

**Barrett Township Supervisors  
Minutes of Regular Meeting on October 9, 2024**

A Regular Meeting of the Barrett Township Supervisors was held on Wednesday, October 9, 2024, at the Municipal Building on Route 390 in Cresco, PA. The meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by Chairman Pam Gardsy.

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

There were no public comments on the agenda items.

The Minutes of the Workshop Meeting Minutes for September 18, 2025, and the Regular Meeting Minutes for September 25, 2024 were approved on a motion made by Pam Gardsy and seconded by John Seese and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

It was noted that there were no Bills.

**Reports:**

a. The Treasurer's Report for September was read. On a motion made by Pam Gardsy and seconded by Darryl Speicher and carried, the report was accepted as read. All Supervisors voted aye.

b. The S.E.O. (2), Zoning (10) and Building (12) Reports for September were read. On a motion made by Pam Gardsy and seconded by Kelly Slinger and carried, the reports were accepted as read. All Supervisors voted aye.

c. The Monthly Call Statistics for September were received from the Monroe County Control Center. On a motion made by Pam Gardsy and seconded by Kelly Slinger and carried, the report was accepted as read. All Supervisors voted aye.

**Old Business:**

a. Pam Gardsy made a motion to approve the renewal of the two-year Traffic Signal Maintenance Contract with Signal Service, Inc. The motion was seconded by John Seese and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

b. Pam Gardsy made a motion to table the resolution of the Pocono Mountain Regional Police Department 2025 Budget Draft. The motion was seconded by Patti O'Keefe and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

**New Business:**

a. Pam Gardsy made a motion to approve the payroll for September 17, 2024, in the amount of \$ 22,326.86 for gross wages, \$ 685.43 for state liability, \$ 4,954.46 for federal tax liability and \$ 17,372.40 for net wages. The motion was seconded by Kelly Slinger and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

b. A letter was received from PA Department of Transportation informing the Supervisors that the estimated Liquid Fuels allocation for 2025 is \$ 185,670.65.

c. John Seese made a motion to approve the well isolation waiver request for Lucille Brady at 3299 Spruce Cabin Road. The motion was seconded by Darryl Speicher and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

d. Pam Gardsy made a motion to approve the use of the auditorium for the Arts Tech Solutions theater program for their free promo day on Thursday, November 7, 2024. The motion was seconded by Kelly Slinger and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

e. A letter was received from the Rotary Club requesting a tree planting with a small plaque at the B.A.R.C. in memory of Suzy Buck. Pam Gardsy made a motion to approve the tree planting

contingent on the Supervisors and the Rotary Club deciding on the location. The motion was seconded by Darryl Speicher and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

Correspondence:

a. A letter was received from the Monroe County Conservation District informing the Supervisors that they conducted an inspection of earth disturbance activities at the Bestway Facility Expansion.

b. A letter was received from the Monroe County Conservation District informing the Supervisors that they conducted an inspection of earth disturbance activities at Hilfiger, 984 Fill Site.

c. A letter was received from the Monroe County Conservation District informing the Supervisors that they conducted an inspection of earth disturbance activities at the Spruce Lake Retreat, Cabins Project.

Miscellaneous:

a. It was noted that no certificates of insurance were received.

Andrea Hermes was present to ask the Supervisors to use space in the B.A.R.C. to store donated items until the donations can be transported to Lansing, North Carolina for the victims of Hurricane Helene. Pam Gardsy will post the information, and a list of items needed on the website and social media. Pam Gardsy made a motion to participate in the hurricane relief and offer space for the supplies. The motion was seconded by Kelly Slinger and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

As there was no further business or public comment, Pam Gardsy made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:53 p.m. The motion was seconded by Kelly Slinger and carried. All Supervisors voted aye.

Respectfully submitted,

