

Laporte Township
December 6, 2022
Regular Monthly Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. by Chairman Jeff Hamilton. Supervisors Leo Fiester, Richard Marks, and Secretary Kathy Klim were also present at the meeting.

Visitors

Chip Amer was present at the meeting to show a plan to subdivide two lots totaling 3.98 acres on his property, and seeking township approval before sending the plans on to DEP. A motion to accept the plan was made by Richard Marks and seconded by Leo Fiester. The motion passed.

Approval of Agenda: A motion was made by Richard Marks and seconded by Leo Fiester to approve the agenda. The motion carried.

Approval of Minutes: A motion was made by Richard Marks and seconded by Leo Fiester to approve last month's minutes. The motion passed.

Approval of Treasurer's Report: Richard Marks made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report. Leo Fiester seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Monthly Bills: A motion to pay the monthly bills was made by Richard Marks and was seconded by Leo Fiester. The motion carried.

General Fund

<u>Name</u>	<u>Num</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Sullivan County Rural Electric	ACH	154.99
Comcast	12817	152.07
Lamphere's Truck Parts	12818	16.65
NTSWA	12819	5,498.43
Service Tire Truck Centers	12820	1,414.71
Superior Plus Heating Oil	12821	1,238.59
Superior Plus Energy	12822	1,794.72
Visa	12823	288.30
		<u>10,558.46</u>

State Fund

<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Num</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Superior Plus Energy	5520	152.37

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Review of Permits:

Land Use Permits

None

Septic Permits

Tom Kitchen, Update Sewage Permit, Lot 12, Tenants Hill

Driveway Permits

None

Construction Permit Application (from Code Inspections)

None

Certificate of Occupancy (from Code Inspections)

None

Certificate of Approval (from Code Inspections)

None

COG Meeting Report:

There was no COG meeting in November. There will be a meeting on Tuesday, December 13, 2022. This will be the last meeting of the year.

Old Business:

A motion was made by Leo Fiester and seconded by Richard Marks to approve Pennsylvania ACT 57 Resolution for Laporte Township. The motion carried.

A motion was made by Leo Fiester and seconded by Richard Marks to approve the 2023 Laporte Township Budget. The motion passed.

Both Resolutions will be advertised and are available for viewing at the Laporte Township Office by appointment.

Road Report: Richard Marked reported that some trees were downed on Little Road from a recent storm. The trees were pushed back from off the road. He also reported that the township trucks are ready for snow removal.

New Business:

Richard Marks made a motion to approve a Resolution to fix the 2023 Laporte Township Real Estate Tax rate at .65 mills on each dollar of assessed valuation. Leo Fiester seconded the motion. The motion carried. This rate remains the same as 2022.

After discussion, a motion was made by Leo Fiester and seconded by Jeff Hamilton to purchase a new plow truck to replace the 2010 truck. The motion carried.

Review Correspondence

Adjournment: With no other business to conduct, Leo Fiester made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Richard Marks. The motion carried.