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### WATSON TOWNSHIP MEETING APRIL 21, 2022

The Watson Township Board of Supervisors held their monthly meeting on April 21, 2022, at 7:00 pm at the Watson Township Municipal building, with James Seltzer, L. Gene Zinck and James Potter present.

Also Present: Allen Green; Rich Bater, Brent Petrosky, Erika Morgan, Richard and Jennifer Motter, Luke Potter, Richard Lange, Rick Macklem, Stephanie Hollick and Paul Stitzer

Chairman Seltzer called the meeting to order, and Brent Petrosky led the Pledge of Allegiance.

The March 17, 2022, monthly meeting minutes were reviewed and Supervisor Potter made a motion to approve the minutes as presented; seconded by Supervisor Zinck, MCU.

Roadmaster Zinck presented a report on the condition of the roads reviewed during the Spring Road Tour held April 7, 2022. Supervisor Zinck made a motion to approve the report as presented; seconded by Chairman Seltzer, MCU.

The Board reviewed the monthly Treasurer's Report and Supervisor Potter made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report as submitted; seconded by Chairman Seltzer, MCU.

Correspondence: Supervisor Zinck reported that he received notification from Lycoming County that the Township was awarded \$25,000 through the 2022 Act 13 Mini Grant for Parks and Recreation.

#### Roadmaster's Report:

Roadmaster Gene Zinck reported the following activities he performed since last meeting:

1. Plowed roads
2. Worked in township office cleaning out and working on computer issues
3. Removed plow & cinder spreader from GMC
4. Power washed and cleaned garage
5. Removed broom on mower
6. Began teardown of old playground equipment
7. Stockpiled road salt
8. Removed fallen trees on West Side Road
9. Removed rock slides on West Side Road
10. Worked on grant of playground equipment
11. Coring on West Side Road
12. Obtained prices for township mail box
13. Met with PennDOT regarding Tombs Run Road Detour
14. Rolled Recreation Field
15. Repaired Security Cameras

#### Items to be completed:

1. Setup playground equipment

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2. Work on slides on West Side Road
3. Status of drilling new well
4. Roof on Trading Post building
5. Truck radios

### Zoning Report:

Zoning Officer Brent Petrosky reported issuing the following permits:

1. William and Michelle Hale – wedding at the Barn May 14, 2022
2. Gerald & Deb Bower – garage at 5015 N. Rte. 44
3. Up the Crick, LLC – Erika Morgan events scheduled for: June 12, 2022; July 10, 2022; August 14, 2022; September 11, 2022 and October 9, 2022
4. Adam Heverly – lean-to at 122 West Side Road
5. John Driver - 541 Torbert Lane – carport project; it was noted that previously the plan did not meet the 50 foot setback requirement and the plan was revised and now meets the setback requirements

### Other matters addressed:

1. Ben Fisher - 1151 Torbert Lane – cabin; mailed Flood Ordinance to Mr. Fisher on April 4, 2022; other issues include sewage system
2. Martha Welshans – waiting for contact from Architect
3. Cindy and Wayne Love – 6171 N. Rte. 44 – need engineering review for access drive, porch, foundation issues
4. Leslie White – discussed options for a garage for property on Edgewood Drive

Brent also presented the minutes from the Pine Creek Rail Trail Advisory Committee Meeting held September 14, 2021

### EMC Report:

Emergency Management Coordinator Paul Stitzer reported he attended FEMA training on initial damage assessment and the annual EMC Appreciation Banquet held on March 24<sup>th</sup> which included a speaker from the National Weather Service in State College.

Mr. Stitzer plans to attend the next training session in June and announced that the Waterville Sawdust Festival is scheduled for the upcoming weekend at the Waterville Fire Company.

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### Recreation Committee Report:

Chairman Seltzer had nothing to report other than the playground equipment was delivered and the Township will use funds received from the Act 13 Mini Grant to pay for the equipment.

### Old Business:

Chairman Seltzer reported that the Supervisors met with the Township Solicitor several weeks ago regarding short term rentals. The Solicitor will have a draft ordinance prepared for the May 19, 2022 meeting.

EMC Paul Stitzer asked for approval to purchase new pads for the AED. Resident Luke Motter said he would check with Lycoming County to see if they have AED's that are not being used that could be donated to the Township.

New Business: None presented.

Invoices – Supervisor Zinck made a motion to approve the invoices as presented; seconded by Chairman Seltzer, MCU.

Public Comment - public comment was entertained generally through-out the meeting.

Resident Richard Motter requested the Supervisors contact PennDOT about spraying and made several complaints about Supervisor Zinck.

Supervisor Potter made a motion to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Supervisor Potter, the motion was unanimously approved, and the meeting was adjourned at 8:45 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Darlene S. Macklem  
Secretary