

MEETING WEDNESDAY 12-28-16, 5:00 P.M.
Municipal Bldg. 306 Byron Street McGrann

In attendance: Supervisors Rearick and Southworth, Secretary Davis
Citizens: Jonathan Weaver of The Kittanning Paper.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Rearick at 5:00P.M. followed by the pledge of allegiance.

Rearick made a motion to sign a proclamation designating the month of April as Pennsylvania 811 Safe Digging Month, seconded by Southworth, carried.

Davis read the Emergency Medical Services letter from the County Commissioners.

Rearick made a motion to re-bid the Scout Run Road Project, seconded by Southworth, carried.

Police Business:

Rearick made a motion to accept Officer Foreback's resignation effective December 21, 2016, seconded by Southworth, carried.

Solicitor reviewed the Resource Officer Agreement for Lenape Vo-Tech and said there are provision that may need discussed. Davis is to ask Andrew which provisions he is talking about.

Rearick made a motion to create a full time exempt Police Chief position, seconded by Southworth, carried.

Rearick stated they had interviewed 3 people for this position.

Rearick made a motion to hire Eric Petrosky as the full time exempt Chief at an annual salary of \$37,500.00 with vacation and sick days the same as the other full time employees with a start date of January 3, 2017, seconded by Southworth, carried.

Rearick expects the Chief to be at the meetings and any other functions designated by the Board. Davis to talk to Andrew to see if need to have a job description and PSATS to see if he needs sworn in since he is already an employee.

Other Business:

Governor Tom Wolf has invited the Board to Public Officials Day on January 11th at the farm show.

Davis reviewed meeting dates with the Board for 2017 so they can decide if any changes need made before the January meeting.

Davis read a letter from Senate Engineering thanking the Board for letting them represent the Township in 2016 and ask to be reappointed in 2017.

Southworth made a motion to allow employees to rent the room one time per year at no charge, seconded by Rearick, carried.

Southworth talked about the ice storm last week. The building was rented and he couldn't get the walks done because of working on the roads. He would like to investigate finding someone to do the walks in an emergency situation. Rearick is open to suggestions. Rearick ask Southworth to get a schedule of events at ASD so the road can be kept clear. Rearick also stated there are no street lights on the curve going into the school, Davis told him the school did the lights on their own.

Comments:

Jonathan Weaver – Ask if the new Chief position was for 1 year at a time, Rearick told him all positions are appointed every January. Ask how many of the candidates were already employed here, Rearick told him 2 internal and 1 external. Ask why Petrosky was chosen, Rearick told him he has done a lot in a short period of time. He ask if Petrosky would still do seminars and Rearick said yes. Ask if there will be a different badge and was told yes.

Motion to adjourn by Rearick, seconded by Southworth, carried.
Adjourned at 5:45P.M.

Jill A. Davis, Secretary