

Patterson Township Board of Commissioners

Agenda (Pre) Meeting

July 12, 2018

Attendants:

Commissioner Inman	Commissioner Mahosky
Commissioner Hoover	Attorney Ken Fawcett
Police Chief David Stanislawski	Secretary Rebecca Keller
Fire Chief Tony Ferrazzano	Tyler Crognale
Public Works Foreman, Joseph Cipolla	Mr. Danny Jones, resident

Items discussed:

- A discussion was held on making a donation in memory of Gilbert Thomas Fawcett, Attorney Fawcett's father, from Patterson Township.
- Commissioner Inman questioned the items on the agenda listed under the Police Department. Police Chief Stanislawski advised the Traffic Study can be voted on at the regular meeting as the ordinance has been properly advertised. Chief Stanislawski recommended postponing the policies until the August meeting, as he had met with Attorney Fawcett and some changes to the language were necessary.
- Commissioner Hoover advised he will be submitting the fire reports for payment.
- Fire Chief Ferrazzano questioned the Board as to the proper protocol the Fire Department should follow when there is a need to have the Patterson Township Public Works Department dispatched in an emergency situation or if there is a situation where the safety of the volunteer firemen are at risk. The direction from the Board was to reach out to the 911 Center and request the Public Works Department to be dispatched in emergency situations.
- A lengthy discussion was held regarding the Public Works overtime.

- Fire Chief Ferrazzano advised next year the Fire Department would like to bill insurance companies for services when they are dispatched for vehicle accidents. A recommendation was made to have the Township Solicitor review this practice prior to implementing.
- Commissioner Mahosky advised under video surveillance signs have been installed at the township park.
- Commissioner Mahosky advised of the Beaver County Local Government Conference being held August 8th and 9th at the Community College of Beaver County in the Dome.
- Commissioner Hoover questioned if anyone has had any discussions with a state representative regarding the Berkheimer change to the way taxes are collected. A lengthy discussion was held regarding issues with the per capita taxes.
- Mr. Cipolla questioned the piles of brush accumulated after the recent storms as to who is responsible to for it picking up. Mr. Cipolla questioned if renting or purchasing a wood chipper would be in order or contract a tree service company. A discussion was held regarding the recycling of brush and the fees associated.
- Attorney Fawcett advised the Yard Waste Ordinance has been prepared for adoption at this evenings meeting.

End of Meeting