**GLENBURN TWP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS’ MEETING**

**October 21, 2020**

**Board Members in Attendance**: William Wicks Dave Jennings, James Davis

**Board Guests in Attendance:**  Grace Doherty Hillebrand, Bernadette Menendez, Tom Wicks

**Public in Attendance**:

Chris & Linda Woodley, Lisa & Tom Samuelson, Ellen Clendenning, Gerard Fallis

Supervisor Wicks called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM with the pledge to the flag.

**Minutes**

**Motion made by Supervisor Wicks to waive the reading aloud and accept the minutes of the September 2020 Township Meeting, Supervisor Davis Abstained, Supervisor Jennings 2nd, with motion to amend the minutes Strick out last sentence , 2nd by Bill Wicks. All in Favor.**

## Financial Report/Presentation of Bills

**Mo. by Bill Wicks, to pay the bills and accept the financial reports as presented by Secretary Treasurer Menendez for October 2020 . 2nd by Supervisor Dave Jennings. All in Favor.**

## Committee Reports

## Police:

**Roads:**

Throughout the past four weeks the road crew has been working towards getting the township and equipment prepared for the upcoming winter months. They have been out cleaning out ditches and catch basins to help with storm water drainage throughout the winter. They have been trimming roadside and intersections to help with visibility and to help shed storm water off the roads and into drainage systems. They have patched potholes on Ruth Ave, Scranton Street, Church Hill, and Pine Tree Drive and Sunset. They will continue to patch potholes throughout the winter months. They have also repaired two catch basins, one on Sugarbush Road which was hand built out of field stone and another on Arch Ave where a hole appeared on the side and needed to be filled in. The road crew has been working on the snow removal equipment. The Townships 2008 Ford F-550 had just had a new dump box and spreader installed along with motor work. Our new 2020 Ford F-550 chassis cab should be arriving any day now and will go to Powell’s equipment to be outfitted as soon as it arrives. This truck should be ready by the beginning of December. Our five-ton truck received a new plow last year and is ready to go for this winter. We also have a GMC 3500 with a plow that has been prepared for this winter. All the equipment has been checked out and gone through and is ready for the first winter weather event. The Road Crew had just submitted a grant application through the conservation district under the environmentally sensitive maintenance for dirt, gravel, and low volume roads program. This would help provide funding for part of Glenview/Old Trail and Cider Mill LN. We will have an answer in the of beginning February as to if we receive the funding for the grant application.

Bill Wicks also spoke about getting involved with bundling our paving bid with South Abington Twp. Option to us to get portion of bids. Projects can be cheaper.

**Sewage Enforcement:**

Email from Dave Lamoreaux for 10 Coolidge Street. Regarding the sewage system. Not adequate, system is a cesspool with a 500-gallon tank. He recommends that a new home not be permitted unless a new system is installed

Tom Wicks was informed about the work on this property.

**325 S. Turnpike Road**, home purchased at tax sale, needs a septic system, also is doing new front end and rebuild on home.

**Code Enforcement:**

**Waverly Road Property** owned by Mr. Jacque Fletcher- complaints from neighbors regarding chickens. Property is residential zone. Letter sent to mailed to them on October 19, 2020. 10-day notice.

**Zoning Hearing Board**

**Old Business:** Precision – letter attached from Ann DiDonato reviewing the release of the chemicals into creek. Tested and unchanged , safe numbers.

**Ordinance** updates with North Abington Township, need to apply for grant between both townships. Tom Mundrake and David Mennig are supervisors at North Abington Township.

**Dangerous Structures** -Grace D Hillebrand - Mr. Klinkel property on South Turnpike Road. Meeting

Was held on September 30, 2020 at 7:00 PM.

**Frank Colombo** – Solar Panel on property. Notice is being sent and Supervisor Wicks explained to residents the ordinance for 110 Ackerly Road.

**New Business:**

Auditor vacancy

Ellen Clendenning is making recommendation for Kathy Walters to fill the vacancy. Please appoint and she will go on ballot for the primary in Spring and the election in fall of 2021.

Supervisor Wicks thanked Ellen for their work. +-

**Announcements:**

Food Collection and pet food for the Nov 2 through the 5th.

Supervisor Wicks informed the board that hew would like to get the old equipment IE: the traffic signal onto the municbidweb site .

**Supervisor Wicks motioned to adjourn at 8:40 PM and Supervisor Jennings 2nd. All in Favor.**

Respectfully Submitted

Secretary/Treasurer

Bernadette Menendez