

Laporte Township
April 2, 2024
Monthly Meeting Minutes

The Laporte Township Monthly Supervisors Meeting was called to order at 9:02 a.m. by Chairman Jeff Hamilton, who also led the Pledge of Allegiance. Supervisors Leo Fiester and Richard Marks and Secretary Kathy Klim were also in attendance. There were no visitors.

Richard Marks moved to approve the agenda with an additional item to consider an emergency computer purchase. Seconded by Leo Fiester, the motion passed.

A motion was made by Richard Marks and seconded by Leo Fiester to approve the March Meeting Minutes as corrected. All being in favor, the motion passed.

A motion was made by Richard Marks and seconded by Leo Fiester to approve the Treasurer's Report. The motion passed.

Leo Fiester made a motion to pay the monthly bills. This motion was seconded by Richard Marks, and the motion passed.

General Bills:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Sullivan County Rural Electric	Check	ACH	03/11/2024	\$ 194.31
Visa	Check	EFT	03/11/2024	90.94
Cleveland Brothers	Check	13279	04/01/2024	5,625.57
Farrell Auto Supply	Check	13280	04/01/2024	405.28
Service Tire Truck Centers	Check	13281	04/01/2024	57.50
Sullivan Review	Check	13282	04/01/2024	284.00
Superior Plus Energy Services	Check	13283	04/01/2024	1,093.18
Superior Plus	Check	13284	04/01/2024	<u>599.57</u>
				<u>\$8,350.33</u>

State Bills:

Superior Plus Energy Check 5533 03/29/2024 \$75.84

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Review of Permits:

Driveway Permit:

None

Land Use Permits:

Construction Permits (from Code Inspections):

Marshall Cook, 164 Pioneer Trail

Certificate of Occupancy:

Fred Brosius, 112 Kemery Lane, Dushore

Jeremy & Misty Vandine, 2588 Nordmont Road

COG Meeting Report:

The COG meeting was held on 03/26/2024. The three Sullivan County Commissioners; Carl Vough, and Jeff Hamilton were in attendance, as well as Barry Garverick (Penn DOT) and Rick Rexer. The COG received two bids, which did not overlap. Both bids were approved.

Old Business:

Berkheimer Proposals: Kathy will talk to the representative at the PSATS convention regarding Digitization of Township Records.

Road Report

We fixed potholes on Lake Road, Pole Bridge Road, the end of Murray Road, and fixed a trench on Karge Road. We received approval from Rich Glinski to stockpile stone on Mead Road trail head.

New Business:

We do not need to change the May meeting date. It will remain scheduled for May 7th, 2024.

Substantial software corruption compromised the primary township computer in March preventing the township secretary from performing many tasks. A motion was made by Leo Fiester to purchase a replacement computer, monitor, keyboard, and mouse from Calaman Computers for an estimated price of \$1,000. This was seconded by Richard Marks. The motion carried.

Review Correspondence

Adjournment