

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 **Keefer**, Supervisor Leroy **BOWERMASTER**, and Solicitor Marcus **McKnight**.

1. **PUBLIC COMMENT** – Bill Hutchinson, along with Zoning Officer Nenninger, asked the Board to determine if the requested structure at 223 Horsekiller Road, would be considered a front yard or a back yard. After discussion *Supervisor Glenn KEEFER motioned to have the Zoning Officer issue a permit, as requested, to Mr. Hutchinson, Supervisor Leroy BOWERMASTER seconded, motion carried.*
2. **MINUTES OF March 19, 2013** – Supervisor Glenn KEEFER *motioned to accept the minutes of March 19, 2013, Chairman David DURFF seconded, the motion passed.*
3. **BILL LIST F/April 16, 2013** – Supervisor Glenn KEEFER *motioned to approve the Bill List f/April 16, 2013, in the amount of \$17,200.87. Chairman David DURFF seconded, the motion passed unanimously.*
4. **TREASURERS REPORT** – Total Township Funds as of March 31, 2013 - \$65,337.55.
5. **ROADMASTER REPORT – March 20 – April 16, 2013 –73 man-hours.**
Picked up and delivered totes. Mixed anti-skid, got new lights for 03 and skids for 03 & 04. Fixed sign on Hammond Road, put broom on E-2.. *Chairman David DURFF motioned to accept the Roadmaster Report, Supervisor Leroy BOWERMASTER seconded, the motion carried.*
6. **SOLICITOR’S REPORT** –
 - **DELINQUENT GARBAGE COLLECTION ACCOUNTS** –
 - *Solicitor Marcus McKNIGHT discussed over due accounts.*
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 - 2012 Street Light – *Solicitor McKnight* stated that G. Deitch remains unpaid.
 - Solicitor McKnight stated he is continuing to work on the EIT/LST issue and JWP requests.
7. **SEWAGE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER (SEO) REPORT** – none
8. **CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER (CEO)** – none
9. **ZONING OFFICER (ZO) REPORT** – SNT ZO (0) Building Permit, two (2) Certificates of Occupancy.
 - **Certificate of Occupancies Issued to:**
Z-12-25 – Burkholder, 192 E. Main Street, Walnut Bottom, PA 17266
Z-13-04 – F. Horst, 145 Mountain View Road, Shippensburg, PA 1757

➤ **Building Permits:**

Zoning Officer stated that the Code Enforcement Officer requested an investigation of a compliant of hauling garbage and tires unto the property, as the CO was out of town. The ZO visited 1844 Ritner Highway and did not find any tires and nothing unusual. Chairman DURFF requested that the person making the compliant be notified of results.

10. ZONING & HEARING BOARD REPORT – none

11. FIRE REPORT – SNTVFC reported 16 Fire/Accident Responses, 1 Medical Assist, 5 Training, 0 Service Detail, 0 Parade, **0** Fire Related Injuries, Fire Loss **\$0.00**

12. NEW BUSINESS:

Exemption Forms - Hazel Rinaldi – *Supervisor Glenn KEEFER motioned to approve the trash exemption for Hazel Rinaldi, Supervisor Leroy BOWERMASTER seconded, motion carried.*

13. OLD BUSINESS: - None

14. SECRETARYS COMMENTS –

15. SUPERVISORS COMMENTS –

Chairman DURFF made a motion to replace the broom on the trackless, Supervisor Glenn KEEFER seconded, motion carried.

Chairman DURFF made a motion to fix the hydraulics on the backhoe, Supervisor Glenn KEEFER seconded, motion carried.

Supervisor Glenn KEEFER made a motion to repair the brakes on the backhoe, if under \$3,000.00, Supervisor Leroy BOWERMASTER seconded, motion carried.

Chairman DURFF made a motion to blast and paint the snowplows, Supervisor Glenn KEEFER seconded, motion carried.

Chairman Durff stated there are serious leaks on the township building roof. He is getting prices on repair/replacement.

Chairman DURFF stated that EMC Burkett has received a certificate of completion as a “Professional” Trainer.

Supervisor Glenn KEEFER motioned to reimburse Rob Mattesky, CEO \$20.00 for the phone system he gave to the township, Supervisor Leroy BOWERMASTER seconded, motion carried.

Chairman DURFF inquired to Solicitor McKNIGHT of a letter that he had sent out in the past to residents who did not have trash service or an exemption. Solicitor McKNIGHT requested those names and addresses be emailed to him and he will send the letter.

Chairman DURFF inquired to Zoning Officer Nenninger if Mr. Harvey Hoover ever obtained a permit for the structure on his property? ZO Nenninger stated he did get a permit.

Mr. Nenninger stated that we are fortunate to have dedicated men and women for a small township. Chairman DURFF stated we are fortunate with all our community service.

ADJOURNMENT: The public meeting was adjourned at **7:40 P.M.**

In Attendance:

Harry Nenninger, P.O. Box 4, Walnut Bottom, PA 17266
Donna Brobst, 32 West Main Street, Walnut Bottom, PA 17266
Dave Evelhoch, 434 Mountain View Road, Shippensburg, PA 17257
Bill Hutchinson, P.O. Box 341 Shippensburg, PA 17257

Respectfully Submitted by _____
Trena R. Durff, Secretary