

**MINUTES OF THE DARLINGTON TOWNSHIP
SUPERVISORS MEETING HELD
MONDAY, MAY 13, 2024**

The Darlington Township Supervisors met on Monday, May 13, 2024 for their regularly scheduled monthly meeting in the Township municipal building at 7:00 P.M.

Mike Carreon, Chairman of the Board called the meeting to order at 7:02 P.M. and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by the Lord's Prayer.

PRESENT:

Supervisors

Tom Blinkiewicz

Mike Carreon

Greg Houlette

Engineer/Zoning Officer

Jeff Frye

Solicitor

Taryn Hardy

Secretary/Treasurer

Brenna Boyde

ABSENT:

COMMUNICATION:

Information was shared about the Township's request of Norfolk Southern to provide five million dollars in financial support for the public water project. Mandatory tap-ins are NOT a part of the project, and the intended route of the water line would be down Route 51 and along Cannelton Road.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Paul Hrenko of Logtown Road requested that the condition of Logtown Road be considered for this summer's road maintenance and repair.

Bill Shaffer of Oakdale Road asked about the shifts of Darlington Police and expressed his interest in having more coverage by the Township rather than PA State Police.

Joe Caler of Oakdale Road requested information on nuisance property located at 321 Oakdale.

TOWNSHIP MINUTES:

Mike Carreon motioned and Greg Houlette seconded to approve the Township minutes as presented. Motion carried.

TOWNSHIP TREASURER’S REPORT:

Mike Carreon motioned and Greg Houlette seconded to approve the Treasurer’s report for April 2024 as presented. Motion carried.

BILL LIST:

Mike Carreon motioned and Greg Houlette seconded to authorize the payment of vendors on the May 2024 bill list as presented. Motion carried.

REPORTS:

FIRE DEPARTMENT: Monthly report was shared by Fire Chief, Bill Douthitt.

POLICE DEPARTMENT: Monthly report was available for review.

ROAD MAINTENANCE: Monthly report was available for review.

ENGINEER:

CODE ENFORCEMENT: No report provided

ZONING OFFICER: Multiple zoning permit applications were reviewed and several questions regarding land use had been answered throughout the month.

SOLICITOR: Nothing to report.

RECREATION BOARD: Lori O’Connell shared that the Board has met a few times and is continuing to stay connected.

OLD BUSINESS:

Mike Carreon motioned to award Contract 02-2024, Youngblood Paving, Inc as the lowest responsible bidder. Greg Houlette seconded. Motion carried.

Bid amount details:

- 1600 LF of 15” SLCPP at \$90.00.00 per unit for a total of \$144,000.00*
- 20 LF of 18” SLCPP at \$100.00 per unit for a total of \$2,000.00*
- 40 LF of 30” SLCPP at \$120.00 per unit for a total of \$4,800.00*
- 2 concrete Endwalls at \$3,800.00 each for a total of \$7,600.00*
- 1 Type D-W Endwall at \$4,500.00 each for a total of \$4,500.00*
- 15 2x4 Type “M” Inlet with frame and casting at \$4,500 each for a total of \$67,500.00*
- 7 2x2 Inlet with frame and casting at \$3,000.00 each for a total of \$21,000.00*
- 925 SY of trench restoration at \$79.25 per unit for a total of \$73,306.25*
- PROJECT TOTAL = \$325,706.25*

NEW BUSINESS:

ITEM 1: Motion to open sealed bids on May 16, 2024 and award Contract 2024-03 for summer road maintenance and repair commodities, including aggregates and single asphalt (bituminous) seal coat, to lowest responsible bidder. Mike Carreon motioned. Greg Houlette seconded.

ITEM 2: Motion to authorize appropriate Township officials to sign Resolution 10-2024, establishing Brenna Boyde as the current Darlington Township Treasurer for Berkheimer online portal records. Mike Carreon motioned. Greg Houlette seconded.

ITEM 3: Motion to authorize appropriate Township officials to sign the Beaver Creek Subdivision upon receipt of Beaver County Planning Commission Comment Letter. Mike Carreon motioned to table the signing of the plan. Greg Houlette seconded.

ITEM 4: Motion to authorize appropriate Township officials to sign the Meyers Subdivision upon receipt of Beaver County Planning Commission Comment Letter. Mike Carreon motioned. Greg Houlette seconded.

ADJOURN:

There being no further business Mike Carreon motioned, Greg Houlette seconded to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously. Time 7:33pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Brenna Boyde
Secretary/Treasurer