

The regular monthly meeting of the Liberty Township Board of Supervisors was called to order by Chairman Doug Sivers on July 1, 2021 at 7 p.m. Supervisors present: Doug Sivers, Dave Bailey and Alton Wilber. Secretary/Treasurer and Alternate Secretary/Treasurer present: Linda Rockwell and Janette Tiffany. Public present: Dennis & Rach Magargal, Bill Bayne, and Lennie Kalechitz.

Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Public Comments Bill Bayne asked if a sign could be put up with recycling closed on July 3. The sign in front of the grange hall will be changed.

Minutes Dave made a motion to accept the June 2021 Meeting Minutes as presented. Alton seconded and Doug voted yes.

Scheduled Public Input None.

Road Report Dave reported the following June activities: grade, rake and roll Mt. Valley, Smith Drive, Barbour, Jones Creek, Tripp to 4 corners, Shanty, Mahoney, Valley View, 4 corners of Tripp to township line and part of Camp; tree cleanup after storms as needed. The supervisors are talking with Chad Hollenbeck for work to open Baptist Hill Road.

Treasurer's Report Linda noted that Act 13 funds for reporting year 2020 had been received as well as American Rescue Funds. Dave made a motion to accept the June 2021 Treasurer's Report, pay Bill List 07-2021, and pay any bills which are normally paid during the month and pay the payroll for July. Alton seconded and Doug voted yes.

Old Business Doug reported that two properties are approved under the FEMA buyout (Nase on English Flats and Vince Heron on Heron Road). The funds are there waiting for our use. There is a reassessment on one property and one family has not responded yet. It is moving ahead and contracts will be let out for demolition of these properties.

The American Rescue Plan application was submitted with funds already received.

Doug noted that the CPA firm PSATS recommended is pretty expensive and he is looking at other options for the funds. We have until 2024 to obligate the funds and until December 2026 to spend the funds

New Business None.

Meetings The planning commission will meet Monday, July 12, 2021, COG will meet Tuesday, July 20, 2021 and the township meeting is August 5, 2021.

Correspondence The Susquehanna County Conservation District will be accepting applications for the 2021-22 Dirt & Gravel Road allocation from August 1 to September 3, 2021.

Check Signing The supervisors signed the checks presented for payment.

Adjournment Dave made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:19 p.m. Doug seconded and Alton voted yes.