

COMMISSIONERS MEETING JANUARY 9, 2020

(live streamed)

The Greene County Commissioners Agenda meeting was brought to order at 10:00 am by Chairman Mike Belding in the first-floor meeting room of the County office building. Others in attendance were: Commissioner Betsy McClure, Commissioner Blair Zimmerman, Chief Clerk Jeff Marshall, Steve Barrett, Ami Cree, Carol Gooden, Lu Lewis, Terry Hoyle, Cory Grandel, Sarah Penich, George Scull, Bob Niedbala, TR Moore Keith McClure, Heaven Sensky, Nicolas Hood, Caroline White-Nockleby and Members of the Press.

Terry Hoyle, President of the Greene County Veterans Council and Member of Waynesburg VFW led the pledge of allegiance.

MINUTES - Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to approve the minutes from the previous meeting. Vote unanimous.

FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION

1. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to appoint Gene Grim as Greene County Solicitor. Vote unanimous.
2. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to appoint Widmer Engineering as the Greene County Bridge Engineer. Vote unanimous.
3. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to approve the change of dates for the January 22nd Agenda meeting to January 29th and the January 23rd Commissioners Board meeting, Salary, Retirement, and Prison Board meetings to January 30th. Vote unanimous.
4. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to appoint Mike Belding to the Southwest Planning Commission. Vote unanimous.

5. Commissioner Blair Zimmerman made the motion and Commissioner Mike Belding the second to appoint Betsy McClure to the Southwest Planning Commission. Vote unanimous.
6. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to reappoint to the following to the Tax Abatement Board. Vote unanimous.
 - a. John Mariner
 - b. Melissa Kelsey
7. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to accept the resignation of Denzil McIntire to the IDA Board. Vote unanimous.

CONSERVATION

1. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to appoint Mike Belding to the Conservation District Board as a Commissioner Representative. Vote unanimous.
2. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to appoint Melissa Adamson to the Conservation District Board to replace Mike Belding, farmer slot. Vote unanimous.
3. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to appoint Greg Hopkins to the Conservation District Board to replace Jim Jones, farmer slot. Vote unanimous.

TOURISM

1. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to appoint the following to the Tourist Promotion Agency Board. Vote unanimous.
 - a. Don Chappel
 - b. Matt Cumberledge
 - c. Derek Garcia
 - d. Christy Orndorff
 - e. Kevin Paul

CDBG

1. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to approve Mike Belding, as the Chief Elected Official to execute all Community Development Block Grant Programs. Vote unanimous.

BRIDGES

1. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to approve the change order for Bridge No. 8, located in Perry Township from \$689,233.00 to \$662,231.74. Vote unanimous.

RECREATION

1. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to approve the 2020 Drag Races contract with the Greene County Airport. Vote unanimous.

EMA

1. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to approve the update to the comprehensive emergency plan. Vote unanimous.
2. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to approve the signatory powers to Jeffrey A. Marshall for Emergency Management Performance Grant. Vote unanimous.

CYS

1. Commissioner Blair Zimmerman made the motion and Commissioner Mike Belding the second to appoint Betsy McClure to the CYS Advisory Board. Vote unanimous.

HUMAN SERVICES

1. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to approve Resolution for PA Department of Transportation for the Assignment of Roles in DOTGRANTS. Vote unanimous.
2. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to appoint the following Board Members to the Human Services Advisory Board. Vote unanimous.
 - a. Rev. James Cherry
 - b. Lettica Torres
 - c. George Blystone
 - d. Susan Swinchock
 - e. Nancy Riggle
3. Commissioner Blair Zimmerman made the motion and Commissioner Mike Belding the second to appoint Betsy McClure to the Human Services Advisory Board. Vote unanimous.

MENTAL HEALTH AND INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES

1. Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to approve FY19/20 Contract with Intermediate Unit One. Vote unanimous.

NOTICES

1. CNX submitting an application for approval of alternate method plat for Daniel R. Finnegan #2 API# 37-059-01907 located in Richhill Township.
2. PA DEP notification of significant technical deficiencies with application No. E30052-265, Wisecarver Recreation Site, Franklin Township.
3. EQM Gatherings is applying for coverage under the Erosion and Sediment Control General Permit for Throckmorton to Dominion Tap, Franklin Township.
4. Equitrans Midstream Holdings, LLC is applying for coverage under the Erosion and Sediment Control General Permit, for Briggs to Beta Pipeline Project Major Modifications, Aleppo Township.
5. EQM Gathering Opco, LLC is requesting to renew a General Plan Approval and Operating Permit from the PA DEP Air Quality Program for the continued operation of existing equipment at Pipers Ridge Interconnect in Morgan Township.
6. CNX Gas is proposing to repair a slope failure on existing GH-2 Well Pad in Center Township.
7. EQM Gathering OPCO, LLC is applying for coverage under the General Permit WMGR123, from PA DEP for Perch Storage Facility located in Aleppo Township.
8. EQT Production Company, is applying for coverage under the General Permit WMGR123, from the PA DEP for Magnum Aboveground Storage Tank, located in Center Township.
9. PA DEP is notifying us Consol PA Coal Company, LLC is applying for a mining activity permit for Bailey Mine and Prep Plant located in Richhill Township.
10. Duquesne Light Company is submitting a coal completion report to PA DEP requesting stage I & II bond release for a portion of the Warwick No. 2 Coal Refuse Area located approximately 1-mile northwest of Greensboro, PA
11. PA Department of Transportation intends to submit a BMW-GP-11 General Registration application for a PA DEP protection Chapter 105 Water Obstruction and Encroachment Permit at a US Army Corps of Engineers Section 404 Permit to the PA DEP for S.R. 3001 Section X10 over Crabapple Creek, in Richhill Township.

12. CNX is applying to renew a Permit to Drill and Operate Gas Wells for Cornhein NINV017CHSUT in Morris Township.

PUBLIC COMMENT

(This is a summary of the comments and replies made during the public comment portion of the Public Meeting. Please refer to actually recording of the Meeting for actual dialog.)

George Scull asked if Melissa Adamson is qualified to fill the Farmers slot on the Conservation District Board. Commissioner Mike Belding stated that if qualifications could not be met, she would be a public board member.

Bob Niedbala questioned the residency of Greg Hopkins. Commissioner Mike Belding stated that he has residency.

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Betsy McClure made the motion and Commissioner Blair Zimmerman the second to adjourn. Vote unanimous.