

La Plume Township

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

June 11, 2026

The La Plume Township Board of Supervisors met for a regular session on the above date. The meeting was called to order by Chair Lisa Huffsmith. Present were Co-Chair Gerry Henry, Supervisor Jeremy Wohlken, Township Engineer John Seamans, and Treasurer Tina Kaleta. Visitors in attendance were Planning Commission Secretary Jo Anne Klingel, Michael Duddy, PLS from LaBella Assoc., and Tammy & Brian VanFleet. The minutes of the May meeting were approved in a motion made by Gerry Henry and 2nd by Jeremy Wohlken. The Treasurer's Report was reviewed and will be filed by Anne Oswald. Payment of the monthly bills were approved in a motion by Gerry Henry, 2nd by Jeremy Wohlken.

ROADMASTER'S REPORT:

Gerry and Jeremy finished filling potholes on North Turnpike and Maple roads. They are continuing to clear brush on North Turnpike and will continue onto Sunset Road. Gerry received two bids for ditch cleaning, and the bid went to Engles Excavation LLC for \$6,015.00. Gerry is meeting with Penn Dot before he orders the weight limit signs for North Turnpike Road. The township building was power washed and the grass was cut.

ENGINEER'S REPORT:

John Seamans received half of the dirt and gravel grant money from Lackawanna County Conservation District (\$61,525.00). John and Gerry will be meeting about ditch cleaning.

ZONING OFFICER'S REPORT:

Anthony Mengoni has not heard back from the residents of the College Road property regarding the violation letter sent on 5/5/26. No other updates were submitted from the zoning officer.

PLANNING COMMISSION REPORT:

Jo Anne Klingel reported a Planning Commission meeting was held on Thursday, May 21, 2026 regarding the Millett subdivision. A motion was made by Bruce Van Fleet, and 2nd by Tom Huffsmith to add the subdivision to the lot improvement plan.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Dalton Sewer Authority expansion - no update

Keystone College Miller Library expansion – no update

Keystone College roundabout signage - no update

PA PUC - no update. A call has been placed for an update on fine

Ditch Cleaning- A motion was made and approved to pay \$6,015.00

VISITOR'S:

Michael Duddy from LaBella Assoc. was in attendance on behalf of the Millett property subdivision. He met with the Planning Commission on May 21 and the subdivision was approved. Secretary, Anne Oswald forwarded signed plans to Mary Liz Donata at Lackawanna County Department of Planning. Tammy and Brian VanFleet, township residents, were interested in any updates concerning the Dalton Sewer Authority project and had questions on weight limit signs for North Turnpike Road. Gerry is meeting with Penn Dot regarding procedures for the weight limit signage.

ADJOURN MEETING:

Motion to adjourn meeting was made by Lisa Huffsmith, 2nd by Jeremy Wohlken.

Respectfully submitted,

Anne Oswald - Secretary