

September 11, 1995

The Mount Joy Township Supervisors held their regular monthly meeting on September 11, 1995, at 7:30 PM in the Township Municipal Bldg. located at 902 Hoffman Home Road, Gettysburg, PA. All members were present.

The minutes of the last regular monthly meeting, August 14, 1995, were approved by motion of Snyder, 2nd by Moul, carried.

The Treasurer's Report and Bills to be Paid Report, consisting of \$1,299.73 to be paid out of the Payroll Account, checks numbered 1448 through 1453 and \$7,690.19 to be paid out of the General Account, checks numbered 7261 through 7273 were approved by motion of Moul, 2nd by Snyder, carried.

There were no subdivisions to be considered.

Road Report:

Clapsaddle Road - Complaint received regarding mowing; has been taken care of.

Crouse Road - Children have busted out the black top that lined the sides of the box culvert. A witness says he can identify them. Moul suggests that if we know who did it, we should have the solicitor write a letter to the parents. It will cost a minimum of 100.00 to fix and Moul says we shouldn't spend taxpayers money to pay for damage done by someone. Snyder says to fix it and send letter. Decision to write letter; secretary will be given names.

Correspondence:

A letter was received from a Lake Heritage resident supporting the Boyle project.

Old Business:

Set date for conditional use hearing for the Miller property. Must advertise seven days ahead. Date set for Monday, October 2, 1995 at 7:30 PM.

G.M. Boyle hearing - Letter from Atty. Heiser 8/25/95. Gettysburg Times claims they didn't get letter instructing to advertise. Date now set for September 28, 1995 at 7:30 PM, Hoffman Home. Atty. Heiser will advertise and take care of getting stenographer. Beebe will contact Hoffman Home. Secretary will notify Bob Sharrah, Mark Lewis, and G.M. Boyle. County office comments have been rec'd; our Planning Commission has reviewed them.

Pine Bank Cemetery - As far as anyone can determine, this is not an abandoned cemetery. It is on the deed of Robert Dayhoff; no evidence it was ever sold off. Because it is on private property, can't be considered as abandoned. Moul says that legally and technically, Twp. can't spend Twp. money on private property. Dayhoff is not arguing that the cemetery is not on farm's deed, but feels Twp. should have a moral obligation to maintain. Beebe wants to do what is right; money is not the issue, as at present Twp. views as private property.

Codification - Has been dragging on for a long time. General Code is to be instructed to call Henry Heiser to get the answers they need.

New Business:

Glenn Snyder - For the last year and a half the County Association has been working on a brochure to hand out those moving here from urban areas. People don't understand how things differ when living in the country. "A Home in the Country" outlines water systems, septic systems, tax bills, volunteer fire companies, etc. Suggest Mount Joy Township hand these out with building permits.

Public Comments:

Sam Dayhoff - Read a letter from the Planning Commission inquiring as to the status of Mr. Beebe as an Planning Commission member. Planning Commission feels he should resign if he is unable to attend

meetings. Beebe responded that he should have written a letter, but he told them. Also inquired about the status of codification; why the books haven't been printed yet. A copy of the letter was given to the secretary to become part of the minutes.

Jack Sterling - Expressed appreciation to Bonnie Koontz for filling in for him during his recent illness. Also the two hearings (Stanley Wolf, Highland Ave. and G.S. Communications, Maitland Bros. Bldg.) scheduled for 9/25/95 have been canceled.

Dayhoff recommended that Jim Waybright be appointed to the Planning Commission. Mr. Waybright was instructed to write a letter for consideration.

Henry Henderson - Was advised by Henry Heiser to come to Twp. meeting about a neighbor building a road on their property. It has been an old dirt road on the Walker property which grows up with weeds in the summer. Twp. does not issue driveway permits. Jack Sterling to look into this.

Moul moved for adjournment at 8:30 PM. 2nd by Beebe, carried.

Submitted by Bonnie L. Koontz, secretary.