hickory Township Municipal Building was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Chairperson Kathleen Abranovich.

Supervisors Present: Kathleen J. Abranovich - Chairperson  
William W. Dean  
Michael E. Hall

Staff Present: Lisa L. Schlemmer - Secretary/Treasurer  
Lt. Ronald Bongivengo – Hickory Twp. Police Dept.  
Jason Medure – Solicitor (excused – available via phone PRN)

Other Attendees: Jennifer Miller Richard Alley  
Tom Houston Frank Cunningham  
Jon Sweet

Motion made by Supervisor Hall and seconded by Supervisor Abranovich to accept the minutes from the October 5th regular meeting and the October 27<sup>th</sup> budget meeting without correction. All in favor. Motion carried.

Treasurer’s report for October was given. Motion made by Supervisor Dean, seconded by Supervisor Hall to pay current bills, payroll and all incoming regular bills. All in favor. Motion carried.

The October police report was read by Officer Bongivengo: 11 traffic stops; 14 administrative; 8 assist other police; 2 medical assists; 1 fire assist; 1 motorist assist; 3 burglar alarms; 2 crashes; 1 criminal mischief; 1 disturbance; 1 mental health; 1 erratic driver; 8 property checks; 1 suspicious vehicle; 3 theft by unlawful taking; 1 roadway obstruction

**Building Permits**

Applicant	Address	Proposed Improvement
JDS Fitness	2356 Harlansburg Road	basketball court
Terri Preisel	2450 Eastbrook Road	12’ x 20’ shed for kennel
Terri Preisel	2450 Eastbrook Road	6’ high wooden privacy fence

**Public Comments:** None.

**Announcements:** Supervisor Abranovich read the 2020 Census results pertinent to Hickory Township response rates in comparison to other local municipalities, the Commonwealth and national responses.

**Old Business:** The Lakewood-Neshannock Falls Road culvert replacement project is complete. The Township is working with the Lawrence County Conservation District representative to finalize documentation for grant funding from the Dirt and Low Volume Gravel Roads Program.

**New Business:** The 2021 proposed budget was prepared at the October 27<sup>th</sup> budget workshop. Bill Dean made a motion to adopt the 2021 proposed budget for public posting and advertisement. Motion was seconded by Supervisor Hall. All in favor. Motion carried. The Supervisors intend to adopt the 2021 proposed budget at the December regular meeting.

Supervisor Dean made a motion to approve the following Lawrence County tax exoneration:

Owner	Address	Real Estate Tax Change
Barbara L. Vallozzi Revocable Living Trust	335 Algoma Lane	Exonerate interim tax bill \$30,100.00

Motion was seconded by Supervisor Hall. All in favor. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Supervisor Hall, seconded by Supervisor Abranovich to adjourn the meeting at 7:13 P.M. All in favor. Motion carried.

**Bills Due**

General	\$ 17,194.37	
State	\$ 630.14	

**General Fund**

Balance as of 10/31/20	\$ 66,283.80	
Receipts		\$ 79,194.57
Expenditures		\$ 40,738.63
Balance as of 11/30/20	\$ 104,739.74	

**State Fund**

Balance as of 10/31/20	\$ 26,648.07	
Receipts		\$ 0.22
Expenditures		\$ 630.14
Balance as of 11/30/20	\$ 26,018.15	

**Earned Income**

Balance as of 10/31/20	\$ 58,751.57	
Receipts		\$ 43,133.21
Expenditures		\$ 0.00
Balance as of 11/30/20	\$ 101,884.78	