

Sullivan County Council of Governments
April 26, 2011
Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 7:03 by President Tim Brown.

Fred Jugan-Cherry Township
Roy Zimmerman-Elkland Township
Bill Stasiak-Colley Township
Carl Rine JR-Shrewsbury Township
Dave Myers-Davidson Township
Ron Smith-Hillsgrove Township
Rich Smith-Forksville Borough
Tim Brown-Colley Township
Bob Getz-Sullivan County Commissioners
John E. Huhn-Eagles Mere
Ron Decker-Code Inspections
Scot Sample-Dushore Borough
Carl Vough-Forks Township

Correction for the March minutes on the back page of the minutes I put that the meeting was turned over to Randi and Cody but that was a misprint it was turned over to Randi and Cody.

A motion was made by Fred Jugan and seconded by Rich Smith to accept the minutes with the corrections made. When put to a vote all voted in favor to accept the March 22 minutes.

A motion was made by Carl Rine JR and seconded by Roy Zimmerman to accept the treasurer's report. When put to a vote all voted in favor to accept the report.

Bob Getz spoke about checking with the electric company for information on how many people live in the area. They stated that some people can have two meters and also that there are more people who purchase electric than live here. Scot Sample stated that their counts after looking over information seem to be correct. Bob Getz stated that they will be going over all the homestead applications.

Bob Getz stated that the flood plain has been delayed until December of 2012. They will be reevaluating Dushore Borough and all along the Loyalsock and Little Loyalsock Creek. After this is done they will come back with new maps.

Bob Getz also passed out a paper that is a Street Opening Model Ordinance this pertains to driveways and pipes etc.

Scot Sample stated that there was a confrontation with DEP about a driveway being placed on a blind spot in the road.

Tim Brown stated that in Colley Township they passed a resolution that the cost of a temporary pipe would be \$ 500.00 and a permanent one would be \$ 1,000.00. These are the pipes that would run under the roads.

John Huhn stated that they passed an ordinance in Eagles Mere Borough, which stated a well must be at least 1000 yards from the edge of a flood plain.

Tim Brown stated that he had a conversation with the guy who is writing the ordinance for Lycoming County. The gentleman's name is Thomas P. Wilson PE -Principal K&W.

DEP gives the permits for the wells to be drilled. DEP has issued permits for wells to be drilled in the wet lands but Chesapeake made a decision to move the well sites due to not wanting to drill on wetlands. It was also stated that there is a well off 220 that is in the flood plain why would DEP issue a permit for it to be drilled in the flood plain?

Tim Brown stated about the roads that PennDot insisted be paved over the winter by the gas companies and now there are cracks in the roads and they must be done again.

A motion was made by John Huhn to pay the bills as presented and that motion was seconded by Carl Rine JR. A vote was taken and all voted in favor to pay the bills.

There was a change to the new sprinkler system law. You are now not required to have a sprinkler system in a home, but if it is a 2 or more family dwelling then a sprinkler system will be required.

A motion was made by Carl Vough and seconded by Carl Rine JR to adjourn the meeting. So the meeting adjourned at 7:50