

The South Newton Township (SNT) Board of Supervisors (BOS) met at the South Newton Township Building, 11 High Mountain Road, Shippensburg, 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 Leroy **Bowermaster**, and Solicitor Marcus **McKnight**.

**1. MEETING MINUTES – September 15, 2015**

*Supervisor Leroy BOWERMASTER motioned to accept the minutes of September 15, 2015 meeting minutes Chairman David DURFF seconded, the motion passed.*

**2. EMS Report** – Bobby Van Scyoc reported 5 EMS calls for September, with a year to date total of 45. November 15<sup>th</sup> the membership letters will be mailed for 2016.

**FIRE REPORT - September** – SNTVFC reported 20 Fire/Accident Responses, 6 Medical Assist, 480 Training Hours, 0 Fire Police Incident, 0 Stand By, 0 Service Detail, 0 Public Relations Event, 0 Parade, 0 Fire Preventions, 0 Fire Related Injuries, Fire Loss **\$0.00**

Will Davis, Company 49, presented the Township with a thank you letter from the Fire Company for installing and taking the lead with the dry hydrant project.

**3. PUBLIC COMMENT** – Dave Evelhoch stated there will be an electronics recycling at the Carlisle Fairgrounds on October 24<sup>th</sup> from 8 – 2.

Harry Nenninger stated the High Mountain Road paving job, was a super good job! Chairman Durff stated they are working on the shoulders.

**4. BILL LIST F/ October 20, 2015 –**

*Supervisor Leroy BOWERMASTER motioned to approve the Bill List f/, October 20, 2015, with correction, in the amount of \$6,674.13. Chairman David DURFF seconded, all in favor, motion carried.*

**5. TREASURERS REPORT** – Total Township Funds as of September 30, 2015 - \$153,863.88

**6. ROADMASTER REPORT – September 15, 2015 – October 20, 2015- 108.5 man-hours.**  
Picked up and delivered totes. Cleared brush and tree limbs on Township Roads, Leveled 2 loads of millings along shoulder on High Mountain Road.

**7. SOLICITOR'S REPORT –**

➤ **DELINQUENT GARBAGE COLLECTION ACCOUNTS** – Letters were mailed to delinquent accounts.

Solicitor McKnight stated Southampton will be bidding out the contract for Trash Collection for 2016. There are several other companies interested in our business, and Solicitor McKnight is expecting competitive prices.

Mr. Schneider's account status – Solicitor McKnight spoke to Constable Preston regarding the Public Sale of Mr. Schneider's property. Constable Preston turned in \$100.00 in cash, minus costs of Sale to Solicitor McKnight. Funds were provided to Township.

Solicitor McKnight stated the hearing against Mr. Wall and RLH Construction is scheduled for October 27, 2015 at 10:30 am. JWP spoke to Solicitor McKnight and stated the new septic was to be installed tomorrow, or this week.

Solicitor McKnight is working on the documents for the Henry Thissen litigation.

- 8. SEWAGE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER (SEO) REPORT – None**
- 9. CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER (CEO) - None**
- 10. ZONING OFFICER (ZO) REPORT – SNT ZO one (1) Building Permits, three (3) Occupancy Permits, and one (1) Conditional Use**

**Building Permits:**

Z-15-20 – J. Dupler, 50 Fleck Drive, Shippensburg, PA 17257

**Occupancy Permit:**

Z-15-15 – L. Callan, 52 Water Street, Walnut Bottom, PA 17266

Z-15-09 – G. Dupert, 339 High Mountain Road, Shippensburg, PA 17257

Z-14-27 – J. Zimmerman, 5 Firehouse Road, Walnut Bottom, PA 17266

**Conditional Use:**

C.U. 14-03 – David & Joel Zimmerman, 5 Firehouse Road, Walnut Bottom, PA 17266

- 11. ZONING & HEARING BOARD REPORT – None**

**12. NEW BUSINESS:**

*Budget Meeting - Chairman David DURFF motioned to set the 2016 Budget Meeting for November 9, 2015 at 7:00 p.m., Supervisor Leroy BOWERMASTER seconded, motion carried.*

**13. OLD BUSINESS: - none**

- 14. SECRETARYS COMMENTS - Secretary Durff presented the PSATS Election form for vote by the Board.**

Cumberland County Commissioners has decided to withdraw from the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission.

**15. SUPERVISORS COMMENTS –**

*Chairman DURFF motioned to waive the \$825.00/day penalty Wilson Paving would be assessed, due to not completing by September 24<sup>th</sup>. Supervisor Leroy BOWERMASTER seconded, motion carried.*

Chairman DURFF stated the invoice came in higher than the estimate, as additional skimming was needed. *Chairman DURFF motioned to pay the additional \$9,000.00, Supervisor Leroy BOWERMASTER seconded, motion carried.*

The next Bi-Centennial meeting will be held on November 10<sup>th</sup> at the firehouse.

*Chairman DURFF motioned to have Alpha Space place single lines on the new section of High Mountain Road, McCullough Road, Goodhart Road, and Maple Avenue. Supervisor Leroy BOWERMASTER seconded, motion carried.*

The Township has received 11 loads of millings from Penn Dot as of this date. The millings are free. Wilson Paving quoted millings per load to be \$14.00/ton. *Chairman DURFF motioned to purchase a \$100.00 gift certificate as a thank you. Supervisor Leroy BOWERMASTER seconded, motion carried.*

*Supervisor Leroy BOWERMASTER motioned to get a price for lights at the salt bin, if under \$500.00, proceed with purchase. Chairman DURFF seconded, motion carried.*

*Chairman DURFF motioned to have all lights in the garage replaced with LED lights. Cost will be between \$2,000.00 - \$2,500.00. Supervisor Leroy BOWERMASTER seconded, motion carried.*

David Schneider approached the Board to discuss a payment schedule for his past due account. *Chairman DURFF motioned to agree to a payment plan of \$50.00 per month, due the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month. If late, court proceedings will begin. Supervisor Leroy BOWERMASTER seconded, motion carried.*

**ADJOURNMENT:** *On a motion made by Leroy BOWERMASTER, and seconded by Chairman DURFF, the public meeting was adjourned at 7:36 P.M.*

In Attendance:

Harry Nenninger  
Lois Burkett  
Robert Van Scyoc  
Will Davis  
David Schneider  
Linda Collins

Deb Goshorn  
Dave Evelhoch  
Barb Cohick  
Linda Moore  
David Weller  
Tom Minnich

Respectfully Submitted by  
Trena R. Durff, Secretary/Treasurer