## Center Township Board of Supervisors July 11, 2023 Minutes

A business meeting of the Center Township Board of Supervisors was held on Tuesday, July 11, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. at the Township Office in Rogersville. Present were Harry D. Gillispie, Chairman, Paul Cook, Vice Chairman, Daniel R. Stoneking, Supervisor and N. Dawn Horr, Secretary. Darlene Horr was the only visitor present.

Dan made a motion to approve the minutes of the June business meeting as read. Paul seconded and the motion was carried unanimously.

Dan made a motion to approve the bills as presented. Paul seconded and the motion was carried unanimously.

Darlene was present to express concern over the condition of Tower Road. The board explained that there are plans to mill and roll the problem areas and it would then be oiled and chipped. Darlene also mentioned a narrow area below her driveway and the board agreed to inspect the area in question.

Bids for the paving project on a portion of Morris Run Road were received from Morgan Excavating for \$112,550.00 and El Grande Industries for \$124,850.00. Paul made a motion to award the contract to Morgan Excavating. Dan seconded and the motion was carried unanimously.

Dan made a motion to adopt the revised weight limit ordinance 1-2023. Paul seconded and the motion was carried unanimously.

There were no code enforcement activities in the past month. One building permit was issued for a generator upgrade at the cellphone tower site on Tower Road. The engineering report was reviewed with updates on the sewer expansion project and the proposed bridge replacement on Grinnage Run Road.

Equipment purchases were discussed. The board is currently researching a mowing machine instead of buying a new tractor. The machine is multi-functional depending on the attachments and can be used year-round instead of just for mowing. The board is looking to replace the 2014 Massey Ferguson with the boom mower.

It was discussed to invest in certificates of deposit with First National Bank to earn better interest for the township funds. Paul made a motion to invest funds from the Capital Reserve Fund, Fire Fund, General Fund and Sewer Fund. Dan seconded and the motion was carried unanimously.

Paul made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Dan and the meeting was adjourned at 5:17 p.m.

Secretary