

La Plume Township

MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES

July 11, 2024

The La Plume Township Board of Supervisors met in regular session on the above date and was called to order by Chair Lisa Huffsmith. Also present were Supervisor Gerald Henry, Supervisor Jeremy Wohlken, Engineer John Seamans, and Visitor Joanne Kingel. The minutes of the previous meeting were approved in a motion made by Jeremy Wohlken, seconded by Gerry Henry.

The following Treasurer's Report was reviewed and will be filed.

General Fund Account Balance	<u>\$106,134.33</u>	Including Interest of \$48.66
	806.74	Earned Income Tax (Berkheimer)
	<u>\$855.40</u>	Total Receipts
	(\$10,063.46)	Total Disbursements
State Fund Account	<u>\$23,944.76</u>	including interest of <u>\$91.85</u>
Cemetery Fund Account	<u>\$ 527.98</u>	including interest of <u>\$0.0</u>
PLGIT Plus Savings Account	<u>\$ 2,372.01</u>	including interest of <u>\$.19</u>

The following bills were approved, motion by Gerald Henry, seconded by Jeremy Wohlken.

Bills – General Fund

MHW	\$6,800.00	Emergency Road Repair Work (College and Maple)
PPL - Building Electric	52.61	Building
PPL - Street Lights	97.45	Streetlights
John K Seamans	468.75	Engineering Services
Comcast Business Services	233.56	Wifi
NEIC	75.00	Zoning Services
Stone House	1,292.00	Treasurer Services
Josiah Lewis Design	300.00	Website Hosting
Van Fleet Home Repair	180.00	Roadmaster Services
Berkheimer	17.30	Tax Collection Commission
Quarterly Payroll Taxes	546.79	IRS, PA & Berkheimer
<u>Total</u>	<u>\$10,063.46</u>	

Roadmasters Report

Roadmaster Bruce Van Fleet gave an overview of his activity in the township over the last 2 months. He mowed the lawn at the township building and maintained the furnace inside the building. He removed limbs that had fallen on Maple Road on 5/24 due to rainstorms. He contacted township engineer John Seamans regarding emergency road repair to College and Maple Road and coordinated with MHW construction to make emergency road repairs to Maple and College Road. He oversaw the roadway brush clearing completed the week of 7/8/24. He also brought to the attention of the board a road hazard that will need to be repaired on Maple Road.

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Engineer's Report

Engineer, John Seamans gave a report to the board of his activity in the township over the last month. He coordinated and reviewed the road repair efforts on Maple and College Road completed by MHW construction. He will also be contacting PennDOT about the possibility of removing the guiderail along North Turnpike Road. He will also be reaching out to obtain bids for the road repair on Maple Road.

Zoning Officer's Report

Zoning officer Anthony Mengoni provided the supervisors with a report of his activity over the last month in advance of the meeting. The Simmons property has complied with the nuisance junk violation and the issue is closed. There are currently no new zoning issues open in the township.

Unfinished Business

Maple and College Road had emergency repair work completed the week of 7/1. This was approved in an emergency meeting and completed satisfactorily.

New Business

The township will be advertising for contractors to bid on providing snowplow services for the 24-25 and 25-26 snow plowing season.

Adjourn Meeting

Motion to adjourn was made by Jeremy Wohlken and seconded by Gerry Henry.

Respectfully Submitted,

Melissa Scott

La Plume Township Secretary