

April 17, 2012

The East Lampeter Township Board of Supervisors met on Tuesday, April 17, 2012, at 7:30 p.m. at the East Lampeter Township Office, 2250 Old Philadelphia Pike, Lancaster, PA 17602. The meeting was called to order by Mr. David Buckwalter, Chairman and was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. In addition to Mr. Buckwalter, supervisors present were: Mr. John Shertzer, Mr. Mike Landis, Mr. John Blowers, and Mr. Glenn Eberly. Also present was Mr. Ralph Hutchison, Township Manager.

The following persons signed in as being present in the audience:

Sandy Kime, David Miller Associates, 1076 Centerville Road, Lancaster, PA 17601, representing Country Acres Campground

Lynn Commero, representing Lancaster Newspapers

Jerry Smucker, 431 Beechdale Road, Bird-in-Hand, PA 17505, representing Country Acres Campground

Justin Smucker, 449 Beechdale Road, Bird-in-Hand, PA 17505, representing Country Acres Campground

Larry Snyder, 456 Garland Circle, Lancaster, PA 17601, representing Eastwood Meadows Residents Association (EMRA)

Chairman Buckwalter announced that there was an executive session held prior to this evening meeting to discuss a matter of litigation.

Chairman Buckwalter indicated that copies of the agenda and minutes from the previous meeting were available for review.

#### Minutes of April 2, 2012 Regular Meeting:

Chairman Buckwalter asked if there were any additions or corrections regarding the minutes from the April 2, 2012 regular meeting as prepared. There were no comments.

A motion was made by Mr. Shertzer and seconded by Mr. Eberly to dispense with the reading of the minutes and approve the minutes as presented. The motion was passed by unanimous voice vote.

#### Bills:

Chairman Buckwalter indicated that bills to be paid from various funds in the amount of \$136,949.73 were presented for payment. He stated that one of the larger items included in that amount is a payment of \$67,000.00 to Morgan Stanley for the police and non-uniform pension plan.

A motion was made by Mr. Landis and seconded by Mr. Blowers to approve payment of the bills as listed in the amount of \$136,949.73. The motion was passed by unanimous voice vote.

#### Old Business:

None

#### New Business:

None

Other Business:

a. Consideration of Bids for Lighting in Flory Park

Mr. Hutchison explained that the Park Board has been working on this project for some time to develop some lighting in Flory Park. At the entrance into Flory Park off of Greenland Drive, there are seven (7) concrete bases that were always intended for lighting poles. This project is to install these lighting standards and a lighting control system that would be located in the mechanical room of the Clark Pavilion. He added that \$60,000.00 was put in this year's budget through the Park Land Capital Reserve Fund for this project. The low bid for this project came in at \$64,800.00 from Wilco Electric.

After a brief discussion among Mr. Hutchison and the Board members, Mr. Eberly made a motion to award the contract for lighting in Flory Park to Wilco Electric in the amount of \$64,800.00. The motion was seconded by Mr. Shertzer and passed by unanimous voice vote.

b. Request to Use Township Roads for BIH Half Marathon Event

Chairman Buckwalter stated that this is an event that has occurred previous years and that the Township has received a certificate of insurance for this event. The Bird-in-Hand Half Marathon will be held September 7 and 8, 2012.

A motion was made by Mr. Blowers to approve the request for use of Township roads for the Bird-in-Hand Half Marathon event on September 7 and 8, 2012. The motion was seconded by Mr. Landis and passed by unanimous voice vote.

Public Comment:

A mother and her daughter, who is a student at Lancaster Catholic, was present in the audience and stated that they were present to gather some information on how the meeting is conducted.

Mr. Larry Snyder, 456 Garland Circle, Lancaster, PA 17601, addressed the Board about the lighting in Flory Park. He asked about the length of time the lights would be on and stated his concern about the cost. Mr. Hutchison stated the operational cost would be very low and that LED lights will be installed. The operation hours of the lights has not been decided at this time. Chairman Buckwalter stated that the Park Board will make that decision and suggested that Mr. Snyder consider attending the next Park Board meeting.

Adjournment:

A motion was made by Mr. Eberly and seconded by Mr. Shertzer to adjourn the meeting. The motion was passed by unanimous voice vote. The next regularly scheduled meeting is to be held on Monday, May 7, 2012 beginning at 7:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Ralph Hutchison  
Township Manager