

Township of Crescent
Board of Commissioners
Monthly Business Meeting
May 14, 2020

The monthly meeting of the Crescent Township Board of Commissioners was called to order at 6:30 P.M. Via telephone Zoom.

ROLL CALL

Commissioners: Joe Sabol, Jerry Keller, Arthur Buccigrossi, Todd Miller, Rich Withee
Solicitor: Steve Chesney
Secretary: Patty Christian

SOLICITOR

Solicitor Steve Chesney announced that the meeting was being recorded.

Solicitor Steve Chesney announced that the monthly meeting would be held via telephone as opposed to in person at the township building. This measure is being taken to prevent the spread of COVID-19 (Coronavirus). He then went on to explain that the meeting was advertised on the Township's website.

PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS

Solicitor Chesney asked if there were anyone else who had joined the meeting. If so, please state your name and address and limit your comments to no more than three (3) minutes.

None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Commissioner Sabol asked for motion to approve the April 16, 2020 business meeting minutes. Commissioner Miller made a motion and seconded by Commissioner Keller. A roll call vote was taken and found all commissioners in favor of the motion.

Commissioner Sabol asked for motion to approve the April 30, 2020 Special Meeting minutes. Commissioner Withee made a motion and seconded by Commissioner Miller. A roll call vote was taken and found all commissioners in favor of the motion.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Commissioner Sabol asked for a motion to approve the April 2020 Treasurer's report. Commissioner Keller made a motion and was seconded by Commissioner Miller. A roll call vote was taken and found all commissioners in favor of the motion.

APPROVAL OF BILLS

Commissioner Sabol asked for a motion for the approval of the bill for May 2020 and any other bills that may be forthcoming in the month of May 2020. Commissioner Buccigrossi made a motion and seconded by Commissioner Keller. A roll call vote was taken and found all commissioners in favor of the motion.

REPORTS

Commissioner Sabol asked for a motion for the approval of the following Reports all of which are on file:

- a) Secretary's Report
- b) Solicitor's Report
- c) Engineer's Report
- d) Crescent Township Fire Department Report
- e) Public Works Department Report
- f) Police Department Report

Commissioner Miller made the motion Seconded by Commissioner Keller. A roll call was taken and all commissioners were in favor.

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Commissioner Keller completed a course on the other side of the state Rapid Needs Assessment. It was to educate the Emergency Managers on what they might need in any particular area. He wanted to remind everyone just because we are going to be in the yellow stage for Allegheny County to be careful to protect yourself.

OLD BUSINESS

NONE

NEW BUSINESS

The first item under new business was a Motion to approve Ordinance # 576 electing to amend its Police Pension Plan. Commissioner Keller made the motion Seconded by Commissioner Withee. A roll call was taken and all commissioners were in favor.

The second item under new business was a Motion to approve Ordinance # 577 electing to amend its Non Uniform Pension Plan. Commissioner Miller made the motion Seconded by Commissioner Buccigrossi. A roll call was taken and all commissioners were in favor.

The third item motion/discussion on combining the Park and Recreation Board accounts. After discussing the merger it was tabled until the next meeting.

The fourth item motion/discussion on making sure the budget from 2020 for the Parks and Recreation boards will be carried to 2021 budget due to Covid-19. Commissioner Miller made the motion Seconded by Commissioner Keller. A roll call was taken and all commissioners were in favor.

The fifth item motion/discussion on adding an email address to Crescent Township's website for questions for the Park and Recreation Board. Commissioner Buccigrossi explained that this would be \$7.99 a month. Commissioner Buccigrossi made the motion Seconded by Commissioner Miller. A roll call was taken and all commissioners were in favor.

The sixth item on the agenda was motion/discussion on putting a fence around Sautter Park. Commissioner Buccigrossi explained that it would protect the children from running into the street. Commissioner Miller said that they would need pricing for a fence. Commissioner Buccigrossi said that he would get the information. Commissioner Miller made the motion Seconded by Commissioner Keller, to get the pricing on a fence. Roll call was taken and all commissioners were in favor.

The seventh item was a motion to stop billing for garbage and rubbish removal for the premises located at 83 McGovern Blvd. as the building has been unoccupied. Billing would resume when the building becomes occupied. Roberta Furgiuele of 205 Fernvue Dr. entered the meeting stating that her father had passed and no one was living at the residence. A discussing was in favor that the commissioners look into this matter before rendering a decision . The motion was to table it until next meeting. Commissioner Withee made the motion Seconded by Commissioner Keller. Roll call was taken and all commissioners were in favor.

The eighth item motion/discussion for approval of a salt shed thru CoStars in the amount of \$79,400.00. Commissioner Miller made the motion Seconded by Commissioner Keller. A roll call was taken and all commissioners were in favor.

The ninth item motion/discussion approval of Resolution 7-2020 for approval of the down payment on the Gazebo from the Capital Reserve Account line item 04.454.800 in the amount of \$12,380.00 to Amish County Gazebos. Commissioner Miller reiterated that the money for this is coming out of the Liquid Fuels Fund. Commissioner Miller made the motion Seconded by Commissioner Keller. A roll call was taken and all commissioners were in favor.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

NONE

ADJOURNMENT

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Commissioner Miller and seconded by Commissioner Withee. A voice vote was taken and found all Commissioners in favor of the motion. The meeting adjourned at 7:03 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
Certified as a true and correct copy

Patty Christian
Crescent Township Secretary
