

**Barrett Township Supervisors
Minutes of Regular Meeting on July 27, 2022**

A regular meeting of the Barrett Township Supervisors was held on Wednesday, July 27, 2022, at the Municipal Building on Route 390 in Mountainhome, PA. The meeting was called to order at 8:00 a.m. by Vice Chairman Patti O'Keefe.

Present: Kelly Slinger, Patti O'Keefe, John Seese, Darryl Speicher, Jeryl Rinehart and the public. Pam Gardsy was absent.

There were no public comments on the agenda items.

The minutes of the July 13, 2022 Meeting and the July 20, 2022 Workshop Meeting were approved on a motion made by Patti O'Keefe and seconded by Kelly Slinger and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

John Seese made a motion to approve the payment of the following bills:

- July 12, 2022 - General Fund - \$ 6,932.86, Park and Recreation Fund - \$ 912.92, State Fund - \$ 15,850.04, Open Space Fund - \$ 85.00, Fire Fund - \$ 497.12, Library Fund - \$ 2,318.15, Ambulance Fund - \$ 771.78

The motion was seconded by Darryl Speicher and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

Reports:

a. The Police Report for June was read. On a motion made by Patti O'Keefe and seconded by Kelly Slinger and carried, the report was accepted as read. All Supervisors voted aye.

b. The Roadmaster's Report for June was read. On a motion made by Patti O'Keefe and seconded by Kelly Slinger and carried, the report was accepted as read. All Supervisors voted aye.

c. The High Acres Park Committee Meeting Minutes from June 29, 2022 were received. John Seese made a motion to accept the meeting minutes. The motion was seconded by Patti O'Keefe and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

Old Business:

a. It was noted that the Codification Public Hearing is scheduled for Wednesday, August 10, 2022 at 5:30 p.m.

New Business:

a. Patti O'Keefe made a motion to approve the payroll for July 12, 2022, in the amount of \$ 22,457.77 for gross wages, \$ 689.45 for state liability, \$ 5,469.32 for federal tax liability and \$ 17,676.68 for net wages. The motion was seconded by John Seese and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

b. A letter was received from the Monroe County Board of Assessment informing the Supervisors of a hearing scheduled for Wednesday, August 3, 2022 at 1:30 p.m. for their review of the P.I.L.O.T. agreement with Congregation OHR Menachem. Patti O'Keefe made a motion to request Solicitor Todd Weitzman attend the hearing. The motion was seconded by Darryl Speicher and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

c. A letter was received from Sabra Nagel from Cadence Sports requesting permission to have the Bike4Chai Event on Wednesday, August 17th and Thursday, August 18th to get PennDOT

approval. Patti O'Keefe made a motion to grant permission to have the Bike4Chai Event. The motion was seconded by John Seese and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

d. Darryl Speicher made a motion to approve the Fireworks Permit for Monday, August 13, 2022 at 10:00 p.m. for Skytop Lodge. The motion was seconded by Kelly Slinger and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

Correspondence:

a. A letter was received from PA DEP informing the Supervisors that the existing NPDES Permit was revised for the Surface Mining Permit for the Cresco Quarry Operation.

Miscellaneous:

a. It was noted that certificates of insurance were received from Ye Olde Village Workshop LLC, Reed Sign Company LLC, SLC Lawn Inc. and Pocono Mountain Regional Emergency Medical Services Inc.

Jamie Schneck and Melissa McKeon were present to express their concerns about the proposed Administrative and Recreation Complex on Spruce Cabin Road. Their concerns were traffic, people walking their dogs, biking, children playing, 8:00 a.m. meetings, bus stops, speeding, road maintenance, storm drainage cleaning, keeping the property as natural as possible by not removing trees for parking lots. They purchased their properties where they did for tranquility, limited noise, and decreased traffic. The Supervisors advised Jamie and Melissa to address letters to them with their concerns and that we are in the preliminary/early stages of the project and are looking for other potential sites.

As there was no further business, John Seese made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:27 a.m. The motion was seconded by Kelly Slinger and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

Respectfully submitted,

