

WARRINGTON TOWNSHIP
Minutes of a Special Meeting of the Board of Supervisors
Held, pursuant to due notice, in the Municipal Building
3345 Rosstown Road, Wellsville, PA 17365
Monday, August 1, 2022, 6:00 PM

Presiding: Supervisor Jason Weaver, Chairman
Supervisor John Dockery
Supervisor Zachary Fickes - absent
Supervisor Ed Mattos
Supervisor Michael Saylor

Staff Present: Attorney Brian Linsenbach, Township Solicitor
Terry Myers, P.E., Township Engineer
Rebecca Knaub-Bradshaw, Township Manager and Secretary-Treasurer

The meeting was opened with the Pledge to the Flag.

BUSINESS

Detters Mill Road bridge project. The special meeting was called to discuss the Detters Mill Road bridge project action that was taken during the July 20, 2022 meeting. The Township was notified that the project was approved by Penn DOT as part of their Transportation Improvement Program for replacement of the bridge over a tributary of the Conewago Creek on Detters Mill Road. A letter of understanding needs to be signed by August 8, 2022 if the Township wishes Penn DOT to assume responsibility to complete the design and construction of the project as opposed to undertaking the work ourselves.

Motion was made by Supervisor Dockery to withdraw his motion to choose the option to use local forces for the Detters Mill Road bridge project. Supervisor Saylor seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Supervisor Saylor to approve participation in the Detters Mill Road federally funded bridge project as outlined in the letter of understanding, using the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation to be responsible for the design and construction of the project. A question was asked by Supervisor Dockery as to why the estimated cost of the bridge is over a million dollars when the Township has replaced other bridges for a little over \$100,000 dollars. Mr. Smedley said his presumption would be that because the project is Federally funded the process for engineering and other costs involved with Federal aid will increase the total cost of the bridge. Motion carried unanimously.

Executive Session. Supervisor Weaver said the Board will adjourn in Executive Session to interview a job applicant.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Supervisor Dockery to adjourn the meeting. Supervisor Saylor seconded. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:15 PM.

Township Secretary