

The South Newton Township (SNT) Board of Supervisors (BOS) met at the Township Building, 11 High Mountain Road, Walnut Bottom, PA. Chairman David **Durff** called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. with the pledge of allegiance. Board members present were Chairman David **Durff**, Supervisor Glenn **Keefe**, Supervisor Wayne **Shoemaker**, and Solicitor Marcus **McKnight**.

**MINUTES OF March 20, 2012 – Supervisor Glenn KEEFER motioned to accept the minutes of February 21, 2012, Supervisor Wayne SHOEMAKER seconded, the motion passed.**

**1. PUBLIC COMMENT – None**

**2. BILL LIST F/March 20, 2012 – Supervisor Glenn KEEFER motioned to approve the Bill List f/March, 2012, in the amount of \$8,772.74. Supervisor Wayne SHOEMAKER seconded, the motion passed unanimously.**

**3. TREASURERS REPORT – Total Township Funds as of March 31, 2012, \$23,241.80**

**4. ROADMASTER REPORT – March 21, 2012 - April 17 20, 2012 – 60.5 man-hours.**  
Picked up and delivered totes. Fixed/replaced 3 signs, took blades and spreader of trucks, put mower on trackless. Cleaned drain on Hammond road, flagged for Southampton Township.  
**Chairman David DURFF motioned to accept the Roadmaster Report, Supervisor Wayne SHOEMAKER seconded, the motion carried.**

**5. SOLICITOR'S REPORT –**

➤ **DELINQUENT GARBAGE COLLECTION ACCOUNTS –**

➤ **Solicitor McKNIGHT discussed over due accounts. Chairman David DURFF motioned to have Solicitor McKnight file claims against D. Wiser and G. Dietch, which will include filing costs, Supervisor Wayne SHOEMAKER seconded, motion carried.**

➤ **PAST DUE STREET LIGHTS, 2010 & 2011 – Chairman David DURFF motioned to send letters to continue to collect on the remaining outstanding street light accounts, with filing costs. Supervisor Wayne SHOEMAKER seconded, motion carried.**

➤ Jambeth contacted the Township regarding the bond. **Solicitor McKnight** will look into the bond situation.

**6. SEWAGE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER (SEO) REPORT – None**

➤ **ZONING OFFICER (ZO) REPORT – SNT ZO three (3) Building Permits, five (5) Certificate of Occupancies, and one (1) Variance**

➤ **Certificate of Occupancies Issued to:** Cheryl Baker, Shippensburg, Janey Thrush, Shippensburg and Levi Newswanger, Shippensburg

➤ **Building Permits:**

**Z-12-03 – Hope Manning, 207 W. Main Street, Shippensburg, PA 17257**

**Z-12-04 - Hope Manning, 207 W. Main Street, Shippensburg, PA 17257**

**Z-12-05 – Stephen Maciejewski, 2186 Ritner Highway, Shippensburg, PA 17257**

7. **CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER (CEO) – CEO Mattesky** stated that he spoke to Ellie McDermott briefly regarding this situation next door.

CEO Mattesky stated he will be making calls regarding dog kennel inspections.

8. **ZONING & HEARING BOARD REPORT –**

Dave Evelhoch stated there will be a variance hearing on April 24, 2012 at 7:00, with a working session beginning at 6:30 p.m.

*Chairman David DURFF motioned to appoint Dale Weller as a Zoning Hearing Board Alternate Member, Supervisor Wayne SHOEMAKER seconded, motion carried.* Dave Evelhoch stated that he will be checking with Tom Holmes to see if he would be interested as well.

9. **FIRE REPORT –** SNTVFC reported 12 Fire/Accident Responses, 7 Medical Assist, 2 Training, 0 Fire Related Injuries, Fire Loss - **\$21,000.00.**

10. **NEW BUSINESS:**

**RECYCLING GRANT:** Supervisor DURFF stated he and Supervisor SHOEMAKER attended the pre-application workshop on April 3, 2012 from 9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. to review the requirements for the Recycling Grant. The Trash Hauler will need to report tonnage to each Township and this information needed to be submitted by February 15, 2012, with a report due to the State by April 1<sup>st</sup>. *Solicitor McKnight* will contact Tom Ginnick, Southampton Township regarding the requirements.

**JUNK ORDINANCE: TABLED**

**MEMORIAL DAY PARADE –** Chairman DURFF thanked ZEO Harry Nenninger for getting \$1,700.00 in donations for the Memorial Day Parade. Motion made by Chairman DURFF to send thank you letters and/or certificates to the donators, Supervisor Wayne SHOEMAKER seconded, motion carried.

11. **OLD BUSINESS:**

12. **SECRETARYS COMMENTS – none**

13. **SUPERVISORS COMMENTS –**

Chairman DURFF asked Dave Evelhoch to thank the Trinity United Methodist church members who were involved in the Adopt a Highway.

Residents of Big Pond Road expressed their concern regarding the condition of the road. The Supervisors will look at the road condition and see what can be done.

The Supervisors discussed a work session to survey the roads. May 9, 2012 at 9:00 a.m. the Supervisors will meet to review road conditions.

*Supervisor DURFF made a motion to have Down to Earth come back and spray the guardrails and bamboo, Supervisor Wayne SHOEMAKER seconded, motion carried.*

**ADJOURNMENT:** The public meeting was adjourned at **8:00 P.M.**

In Attendance:

Donna Brobst, 32 West Main Street, Walnut Bottom, PA  
Harry Nenninger, P.O. Box 4, Walnut Bottom, PA  
Dave Evelhoch, 434 Mountain View Road, Shippensburg, PA  
Linda Moore, 89 E. Main Street, Walnut Bottom, PA  
Melody & Rob Mattesky, 3 Antler Court, Shippensburg, PA  
Dan Burkett, 438 Mountain View Road, Shippensburg, PA  
Laura & Mike Loose, 246 Big Pond Road, Shippensburg, PA  
Fred Koser, 236 Big Pond Road, Shippensburg, PA

Respectfully Submitted by

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Trena R. Durff, Secretary