

Foster Township Board of Supervisors
Continued Monthly Meeting
Minutes
June 24, 2019
6:30 PM

CALL TO ORDER

Call To Order The Continued Meeting

ROLL CALL

Ms. Eckrote-Jones	■ Present	□ Absent
Mr. Spock	■ Present	□ Absent
Mr. Brogan	■ Present	□ Absent

BUSINESS:

1. Engineering RFP's: Attny Karpowich presented the board with a spreadsheet that contained 7 proposals from various engineers. Jerry made the motion to hire Peter's Consultants. Mike seconds the motion. Roll Call was Yes by all.
2. Mike stated that he had one other item for business. He would like to create a sewer authority to handle all water and sewer issues. This way they can make their own decisions and all issues can go directly to them. Georgiann asked if it would be like what the twp had before? Mike stated no, not a committee an authority. Mike made a motion to look into creating an authority. Discussion amongst the board members in regards to Freeland having a seat on the board. Attny Karpowich stated that he can draw something up for the board to look at. Jerry seconds the motion to look into creating an authority. Georgiann stated that she would like to look more into it. Roll Call was Yes by all.
3. Members from Rails to Trails were present to answer any questions that the board or residents might still have. Hazlebrook residents present were Paul Perosky and his wife and Bob Senick. Rails to Trails present were Bob Skulsky, Joe Yanuzzi and Tom Ogorzalek. The RTT members spoke about funding and the status of the trail. They are still waiting on the meets and bounds report to be able to set the trail in Hazle Brook. The Hazlebrook residents would like to be better informed and would like to know what the final route is. At this time multiple conversations took place. Until the meets and bounds report is complete, they will not have a final route. Mr. Yanuzzi stated that they are more than welcome to contact the trail engineer, whenever they would like. RTT asked the board if they would sponsor and maintain the pedestrian bridge in our portion of the twp. The board stated that they will not sponsor and maintain a bridge. Jerry made the motion. Mike seconds the motion. Roll Call was Yes by all.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Mary Jo Bachman stated that she was very upset that the board stated the sewer line would not come out to her father's house. She would like to know why, her father has been waiting for it for over 65 years. Jerry stated that the twp can only go as far as the money takes us for now. It is in future plans to make it out all the way to Crescent Road. She recommends her brother for the Sewer Authority.

Valarie Capozzelli asked who the new engineer was.'

Shari Petrovitch wants to know if the Hickory Hills PS would be able to handle the 81 homes that are currently not on sewer. Mike stated that it can handle the house but not the I & I. She asked for a timeframe for sewer for the old section. The board stated that it would probably be longer than 10 years. She asked what would happen if residents went to DEP/EPA and complained about the issues, would they end up forcing the twp to do it?

Bob Senick asked when the roadcrew will be over to finish the Hazlebrook road. Mike said he would look into it.

Carl Bakitas had a complaint about a neighbor in Highland burning. Keith stated he will get together with him after the meeting to get information.

ADJOURNMENT

- Motion to Adjourn
- Motion to Continue

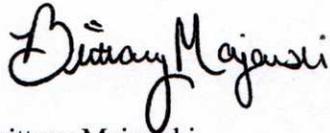
Motion By: □ Ms. Eckrote-Jones
□ Mr. Spock
■ Mr. Brogan

Second By: □ Ms. Eckrote-Jones
■ Mr. Spock
□ Mr. Brogan

Roll Call: Ms. Eckrote-Jones
■ Yes
□ No
□ Abstain

Mr. Spock Mr. Brogan
■ Yes ■ Yes
□ No □ No
□ Abstain □ Abstain

Respectfully Submitted,



Brittany Majewski
Municipal Secretary