

Sullivan County Council of Governments
October 25, 2011
Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 7:01 pm by Vice President Scot Sample.

Fred Jugan-Cherry Township
Carl Rine JR-Shrewsbury Township
Scot Sample-Dushore Borough
Roy Zimmerman-Elkland Township
Walter Botsford-Laporte Township
Ron Decker- Code Inspections
Bob Getz-Sullivan County Commissioners

A motion to approve the September 27th minutes was made by Fred Jugan and seconded by Walter Botsford. When put to a vote all voted in favor to accept the minutes.

A motion was made by Walter Botsford and seconded by Carl Rine JR to approve the treasurer's report. When put to a vote all voted in favor to approve the report as presented.

In old business we have returned the remainder of Mr. Huffsmith's check to him minus the cost for the ad in the Sully. Ron Decker stated that they are trying to work things out with Mr. Huffsmith and his lawyer.

WE will start each meeting with the pledge of allegiance being put on the top of our agenda.

I will send out one more notice for sand bags so far we have Dushore needing 1000 and Forksville Borough asking for 500.

Bob Getz stated they he has figured out the tax assessment figures and the tax counts are way down.

Fred Jugan stated that Cherry Township is losing money on the sewer. They would like to have the Turnpike School removed from the sewer lines so that they don't have to pay for the cost of \$11,000.00 for having it on line.

Bob Getz passed out a paper pertaining to Northern tier having money available to them to help with the cleanup of streams and creeks. There is money for 1 crew of people to work in Sullivan County and this would be run through the Conservation District and we would also need DEP permits. Regular workers would receive \$12.00 an Hour and they would need 10 people. First we need to know what the needs are for each municipality.

Wally stated that Muncy Creek from John Peterman's to Muncy Township has a lot of work needed to be done.

Scot Sample handed in his letter of resignation effective November 4, 2011. Scot will be furthering his career at Northern tier waste.

WE made a check out for Brenda Rine for \$ 51.17; this is the money for her mileage for picking up the sign blanks.

Roy Zimmerman made a motion to pay the bills and Fred Jugan seconded the motion. All voted in favor to pay the bills as stated.

Bob Getz if we do get a crew to clean the stream if each township supervisor would be willing to help out with the big equipment that might be needed. All that were present at the meeting stated they would be willing to supply the big equipment.

Scot Sample stated that Jeff Wettlaufer used his skidder to help take trees out of the creek in Dushore Borough.

Our meeting was adjourned at 8:00.

Clara will be working on getting a 2012 budget around for the next meeting.