



WEST PIKE RUN TOWNSHIP
Board of Supervisors
Meeting Minutes, February 11, 2013

CALL TO ORDER	The West Pike Run Township Board of Supervisors met in regular session on Monday, February 11, 2013. The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Chairman Richard Molish.
PLEADGE & ROLL CALL	Present at the meeting were Supervisor Rick Molish, Supervisor Phil Podroskey, Supervisor Laura Hough, Manager Erin Sakalik and Solicitor, Jason Walsh.
PUBLIC DISCUSSION	<p>Danny Russell asked about the adoption of a gas well ordinance. Jason Walsh explained the status of Act 13 to Mr. Russell. Discussion ensued about Act 13 and concerns about the lack of protection for residents.</p> <p>John Farkas spoke about Cecil Township's adoption of a gas well ordinance.</p> <p>Brian Smith complained about the access road across from his driveway and the dust on his house. He said his drainage problem has gotten worse. Danny Russell interceded about the dust on their homes. Brian stated that the gas well pad across from his home has had a negative effect on his life.</p> <p>Terry Greenwood asked how many compressor stations are in the township.</p> <p>Erin asked that a letter received from Cindy Hajdu be made public record. Rick stated that it would not be read aloud, but will be put on record as to its receipt.</p> <p>Marjorie Fordyce inquired about the Whitehall waterline project. Rick provided an update.</p>
APPROVAL OF MINUTES	<p>Motion was made by Phil, seconded by Laura to approve the minutes from the regular township meeting on January 7, 2013. RCV: Hough – Yes, Podroskey – Yes, Molish – Yes.</p> <p>Motion carried to approve the minutes from the reorganization meeting on January 7, 2013. RCV: Hough – Yes, Podroskey – Yes, Molish – Yes.</p> <p>Motion carried to approve the minutes from the special meeting on February 6, 2013. RCV: Hough – Yes, Podroskey – Yes, Molish – Yes.</p>
CORRESPONDENCE	Motion carried to approve the correspondence for January 2013. RCV: Hough – Yes, Podroskey – Yes, Molish – Yes.
REPORTS	Motion carried to approve the police report, code enforcement report, animal control, report, financial report, recreation report and road report. RCV: Hough – Yes, Podroskey – Yes, Molish – Yes.
BILLS & PAYROLL	Motion was made by Phil, seconded by Laura to approve the payments of the bills and payroll for the month of January. RCV: Hough – Yes, Podroskey – Yes, Molish – Yes.

OLD BUSINESS

Part-time Police Officer. The Chairman announced that Phil will start the interviews soon.

Assistant Secretary. The Chairman made a motion to appoint Amanda Sabol to the position of assistant secretary. Motion died for the lack of a second. Laura motioned to appoint Jodi Molish to the position. Phil seconded the motion. RCV: Hough – Yes, Podroskey – Yes, Molish – Yes.

Oak Road. Supervisor Molish gave a brief update on the paving of Oak Road, stating that there is no exact time frame. Construction will begin sometime this summer.

NEW BUSINESS

Traffic Study. Supervisor Podroskey was given the floor. Phil explained that several residents had called the office regarding the four-way intersection on Grange Road at California Drive. The Board authorized Erin to compose a letter to PA Dot asking them to conduct a traffic study at this intersection for a four-way stop sign.

Loan Agreement. Motion was made by Laura, seconded by Rick to approve the Northwest Savings Bank loan agreement in the amount of \$378,000 at 3 percent interest. RCV: Hough – Yes, Podroskey – Yes, Molish – Yes.

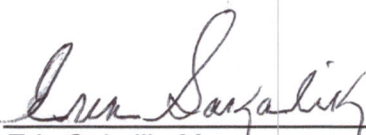
Waterline Connection Ordinance. Motion carried to authorize the Solicitor to draw up an ordinance requiring residents to hook-up to city water when it is available to them. RCV: Hough – Yes, Podroskey – Yes, Molish – Yes.

OTHER BUSINESS

Clean-up Day. The Chairman announced that the clean-up day for the township will be on Saturday, April 27, 2013, with the alternate day of May 4.

ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to come before the Board, the meeting adjourned
At 7:15 p.m.


Erin Sakalik, Manager