

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

OF KENNETT TOWNSHIP

801 Burrows Run Road

May 18, 2009

Chairman Hammaker called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m., with Vice-Chairman Falcoff present and Supervisor Elling all present.

Mr. Elling moved that the minutes of the April 20, 22 and 29, 2009 and May 6 and 13, 2009 meetings be approved as distributed except for May 13, 2009 which Mr. Elling was absent. Mr. Falcoff moved to approve the minutes of May 13, 2009 as distributed. Mr. Hammaker seconded the motion and it carried with all Supervisors in favor.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REPORTS

- 1) Mr. Falcoff presented the public safety information data, gave the May 2009 Accident Summary as follows:

April, 2009 accidents:

- 14 accidents during April, 2009 vs. 19 during April, 2008.
- 57 accidents YTD vs. 76 YTD last year for a 25% OA reduction.
- 3 accidents on Kaolin Rd; 1 at the Chandler Mill intersection.
- No accidents on Hillendale or Rosedale at the McFarlan or Bayard intersections.
- 2 accidents on Hillendale and Chandler Mill intersection.

Miscellaneous:

- PennDOT still evaluating the Rt. 82/US1/Cedarcroft proposed modification.
- PennDOT Rt. 52/Hillendale signalization has been approved. Also, we now have all 3 signal pole easements.
- Our PD has coordinated 2 charity runs within the Township during May and provided assistance to a 3rd.
- PennDOT has milled the “repaired, repaved” sections of Kaolin Rd. down to base paving. There is concern that traction may be adversely impacted.

Kennett Township Police Activity

- 55 calls responded to from Chester County Police Radio.
- 2 criminal investigations.
- 40 routine assignments.
- 10 alarm activation calls (18.2% of overall activity).
- 3 automobile accidents responded to.

There were 81 State Police incidents in addition to KTPD activity with 18.5% being false burglar alarm responses.

NEW BUSINESS

Donna Murray spoke on behalf of the Bayard Taylor Memorial Library and explained all of the upcoming events.

ROADWORK

Mr. Elling stated that the roadcrew installed a grate at Route 52 and Hillendale Road to cover an open pit, they started the cooperative skin patching with East Marlborough Township, the widening and curb work for the new ball fields on Rosedale Road is almost complete, Chester Water Authority is installing two new water mains and hydrants along Burrows Run Road and Milkwood Drive and McFarlan and Rosedale Roads, the sign damage has decreased, speed humps were installed on Woodchuck Way and the roadcrew has been chipping yard debris to minimize the dumpster load cost.

SUBDIVISION/LAND DEVELOPMENT PLANS

Extensions

Mr. Hammaker moved to approve the following extension: 1) Greenwood Mushroom Property until 8/31/09. 2) Kennett Business Park Property until 8/31/09. Mr. Falcoff seconded the motion and it carried with all Supervisors in favor.

OTHER BUSINESS

Per Capita Tax

Mr. Hammaker moved to accept the Per Capita Tax removals per two memos dated April 23 and May 13, 2009. Mr. Elling seconded the motion and it carried with all Supervisors in favor.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Hammaker acknowledged receipt of the financial statement for the prior month. **Mr. Hammaker moved that the bills be approved for payment, seconded by Mr. Falcoff, with all Supervisors in favor.**

The meeting adjourned 8:17 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa M. Moore
Secretary-Treasurer

