

Township of Crescent
Board of Commissioners
Monthly Business Meeting
December 10, 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: Richard Start
Secretary: Patty Christian

SOLICITOR

Solicitor Rick Start announced that the meeting was being recorded.

PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS

None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Commissioner Sabol asked for a motion to approve the November 12, 2020 business meeting minutes. A motion was made by Commissioner Miller and seconded by Commissioner Keller. 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 November 2020 Treasurer's report. Commissioner Withee made a motion and was seconded by Commissioner Keller. A roll call vote was taken and found all commissioners in favor of the motion.

BILLS TO BE PAID

Commissioner Sabol asked for a motion for the approval of the bills for December 2020 and any other bills that may be forthcoming in the month of November 2020. A motion to pay the bills was made by Commissioner Keller and seconded by Commissioner Miller. A roll call vote was taken and found all Commissioners in favor of the motion.

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) Public Safety
- e) Finance
- f) Public Works Department Report
- g) Fire Department Report
- h) Secretary's Report
- i) Emergency Management Report
- j) Valley Ambulance Authority Report

Commissioner Keller made a motion and was seconded by Commissioner Buccigrossi. A roll call vote was taken and found all commissioners in favor of the motion.

OLD BUSINESS

NONE

NEW BUSINESS

The first item under new business was a motion/discussion to approve Resolution R-12-20 for a change of Zoning Fees. Commissioner Keller made the motion Seconded by Commissioner Miller. A roll call was taken and all commissioners were in favor.

The second item under new business was a motion to approve MRM Property & Liability Trust Package Renewal Policy for 2021 Crescent Township and Crescent Township Volunteer Fire Dept. The new premium will be \$35,018.00. Commissioner Keller made the motion Seconded by Commissioner Miller. A roll call was taken and all commissioners were in favor.

The third item under new business was a motion to hire Officer Austin Lane to full time, with a start date of January 1, 2021, in accordance with Civil Service Rules. Officer Lane had his oral interview on December 1st and was recommended by the Board of Chiefs. Commissioner Keller made the motion Seconded by Commissioner Buccigrossi. A roll call was taken and all commissioners were in favor.

The fourth item under new business was a motion/discussion for the approval for the Police Department to order a 2021 Ford Explorer. The total amount for the vehicle and up-fit is in the Police Capital Reserve Budget. Commissioner Keller made the motion Seconded by Commissioner Buccigrossi. A roll call was taken and all commissioners were in favor.

The fifth item under new business was a motion/discussion on a preliminary approval of the 2021 budget. There will be some changes for the final budget. The final budget will be voted on at a special meeting by Zoom on December 31, 2020 at 5:00 PM. Commissioner Miller made the motion Seconded by Commissioner Keller. A roll call was taken and all commissioners were in favor.

The sixth item was a motion/discussion to approve the application for preliminary and final subdivision for the Rozzo Plan of Consolidation No.1 filed by Geno Rozzo proposing the consolidation of two existing parcels into one parcel located at 26 McGovern Boulevard, Allegheny County Tax Parcels No. 701-D-190 and No. 701-D-198.1. Commissioner Miller made the motion Seconded by Commissioner Keller. A roll call was taken and all commissioners were in favor.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

NONE

COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

Commissioner Miller want to thank everyone and to remind the public to listen to the new restrictions from the Governor. The hospital where he works is more than ½ full of Covid patients. He was exposed and is now on quarantine. He wished everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year and reminded everyone to stay safe.

Commissioner Keller wanted to thank the Police and Fire Department for the great job they did at the Crescent Blvd. Ext. light up event. He asked the public follow the guide lines put in place to keep everyone safe, there will be changes. Emergency Management is gearing up.

Commissioner Buccigrossi also said that the event on Crescent Blvd. Ext. was great. He wanted to mention that Crescent Police Department pull out of the event on Saturday December 12 do to staffing issues. He wanted to mention how wonderful a job that the Park and Recreation Board is doing during this pandemic. They have been busy with the luminary candle sales and getting a event planed following the CDC guidelines for the visit from Santa for the kids. He is always getting so many complements on the great job Crescent's Park and Recreation Board does.

Secretary Patty Christian wanted to wish the Township Residents a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Commissioner Sabol also wanted to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and to thank the Park and Recreation Board, the Fire Department and the Police Department for all of their help. He also reminded everyone to stay safe.

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Sabol asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. A motion was made by Commissioner Miller and seconded by Commissioner Keller. A voice vote was taken and found all Commissioners in favor of the motion. The meeting adjourned at 6:48 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
Certified as a true and correct copy

Patty Christian
Crescent Township Secretary
