

**Kittanning, Pennsylvania  
April 20, 2023**

The Board of Supervisors of East Franklin Township met in the Municipal Building at 6:00 p.m. for April 20, 2023, regular meeting.

**Present:** Barry Peters, Chairman  
Dan Goldinger, Vice Chairman  
David Stewart, Supervisor  
Debra Cornman, Secretary/Treasurer  
Larry Richardson – Zoning Officer

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

**Gracie Elosser – Resident of Glade Run Road** – Any updates on the intersection of State Route 422 and Glade Run Road?

**Larry Richardson, Zoning Officer** – I have not heard anything. When I spoke to PennDOT, anywhere from now to mid-May.

**Dean Hepler, Resident** – Do you have a list of the roads that are being paved and seal coated? What about Furnace Run Road?

**Barry Peters, Supervisor** – No plans for seal coating Furnace Run Road.

**APPROVALS:**

**BIDS – ASPHALT PAVING C'RSE FB MODIFIED:**

<b>NAME</b>	<b>TOTAL BID</b>
Russell Standard Corp.	\$79,675.75
Youngblood Paving Inc.	\$80,627.72

**Motion** made by David Stewart and seconded by Dan Goldinger to award bid to Russell Standard Corporation for \$79,675.75. Motion approved unanimously.

# REGULAR MEETING – APRIL 20, 2023

## APPROVALS (CONTINUED):

### MINUTES:

**Motion** made by Barry Peters and seconded by Dan Goldinger to approve minutes for March 30, 2023, regular meeting. Motion approved unanimously.

### APPROVE BILLS AND INVOICES:

**Motion** made by David Stewart and seconded by Dan Goldinger to approve paying all bills and invoices for March 31 through April 20, 2023. Motion approved unanimously.

### POLICE REPORT:

Total reportable calls – 20 calls

**Motion** made by Barry Peters and seconded by Dan Goldinger to approve the Police Report for March 31 through April 20, 2023. Motion approved unanimously.

### ROAD MASTER REPORT:

**See Attached:**

**Motion** made by Barry Peters and seconded by Dan Goldinger to approve the Road Master Report for March 31 through April 20, 2023. Motion approved unanimously.

### ZONING OFFICER REPORT:

**See Attached – 9 Permits Issued:**

**Motion** made by David Stewart and seconded by Dan Goldinger to approve the Zoning Officer Report for March 31 through April 20, 2023. Motion approved unanimously.

### SEWAGE REPORT:

**See Attached:**

**Motion** made by Barry Peters and seconded by Dan Goldinger to approve the Sewage Report for March 31 through April 20, 2023. Motion approved unanimously.

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### RESOLUTIONS:

#### MID-COUNTY TRANSIT AUTHORITY – AGREEMENT:

**Motion** made by David Stewart and seconded by Barry Peters to adopt **Resolution No. 05-2023** of the Township of East Franklin, Armstrong County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, certifying provision of local match for state operating financial assistance with Mid-County Transit Authority in the amount of \$6,690.00. Motion approved unanimously.

#### LEMMON HOLLOW BRIDGE PROJECT FUND – TURNBACK:

**Motion** made by David Stewart and seconded by Dan Goldinger to adopt **Resolution No. 06-2023** of the Township of East Franklin Armstrong County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, approving PA Dept. of Transportation, Highway Transfer Project, to replace bridge structure on Lemmon Hollow Road SR 4008. Total cost for the Turnback Bridge Project \$1,010,331.64 – Received \$825,000.000 – Difference \$185,331.64. Motion approved unanimously.

### AUTHORIZATIONS:

**Motion** made by Barry Peters and seconded by David Stewart to authorize to advertise ordinance to amend rules, regulations, and prohibitions with respect to sanitary sewer lines; providing for inspections of private lateral sewer lines within the township, establishing those connections which are prohibited connections to the sanitary sewer system; establishing a requirement for certification of sanitary sewer status prior to the sale of real estate; designating West Hills Area Water Pollution Control Authority as the agent of the township for the implementation and enforcement of this ordinance and all past and future ordinances dealing with sanitary sewers within the township. (**Amending Section 9. Expiration of Document of Certification: A Document of Certification Issued under this Ordinance shall be valid for a period of 7 years from the date of issuance). (Currently 3 years).** Motion approved unanimously.

