September 12, 1994

The Mount Joy Township Supervisors held their regular monthly meeting on October 10, 1994 at 7:30 p.m. at the Municipal Bldg. located at 902 Hoffman Home Road, Gettysburg, PA. All members were present.

The minutes of the last monthly meeting, August 8, 1994, were approved by motion of Beebe, 2nd by Moul, carried.

The Treasurer's Report and Bills to be Paid Report consisting of \$1,996.28 to be paid out of the Payroll Account, checks numbered 1341 through 1345; and \$41,439.77 to be paid out of the General Account, checks numbered 7019 through 7041, were approved by motion of Moul, 2nd by Snyder, carried.

Chairman Beebe recognized Fred Barrouk, who was present on behalf of Adams County Library. A year ago he requested Mount Joy Township to increase the annual donation from \$500 to \$1000 for the library Twp. donated \$750 this year which was appreciated. However, due to an anticipated deficit of \$14,200, requested 1994 donation to be increased to \$1,000 and \$1,000 in the budget for '95. After much discussion, motion by Moul to up the library donation for 1994 by \$150 and budget \$1000 in '95. 2nd by Beebe. All in favor, motion carried.

Chairman Beebe recognized Kathy Showvaker who was present on behalf the Gettysburg Rec. Park. Expressed that Rec. Dept. should have more of an area board and represent the total area. Made proposal to MJT board to have a representative from Mount Joy Twp. on the Rec board in order to get more people involved in planning. At present Rec. Board meets every 3rd Monday at 7:30, term in currently for 5 years. Moul feels there is nothing wrong with participation. Snyder expressed that there should be representation if there participation; thinks it is going to have to stay within school districts. Supervisors agreed to pursue having Mount Joy Township represented.

Subdivisions:

Dan Rodgers - Mylar copy of Ken Gerhart subd. needs signing. Supervisors and Floyd Huff of the Planning Commission signed.

Dayhoff-Cruetzer - Preliminary plan (Spielman property). County comments have been received. Snyder moved to accept the plan, pending DER approval. 2nd by Moul. Carried.

Road Report:

Crouse Rd. is ready to be paved. Paver will probably be in next week to work on Crouse, Solomon, Patterson and Low Dutch Roads. The gas company will take care of repairing cuts made on Bowers Rd.

Rt. 97 project is virtually complete except for lines and signs. Must have a final inspection by PennDot and supervisors. Finished about one month early. Fred Barrouk feels that exceptionally courteous people worked on this project.

Announcements:

Anyone wishing to enroll their property in the Ag Security Area program is to sign up now.

Old Business:

EMC still needed. Moul visited with solicitor Heiser and with Mary Bowers in the Emergency Management office. Was asked to find out if an EMC can be paid and reports that an EMC can be paid according to Act 45. It is appropriate to pay for seminars training and anything related to the position. There was some discussion as to whether one person could serve two Townships. Moul wants a legal opinion on this. Motion by Moul to pay the EMC, 2nd by Snyder. All in favor, motion carried. Decision on how much to pay will be made later.

A Building Permit and Zoning Officer is still needed.

Junk Yards - Frank Hartlaub has not yet returned his '95 application and fee. A certified letter will be sent giving him 20 days to do so.

Ron Plank was present a the August meeting with concerns about snow removal. Beebe reported that after talking with Terry Kelly, he has learned that a drift was left on the road because a car was left in the road and it was not possible for the plow truck to get around it on either side. There was no choice at the time but to back out and go on.

New Business:

A zoning request has been received. The zoning board chairman and attorney will be notified.

The new White Run development roads have yet been deeded to the Twp. Developer is to be contacted for a deed of dedication. Bond must not expire.

Moul reported that somebody is now driving over the curb from the White Road to Heritage Drive where the trees were cut out. Kevin Lanahan says that school children are going through to catch the school bus and the tracks might be from a mower.

Moul will see the solicitor regarding the Racine junk yard.

Snyder found six or eight bags of garbage along the road, mostly auto parts. Finding more and more things that are hard to get rid of dumped along road. A spring and mattress has been dumped on Low Dutch Road.

Public Comments:

Carol Holtz- There is a box of bottles on White Church Rd. Also wondered if there is an ordinance pertaining to stagnant water. The new golf course (along Goulden Rd. has a pool of stagnant water which has been there all summer; breeding ground for mosquitoes.

Don Moul - Every now and then someone talks to him about mowing. He and Snyder discussed this; everything has been mowed twice this year already. Will be mowed a third time. Anyone with complaints should tell the supervisors personally.

Motion by Snyder to adjourn at 9:12. 2nd by Moul. Carried.

Respectfully submitted by Bonnie L. Koontz, secretary