

**JENKINS TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
MINUTES FOR THE REGULAR MEETING**

May 11, 2022

7:00 P.M.

**DUE TO COVID-19 SOCIAL DISTANCING IS BEING ENFORCED
IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MEETING ROOM**

CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Mr. Rovinski called the meeting to order at **7:00 P.M.**

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Everyone joined in the **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

ROLL CALL

Present were Stanley E. Rovinski–Chairman, Joseph Sperrazza-Vice Chairman, Robert Linskey-Secretary/Treasurer, Charles G. Ross Jr., Esq.-Solicitor

IF ANYONE WANTED TO ADDRESS ANYTHING PERTAINING TO THE AGENDA OR THE MEETING THEY ARE TO EMAIL TO **jenkinsbos@comcast.net** BY 3:00 P.M. THE DAY OF THE MEETING

No emails were received or comments on Facebook.

Fire Chief Dan Kosisky asked the supervisors if the township was on solid ground financially. Chief Kosisky stated that since a year ago, 3 fire departments have been responding to calls day and night in all towns, and around 6 Volunteers respond. He recently heard there has been secret meetings to combine the fire departments together. Mr. Rovinski stated there has been no secret meeting and he knows where this came from. Mr. Rovinski was talking with Mr. Rinaldi, Mr. Casey and Al Capozucca in reference to the Volunteer Fire Companies and no more volunteers. No station is being moved or closed down.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion to approve the minutes for the Regular Meeting held on April 13, 2022

Motion by Mr. Sperrazza

Second by Mr. Linskey

Roll Call: Mr. Sperrazza-YES

Mr. Linskey-YES

Mr. Rovinski-YES

CORRESPONDENCE

Motion to accept the correspondence presented to the Board of Supervisors prior to the meeting and to place them on file.

Motion by Mr. Linskey

Second by Mr. Sperrazza

Roll Call: Mr. Sperrazza-YES

Mr. Linskey- YES

Mr. Rovinski-YES

REPORTS

Motion to accept the 2022 Department Reports presented to the Board of Supervisors prior to the meeting and to place them on file.

Building Inspector ✓	Crime Watch
Fire Chief ✓	Tax Collector ✓
Police Chief ✓	Planning Commission ✓
Zoning Officer ✓	Zoning Hearing Board
Code Enforcement ✓	Budget vs Actual

Motion by Mr. Sperrazza Second by Mr. Linskey
Roll Call: Mr. Sperrazza-YES Mr. Linskey-YES Mr. Rovinski-YES

RATIFICATION AND APPROVAL OF PAYMENT OF BILLS

Motion to ratify the payment of monthly bills for April 2022 in the amount of **\$202,992.04** from the General Fund.

Motion by Mr. Linskey Second by Mr. Sperrazza
Roll Call: Mr. Sperrazza-YES Mr. Linskey-YES Mr. Rovinski-YES

Motion to ratify the transfers from the General Fund to the Payroll Fund for **Payroll #7** of 2022 for Forty Thousand seven-hundred fifty Dollars (**\$40,750.00**) and **Payroll #8** of 2022 of Forty-Five Thousand Dollars (**\$45,000.00**).

Motion by Mr. Linskey Second by Mr. Rovinski
Roll Call: Mr. Sperrazza-YES Mr. Linskey-YES Mr. Rovinski-YES

READING OF TREASURER'S REPORT

Motion to approve the Treasurer's Report for the month of April 2022.

Motion by Mr. Rovinski Second by Mr. Sperrazza
Roll Call: Mr. Sperrazza-YES Mr. Linskey-YES Mr. Rovinski-YES

NEW BUSINESS

Motion to a pass **Ordinance No. 2 of 2022**, adopting the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection's 2022 Model Stormwater Management Ordinance.

Motion by Mr. Sperrazza Second by Mr. Linskey
Roll Call: Mr. Sperrazza - YES Mr. Linskey - YES Mr. Rovinski – YES

Motion to pass **Resolution No. 11 of 2022**, declaring the Jenkins Township Zoning Ordinance to be substantively invalid with respect to the use of property and to propose a curative amendment to overcome such invalidity.

Motion by Mr. Linskey Second by Mr. Sperrazza
Roll Call: Mr. Sperrazza - YES Mr. Linskey - YES Mr. Rovinski – YES

Motion to pass Resolution No. 12 of 2022, declaring specific uses absent from the current Zoning Ordinance and/or declaring these uses do not include up to date best method practices regulating such use.

Motion by Mr. Sperrazza Second by Mr. Linskey
Roll Call: Mr. Sperrazza - YES Mr. Linskey - YES Mr. Rovinski – YES

Motion to advertise for the Refuse & Recycling for contract ending with County Waste as of December 2022

Motion by Mr. Sperrazza Second by Mr. Rovinski
Roll Call: Mr. Sperrazza - YES Mr. Linskey - YES Mr. Rovinski –YES

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

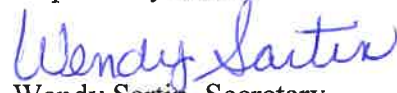
- A. The Jenkins Township Board of Supervisors Regular monthly meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 8, 2022 at 7:00 P.M.
- B. The Jenkins Township Sanitary Authority will meet Thursday, May 12, 2022 at 7:00 P.M.
- C. The Jenkins Township Planning Commission is scheduled for Thursday, April 21, 2022 at 7:00 P.M.
- D. The Jenkins Township/Yatesville Boro Crime Watch will meet on June 2, 2022 at 7:00 PM
- E. The 5th Annual Jenkins Twp/Yatesville Boro Crime Watch 4 Mile Run/ 1 Mile Walk was held on May 7th, 2022 and was a great success despite the rain & cold. Thank You to all the Runners, Walkers, Volunteers, Emergency Personal and Pittston Area High School.
- F. The Administrative Office will be closed May 17, 2022 for Election Day and on May 30, 2022 for Memorial Day.

Motion to adjourn at 7:25 P.M.

Motion by Mr. Linskey
Roll Call: Mr. Sperrazza- YES

Second by Mr. Sperrazza
Mr. Linskey- YES Mr. Rovinski-YES

Respectfully Submitted,



Wendy Sartin, Secretary
Jenkins Township