Slippery Rock Township Supervisors Minutes for: 3/11/19 regular meeting

Chairman Paul Dickey called the regular meeting to order at 8:01 p.m. In attendance were Supervisors John Hines and Terry Doerr along with Rick Grossman, planning consultant/zoning assistant. Engineer, David Neill was absent. Three members of the public also attended.

John Hines made a motion to approve the minutes from the 2/25/19 public hearing and the 2/25/19 regular meeting, approve and pay the bills and approve the financial reports. Terry Doerr seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

Open Comment(s)

Rita Abent and Robb King from SRU were present. Rita reported that SRU is currently on Spring Break and the SRU band is invited to play in the St. Patrick Day Parade in Dublin, Ireland.

Plan(s)

None

Engineer's Report - Dave Neill

David submitted a report which includes updates on the following: Kiester Road, Sanderson Road, Sewer Connection to SRU, Renick Brothers Development, Kiester Road Drainage and SRU Development. A brief discussion ensued.

Rita Abent from SRU asked about the SRU Development comments. Rick Grossman discussed this issue about replacing grass with Astroturf and what would be required in regards to stormwater management or land development. This depends on the drainage systems used. David Neill will coordinate with SRU and the Township moving forward.

<u>Planner's Report</u> – Rick Grossman

A. <u>Prevention of Estray</u> – Ord. Chapter 2 Animals. Rick Grossman discussed with the board the recent and past complaints. Rick added that there has been additional complaints and they are occurring more than in the past. Rick along with approval from solicitor, Wil White, would like to change our Animal Ordinance Chapter 2 with just a one paragraph amendment that would require livestock to be confined to the owner's property. The SRPC, at their regular meeting tonight, recommended to forward this language to the Supervisors to consider for this Chapter 2 amendment as discussed by Rick Grossman.

Paul Dickey made a motion to proceed with the necessary steps to add this paragraph requiring livestock to be confined to the owner's property as recommended by SRPC, Rick Grossman, Planner and Wil White, Solicitor to the Chapter 2 Ordinance - Animals. John Hines seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

Unfinished Business

<u>QuickBooks</u> – Paul reported that he is continuing to discuss with SR Water Authority personnel. Paul did not have any new information at this time. The board agreed to table this issue and review at the next meeting.

Other Business

Road Foreman:

- <u>Backhoe problems</u>. A brief discussion ensued with consideration of trading equipment because of problems.
- Road Mower Rental. Discussion ensued. Paul had already discussed some additional
 information with the road foreman. Paul and the board agreed for the road foreman to check into
 getting on the spring schedule for a couple of weeks rental.
- Mutual Agreements S. R. Borough Worth Township Municipal Authority. Paul Dickey proposes that existing mutual aid agreements should be reviewed by the solicitor and if need to be revised have our solicitor draw up agreements to include SR Borough, SR Municipal Authority, Worth Township along with Cherry Township. The SR Borough Council President, Russel Karl, will draw up a SR Borough Police agreement for the SR TWP Board and solicitor to review and consider.

Terry Doerr made a motion to authorize, solicitor, Wil White to review existing mutual aid agreements for surrounding townships plus SR Municipal Water Authority and handle any revisions and return to the board for consideration. John Hines seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

Correspondence

1. PSATS – police tax for municipalities that rely on State Police. A discussion ensued.

Paul Dickey made a motion to write letters to our legislators and ask them to oppose this legislation. Terry Doerr seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

The office will forward letters to legislators.

2. Slippery Rock in Bloom. No action taken.

Training/Seminars/Meetings

• CDC - 2019 Annual Meeting. No action taken.

Additional or Further Business

None

Adjourn Meeting

Terry Doerr made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:29 p.m. John Hines seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

Chairman, Paul A. Dickey

Minutes submitted by Vontile Hogg

Much 15, 2019

Date approved

Supervisor, Terry L. Doerr