

MINUTES FOR THE JUNE 15, 2017 MEETING OF THE CATHARINE TOWNSHIP
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Catharine Township's regular monthly meeting began at 7:00 PM with supervisors Ralph F Rispoli, Kenneth Brenneman, Heather Flaig, secretary/treasurer Eleanor K Harclerode, and roadmaster Mike Fay present.

Visitors: Daryl Cole, Natalie Gorsuch from the Morrison Cove Herald, Laura Jackson, Kent Wilson & Jim Flaig.

Kenneth Brenneman said there was one change on the minutes (Yellow Spring Road to Yellow Spring Drive). A motion was made by Heather Flaig to accept the minutes after the change was made, seconded by Kenneth Brenneman. Unanimous

A motion was made by Kenneth Brenneman to accept the financial report as is, seconded by Ralph F Rispoli. Unanimous

Ralph F Rispoli said the supervisors met with PennDOT on June 13, 2017. PennDOT said they would do nothing with the roads if the Quarry opens in the township. They will make them bond the roads if they need bonded, and if the road need fixed, the Quarry would have to fix the roads.

Michael & Julie Walters purchased the Harry Lloyd property at sheriff sale.

Daryl Cole asked what we found out about his driveway. The township solicitor said that is the residents' problem, and the township has nothing to do with this. Daryl Cole did ask the township before he did his driveway, and the township was planning to raise Recreation Drive up 1 1/2" higher this fall. Right now the water lays in his yard. Michael Fay said a crown needs put on Recreation Drive, and the run-off water from his driveway should go along the side of the road, not across the road.

Jim Flaig has two things:

1. The Farm Show is having a parade on August 24. Jim wanted to know if he can get a letter saying that the township gives permission to use Recreation Drive from 6:00 to 8:00 PM. A motion was made by Kenneth Brenneman to give a letter to use Recreation Drive for the parade, seconded by Heather Flaig. Unanimous
2. Jim Flaig asked if they needed a permit to concrete the barn floor. Eleanor Harclerode said "NO".

Jim Flaig said the circus is coming on July 10, 2017. Jim wanted to know if they can use the township's water.

Jim asked about the barbecue pit. Eleanor Harclerode said "NO" they do not need a permit to put the barbecue pit in, but will need a permit to put a roof over the barbecue pit. The Farm Show needs to check with their Insurance Company to make sure what their policy requires before building the barbecue pit.

Daryl Cole asked Heather Flaig if she has any problem pulling out from Home Street. Sherry

Waddington has flowers planted near the intersection, and it is hard to see to pull out on to Yellow Spring Drive. Michael Fay suggested talking to PennDOT to see if anything can be done.

Eleanor Harclerode said she talked to Trina Illig about the Community Development Block Grant Program. Trina said she did not go door to door in Ganister. Trina did say they did not receive any grant money this year. Trina said when they get the funding this year they will be finishing what has been started. Trina said they will not be starting anything new, because in 2018 there will not be any funding at all in the budget. Ralph Rispoli said to table this for the present.

A motion was made by Ralph F Rispoli to make Kenneth Brenneman Vice-Chairman, seconded by Heather Flaig. Unanimous

Eleanor Harclerode has paperwork from the banks so Heather Flaig can be put on to sign Checks.

Rod Saltsgiver is not happy with David McFarland's cleanup. David McFarland has cleaned up a lot. Michael Fay said he talked to Ralph F Rispoli about giving David McFarland another 30 days for cleaning.

Marshall Dicken has more than two cars on his property. The supervisors need to talk to the solicitor and see what we need to do next.

For Lester Houck's sidewalk Michael Fay received two bids:

1. B & W - \$400.00
2. Josh Flaig - \$500.00

A motion was made by Kenneth Brenneman to accept B & W's bid, seconded by Ralph F Rispoli. Unanimous

Roadmaster Report:

1. Received Payloader
2. Complaint about Edgewood Drive's Drain. Michael Fay said they cleaned out the drain. Kenneth Brenneman asked if they were going to pave over the rocks on Cross Valley.
3. Tuesday-starting Hemlock Road.
4. Huston Township's bill for the Brim Tank - Eleanor Harclerode said she talked to Dorothy Stahl and the invoice has already been sent, and we have the check for that bill.

Supervisors Report:

Kenneth Brenneman said he has been getting complaints about the way they are parking vehicles on the Teeters property. They are parking on the right-a-way, and people that travel that road are concerned. Michael Fay said he will talk to the residents that live there, and tell them they need to park further off the road.

Eleanor Harclerode has letters ready to send to residents that are mowing their grass out on

Recreation Drive. They are being asked not to mow their grass onto Recreation Drive. A motion was made by Ralph F Rispoli to send the letters, seconded by Heather Flaig.

Heather Flaig made a motion to pay bills, seconded by Ralph F Rispoli.

Kenneth Brenneman made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Ralph F Rispoli.

Respectfully submitted,
Eleanor K Harclerode, Secretary/Treasurer