

**LATIMORE TOWNSHIP  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

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Regular Meeting 6:00 P.M.

June 21, 2010

Present: Chairman Daniel “Dan” Worley, Vice-Chairman Larry Dost, Supervisor Woody Myers, Secretary Valena Garlin, Solicitor Guy Beneventano and visitors listed on the attendance sheet. Township Engineer John Shambaugh attended Executive Session at 5:00 P.M.; however, he was unable to attend the Regular Meeting.

Chairman Worley called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M. and led everyone present in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Chairman Worley made a motion 1) to approve the Minutes from the May 10, 2010 Meeting and 2) to approve the Treasurer’s Report of May 31, 2010. The motion was seconded by Woody and carried unanimously.

**PUBLIC COMMENT (1)** in reference to agenda items only.

None

**POLICE REPORT**

**Chief Michael Weigand** submitted the following report:

For the period of May 7, 2010 – June 19, 2010 there were 200 calls for service, 6,912 miles patrolled and 391 man-hours logged. There were 91 traffic citations issued, 22 warnings for various traffic violations, eight (8) non-traffic citations and a couple criminal arrests. The Department participated in two (2) D.U.I. Details sponsored by the Center of Highway Traffic Safety and eight (8) Details for the U.S. Marshall Service. Chief Weigand noted the numbers are high because this reporting period was longer than usual.

The Department assisted the U.S. Marshall Service in a special operation during the month of June by verifying all sex offenders in Adams County and parts of York County. Vice-Chairman Dost asked about reimbursement from Adams County. Chief Weigand responded the U.S. Marshall Service provides reimbursement. He also noted the Center of Highway Traffic Safety provides reimbursement for sponsored D.U.I. Details. Larry inquired about turn-around. Chief Weigand responded that turn-around usually takes about 30 days and time is not recorded by the Township until reimbursement is received.

Five (5) fireworks permits have been issued for the 4<sup>th</sup> of July holiday season. One (1) request was received today (June 21, 2010) and Chief Weigand asked permission to review the site even though the 30-day notice has passed. The Supervisors agreed that he could proceed accordingly.

National Night Out is scheduled for August 3, 2010 at the Ball Park in Lake Meade beginning at 6:00 P.M. Informational fliers are available for distribution.

The Department has been active in construction zones. Larry asked if the reduced speed limit is enforced only during active working hours. Chief Weigand responded the speed limit is whatever is posted whether the zone is active or not. He clarified that fines are doubled and an automatic 15-day suspension applies when the zone is active; otherwise, a regular speeding ticket is issued.

House Bill 2246, which increases the penalties for violation of Duty of Driver to Emergency Service Vehicles (moving into the left lane if possible when passing an Emergency Service Vehicle stopped on the side of the road), was passed by the Senate Transportation Committee last week and is currently in Appropriations. When passed by Appropriations, the Bill will come before the full Senate for a vote on final passage, then onto the Governor's desk. Chief Weigand noted the Bill has been named for his son, Mike, Jr.

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Engineer's Report:** No report; Township Engineer John Shambaugh was unable to attend.

**Road Report:** Woody reported the Road Crew has been getting ready to tar and chip the roads scheduled for this summer, mowing and attending to routine road maintenance.

**Park Report:** Woody reported the walking trail is completely installed and is being used and enjoyed. The crew has re-seeded around the trail and the final installment of grant money from The Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR) is forthcoming..

### **SOLICITOR'S REPORT – Guy Beneventano**

No report

### **PLANNING COMMISSION:** subdivisions/modules/land developments

No business

### **OLD BUSINESS**

None

### **NEW BUSINESS**

**Advertise for Salt Bids:** Dan made a motion to advertise for salt bids and open them at the next meeting. Woody seconded. All agreed and the motion carried.

### **BILLS LIST**

After brief discussion and careful review by all, Larry made a motion, seconded by Woody, to approve the Bills List as submitted. The motion carried unanimously.

### **PUBLIC COMMENT (2)**

Two (2) women from the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA) were at the meeting to inform the Supervisors about the service they provide to Adams County townships. There is a cost when the SPCA is called out by State Police for stray animals. They said many townships in Adams County are paying \$.50 per capita. It was noted Police Chief Michael Weigand has been very helpful in catching dogs and finding their owners. However, when he is unsuccessful in finding the owner he takes them to an SPCA shelter. The SPCA charges the owner \$10 per day until the animal is picked up. The SPCA would rather not do a pay-for-

service fee at this time since more tracking and paperwork is required on their part. The Supervisors will have the Solicitor check if there is an ordinance requiring owners be responsible for their animals.

**SUPERVISORS' COMMENTS**

Larry made a motion to have Township Engineer John Shambaugh update the Non-Conforming Use List. Woody seconded and the motion carried by unanimous vote.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

There will be a brief Executive Session following adjournment.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Dan made a motion, seconded by Woody, to adjourn. All agreed, the motion carried and the meeting adjourned at 6:42 P.M.

The next Regular Meeting is Monday, July 12, 2010 at 6:00 P.M.