

GIBSON TOWNSHIP JUNE MINUTES

Monday, July 18, 2022

Present: Jeff Snell (Supervisor), Dave Ellenberger (Supervisor), Heather Williams (Secretary/Treasurer)

Absent: Scott Yandric (Supervisor)

Visitors: Scott Strayer, Michele Snell, Greg & Lori March, Karen Horning, Bob Graham, Kim Yandric, Joe Lowe, the Snyders, Woody Barefoot, Connie Barefoot, Gaylord Mclsaac Jr

Jeff Snell called the meeting to order at 7 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

APPROVAL OF JUNE 2022 MINUTES

- Motion made to accept by Dave, seconded by Jeff.
- All in favor, aye, passed, motion carried.

APPROVAL OF JUNE 2022 TREASURER'S REPORT

Question regarding Jerry Run account: Treasurer transferred money from General Fund into Jerry Run account on accident. Money should have been FROM Jerry Run TO General Fund. This will show corrected in July Treasurer's Report.

- Motion made to accept by Dave, seconded by Jeff.
- All in favor, aye, passed, motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE

Affordable Connectivity Program - \$30 monthly credit for internet service for households that are eligible for SNAP, Medicaid, SSI, WIC, Veteran's or Survivor benefits. Contact your Internet provider or go to fcc.gov/acp.

ROADMASTER REPORT

We do not have a Roadmaster right now. Our crew (Steven and Justin) is currently working on Grove Rd cleaning ditches with backhoe. Once finished we will begin a priority project from PennDOT to fix potholes/ruts at the bend on Huston Hill Rd near Stein Ln. We have permission from Scott Stein to stockpile materials there during this project.

- Who to contact for fallen trees/bad roads? Call the shed and leave a message.
- Mix Run Rd everywhere pipes run, roads are needs blacktopped.
- Huston Hill Rd sign is missing and needs replaced.
- Nanny Run project timeline? Not on calendar but will be next project to be scheduled. This is a DCNR project.
- Do we contract work out? Lumber and Grove do help but are currently working on own projects
- JYS logger has not come back to fix Sheddy/Huston/Mason. We had potholes painted. We still hold bond. He said will be out by middle of Aug. We want him out in July, has to fix the roads for the residents.
- Why mowing instead of fixing pot holes? Both need to be done. Next project has to be PennDOT priority project. LF pays out according to population and miles of road. We have a lot of roads but we do not have the population.
- Total cost of Mason Hill Rd project – ballpark figure ~\$119,000.

OLD BUSINESS

Trash related:

- Concerns over seasonal residents leaving trash out and animals getting into bags. Add notice in with trash billing next year: Should be in an animal-proof container, there is an ordinance for this in place already.
- At the last meeting, we voted to sell the trash truck, get dumpsters and fence in the area to help alleviate paying ~\$600 in OT to pinch trash.
 - Fence will be 8ft high and have 3 roll gates (12 ft wide).
 - The cameras we purchased last year will be installed – this is to help identify people littering. State Police will only pursue if we can show proof
 - Figuring out what to do about hours of operation – do we just keep open during crew work hours (M-F 7-3), how do we accommodate the weekend dumpers?

- Clean Up Days – Should we have someone there to verify they are a Gibson resident/camper with an up-to-date trash account?

NEW BUSINESS

There was no motion to adopt the countywide hazard plan. This is tabled until August meeting.

ADJOURN MEETING

- Motion to adjourn July meeting made by Dave, seconded by Jeff.
- All in favor, aye, passed, motion carried.

Next meeting is scheduled for August 15th at 7p.m.

Respectfully submitted by:

Heather Williams
Secretary Treasurer
Gibson Township