

***PUBLIC WORKS MINUTES  
JANUARY 7, 2013***

***PRESENT: Commissioner Gary Robinson, Chairman  
Commissioner Mike Higgins  
Commissioner Mike Fulginiti  
Richard D. Lehr, Twp. Manager  
George Needles III, Assistant Twp. Manager  
Joseph Viscuso, Twp. Engineer  
Russell Palmore, Road Foreman  
Carol L. Thompson, Secretary***

***ALSO PRESENT: Commissioner Carol Graham  
Nandor Mullner of 212 Edgar Ave***

***Commissioner Gary Robinson, Chairman of the Public  
Works Committee called the January 7, 2013 meeting  
to order at 6:30 p.m.***

***Nandor Mullner of 212 Edgar Avenue informed the Committee  
that as of the last time he attended the  
Public Works Committee he has purchased and  
installed a new stainless steel pump in his basement.***

***Mr. Muller also informed the committee that he also  
purchased a New Generator which runs 13 hours  
on one full tank of fuel.***

***Mr. Muller met with a plumber to see if there was  
anyway that he could tie into the township drain  
that runs along his property.***

*Joseph Viscuso, Township Engineer, had a site plan that he showed to the committee and Mr. Mullner about the location of Township drain that runs along the area where he lives.*

*Mr. Mullner stated that he could not tie into the Twp. drain because he can't go down deep enough.*

*Another concern Mr. Mullner had was to make sure he became aware of when the electricity goes off in his house so he can start the generator.*

*Commissioner Gary Robinson stated that he did know of a device that you can purchase that alerts the home owner when the electricity goes off. He will try to find this information and give it to Commissioner Mike Higgins and he can get it to Mr. Mullner.*

*Mr. Mullner thanked the Commissioners and the Committee .*

### ***ROADMASTER'S ACTIVITY REPORT***

*Russ Palmore stated that this week is Heavy Trash pick up and there is a new process being put into place for the disposal of T.V. 's and other household items that are wired. They need to be separated from other Heavy Trash items.*

*Bids have been ordered and will be placed behind the Twp.Highway Department to help with this process.*

*Township Vehicles are being serviced and Tom is now in the process of changing all the Truck filters.*

*Russ stated that we will plan to paint two more*

***Twp. Trucks.***

***The Highway Department has been busy patching potholes throughout the Township.***

***All the Township outlets have been cleaned.***

***Russ informed the committee that all Christmas Decorations have been taken down and put away.***

***Snowfall removal from the last storm took our crew about 5 hours of plowing throughout the Township.***

#### ***DRINAGE LIST***

***Township Engineer, Joseph Viscuso stated that the current Township list has not changed.***

***Dick Lehr stated that our subcontractor Is working at New Road and Hidden Valley Road.***

#### ***MILLRIDGE RETENTION POND***

***George Needles, Assistant Twp. Manager informed the Committee that improvements to the Millridge Retention Pond will be completed in the Spring when plantings and a fence will be installed.***

#### ***NEWSOM COURT PROPERTY***

***George Needles stated that the Township is in the process of getting an appraisal on the parcel known as Newsom Pond on Weir Road. The cost would be \$1,200.00.***

#### ***RECYCLING PROGRAM***

*The Township decision to pick residents Recycling items weekly is going very well reported George Needles. He stated that we are over 40 tons.*

*The Committee discussed using some different ways to inform the residents of what to recycle and achieving a Township Goal.*

#### ***PENNONI 2013 RATE SCHEDULE***

*George distributed to the Committee a fee Schedule of rates for Pennoni Engineering. This will be discussed at Executive Committee*

#### ***OTHER BUSINESS:***

*Commissioner Fulginiti inquired about the New Sign at Poore Park. It was discussed and also dedication of the Park to be held on Memorial Day. Nothing has been decided on the dedication.*

*Grant for Led Lights installation has been Approved by Penn Dot reported Twp. Engineer Joseph Viscuso.*

*Bids are being prepared and will be available At the Township Building.*

*George Needles will prepare bid advertisement.*

#### ***Road Program***

*The Committee discussed the possibility of doing our Road Program earlier this year. Joe Viscuso is working with Upper Chichester to do a joint program again and asked if the Commissioners make a list of what roads they want done this year.*

#### ***Inlets Raised***

*The Committee discussed the problems the Snow plow has when an inlet is raised. Russ stated that there are several throughout the Township. We needed to replace a plow blade and this cost over \$700.00 this last snow fall.*

*Russ will compile a list of inlets that are In need of repair.*

*Weir Road intersection at Pennell Road was discussed. Traffic lines were pushed back at the request of the Fire Marshal. New Lines will be painted in April.*

*There being no further business of the Public Works Committee the Meeting was adjourned.*

*Respectfully Submitted:*

*Carol L. Thompson*