

The Keating Township Supervisors met on November 10, 2021, in the Township Building with Chairman David McClain bringing the meeting to order and leading the Pledge of Allegiance. Supervisors McClain, Anderson, Spittler, Secretary/Treasurer Bowser and four (4) township residents attended the meeting.

The Minutes of the October 6, 2021, the Special Meeting minutes and the Workshop minutes were unanimously approved by motion of McClain/2nd Anderson.

TREASURER’S REPORT showed the following bank balances:

	GENERAL FUND	STATE AID	SEWER	Period of	10/1/21 - 10/31/21	
Petty Cash	383.79		365.17	General Fund	Receipts	\$ 31,105.00
Hamlin-Checking	437,773.35	2,775.72	56,679.54		Expenses	\$ 103,611.95
PLIGT-Savings	589,545.41	167,441.73	603,631.15		Interest Incon	\$ 323.52
Hamlin-MM	1,983.37				Checks No.	9030-9060
Hamlin - Impact	120,861.76			State Aid	Receipts	\$ -
Hamlin - Road Bond	128,926.74				Expenses	\$ -
NWS-Checking			37,419.99		Interest Incon	\$ 1.93
					Checks No.	
	\$ 1,279,474.42	\$ 170,217.45	\$ 698,095.85	Sewer	Receipts	\$ 38,999.68
					Expenses	\$ 18,722.78
UNPAID EXPENSES	\$ 73,887.44	\$ -	\$ 8,606.93		Interest Incon	\$ 54.68
					Check No.	3455-3470

A motion by Supervisor McClain/2nd Anderson to accept the Treasurer’s Report, pending audit. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion by Supervisor McClain/2nd Anderson, it was unanimously agreed to pay the bills as listed on the Expense Report for a total of \$82,494.37, including sewer expense of \$8,606.93.

PUBLIC HEARD:

John Stratton wanted to give a compliment on how maintenance has been getting done on East Valley Road. He stated good job on the mowing and the brush hogging on the banks. He stated it has been a while since it’s been done, and it has been done twice this year. John was also concerned with what looked like truck bodies around the sewer plant. Supervisor McClain stated that that part of the property was still owned by Mick Weimer, and it is something that he has going on.

Kevin Strawcutter stated his concern with the loudness of the music he can hear down on his back porch from Nittany. Supervisor Anderson and Supervisor McClain had gone at different times to the Nittany to see if there was any increase in decibels at a specific time. Supervisor Anderson has gone to Kevin’s property to take readings as well. The supervisors were not sure what else to do since the times they were taking readings there was no discrepancy. Kevin did state that in talking with the State Police, they told him the best option would be to file a civil suit. One of the residents stated that maybe someone can have them turn the speakers towards the building and see if that will work. Supervisor McClain stated that one of the supervisors will ask Nittany to try turning their speakers towards the building to see if that will work.

COMMUNICATIONS:

- 1) Hamlin Library
- 2) Smethport Fire Department Report

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1) A motion by Supervisor McClain/2nd Anderson to advertise the proposed 2022 budget. Motion carried unanimously.
- 2) Supervisor Anderson gave the public the update on the Valley Cross Road bridge. Supervisor Anderson stated that ARS Engineering is still waiting for clearance from the PA Fish and Boat Commission.

- 3) A motion by Supervisor McClain/2nd Anderson to pay Requisition #70 in the amount of \$290,070.62. Motion carried unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS:

- 1) A motion by Supervisor McClain/2nd Anderson to advertise for the 2022 Board Meeting and Workshop schedule. Motion carried unanimously.
- 2) A motion by Supervisor McClain/2nd Anderson to accept the Tanner Subdivision. Motion carried unanimously.
- 3) A motion by Supervisor McClain/2nd Anderson to advertise for a new solicitor. Motion carried unanimously.
- 4) Supervisor McClain let the public know the PSATS UC Rate for 2022 is going to 5.35% which is up 1.6%.
- 5) Supervisor McClain let the public know that PennDOT has received a GP-11 Permit for the Road Resurfacing project scheduled for 2022.
- 6) A motion by Supervisor McClain/2nd Anderson to advertise for part time Code Enforcement Officer if we cannot get anyone internally interested in the position. Motion carried unanimously.
- 7) John Stratton stated that about 2 or 3 years ago PennDOT was going to rebuild the road from the refinery to the top of Rew hill and he hasn't heard anything since. Supervisor McClain stated to get all the citizens to call PennDOT in Clearfield and complain about the roads needing redone.

NEXT MEETING: December 1, 2021
NEXT WORKSHOP None

ADJOURNMENT was heard at 6:35 pm.

Respectfully Submitted, Trudi Bowser, Secretary/Treasurer