

MINUTES
September 8, 2022

The Somerset Township Board of Supervisors met in Regular Session on Thursday, September 8, 2022, at 6:30 pm in the Somerset Township Municipal Building. Those present were Daniel H. Halverson, Chairman; Donald K. Miller, Vice-Chairman, and Tami L. Yutzy, Secretary as well as Michael P. Barbera, Solicitor. Randy Beistel, Supervisor, was absent from this session.

The Chairman, Mr. Halverson, called the meeting to order and lead the pledge to the flag.

Mr. Halverson then asked for any public comment. There was none.

The Chairman asked for the reading of the Minutes of the previous meeting and the Financial Report for the previous month. Mrs. Yutzy presented the board with the Minutes of the previous meeting and the August List of Expenditures. Mr. Miller moved to approve all as presented. Mr. Halverson seconded the motion. With all voting “yea”, the motion carried and all stand approved as presented.

The next item on the agenda was to ratify an amendment to the Inter-Municipal Service Agreement between Borough of Somerset, Municipal Authority of the Borough of Somerset, Township of Somerset and Somerset Township Municipal Authority, executed on August 18, 2022. Mr. Miller made a motion to ratify the said agreement. Mr. Halverson seconded the motion and with all voting “yea”, the motion carried and the Inter-Municipal Service Agreement stands ratified.

The final item on the agenda was to fill the vacancy on the Somerset Township Municipal Authority due to the death of board member Mr. William D. Williams. A discussion ensued. Following the discussion Mr. Miller made a motion to appoint Mr. Daniel Buck, Jr. to fill the vacancy on the Somerset Township Municipal Authority board. Mr. Halverson seconded the motion, and with all voting “yea”, the motion carried and Mr. Daniel Buck, Jr. stands appointed to the Somerset Township Municipal Authority Board.

The Chairman then ask solicitor, Michael Barbera, if he had anything to report. Mr. Barbera reported that the deed work for Somerset Townships’ purchase of adjacent property from Alvin D. and Rebekah J. Gerber is in draft form and will be recorded at the Somerset County Recorder of Deeds Office within the next few weeks.

Mr. Barbera then present the Board with a copy of an ordinance he prepared which regulates parking on and/or along Township roads, streets, and other thoroughfares so as to inhibit safe passage and maintenance such as snow and ice removal which has been a problem in the past. The board reviewed the ordinance as presented by the Solicitor. Mr. Miller made a motion that this ordinance be advertised as required by municipal code, so that the ordinance can be adopted at the next Somerset township public meeting on October 13, 2022. Mr. Halverson seconded the motion and with all voting “yea”, the motion carried to advertise the ordinance.

The Chairman then called for any additional business before the Board. There was none. With no other business before the Board, Mr. Halverson declared the meeting adjourned. There were no objections.

MEETING ADJOURNED

Respectfully,