**Motion** made by David Stewart and seconded by Dan Goldinger to authorize to advertise ordinance establishing and implementing a program to charge user fees for the deployment of public safety services rendered by the West Hills Emergency Services. Motion approved unanimously.

## **REGULAR MEETING – APRIL 20, 2023:**

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

Randy Shamberger – I received a letter from the zoning officer in the mail today about cleaning up my property. Everyone knows what I do, and I am trying to clean up. I would have appreciated a visit not a letter.

Barry Peters – We need to see improvements on the property.

Larry Richardson – Give me a call when you have improvements, I will come take a look.

### **ADJOURNMENT:**

**Motion** made by Dan Goldinger and seconded by Barry Peters to adjourn the regular meeting. Motion approved unanimously.

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Debra L. Cornman, Secretary/Treasurer

**Trash Week – Thursday, May 4 through Friday, May 5, 2023  
from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.**

## Road Report for April 2023

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April has had some stormy and windy days. We had several calls for trees on roadways. Many road signs were blown over and needed to be put back up. Storm drains were covered with debris from the heavy rains and needed to be cleaned off. The salt spreaders were removed, washed, oiled, and put away for the season. Stone was placed in holes on the dirt roads, and cold patch was used on the paved roads. The mowing season has begun. Most of the properties we maintain have been mowed at least once. The water was turned on at Heritage Park and the restrooms opened for the summer. Some improvements were made at the new playground in Tarrtown.

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## EAST FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP

### ZONING DEPARTMENT

Larry Richardson, Zoning Officer

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## Zoning Department Report April 20, 2023

### Zoning Permits: (since the last supervisors meeting)

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| • Permit# 2023-15 | Jack Claypoole     | <b>PENDING Zoning</b> – New Garage        |
| • Permit# 2023-17 | ASD                | Zoning – Primary Renovations              |
| • Permit# 2023-18 | Walmart            | Zoning – Update Outdoor signage           |
| • Permit# 2023-19 | Rimer Hill         | <b>PENDING Zoning</b> – New 7500sq' bldg. |
| • Permit# 2023-20 | Smith's Auto       | Zoning – Replacing Bldg. lost in fire     |
| • Permit# 2023-21 | Ken Plyer          | Zoning – New Pergola                      |
| • Permit# 2023-22 | Sam Keibler        | Zoning - Enlarge porch & add sidewalk     |
| • Permit# 2023-23 | Chase Hanford      | <b>PENDING Zoning</b> – New Addition      |
| • Permit# 2023-24 | Keystone Novelties | Temporary – Tent/fireworks sales (Rupp)   |

### Miscellaneous:

- **Burning Regulations Reminder** – brochure on table
  - Several Warnings sent concerning untimely fires and citations
- **Contacted ASD** – concerning heavy vehicles using Lemmon Hollow Road (Weight Limit)
- **422/Glade Run Intersection** – No updates from the following:
  - State to paint optical speed bars
  - State to place portable speed minders
  - State to consider flipping stop signs (one with flashing LED lights)

### Next Meeting:

- May 25, 2023, 6:00 p.m.

*Larry*

cc D. Cornman, Township Secretary/Treasurer

East Franklin Township  
Sewage Report  
April 2023  
Report by David Stewart

On April 3, sludge was hauled from the Cowansville STP by CWM.

Because of the storms this month, repairs were made to all the Sewage Plants and Pump Stations.

There were four one-calls this month; two at Cowansville and two at Fox Hollow.

Shut Off Water notices were posted on the applicable houses.

Lab samples were collected for the month of April and transported to CWM. DMR reports for the month of March 2023 were submitted to DEP.

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