

RICHLAND TOWNSHIP

October 7, 2020

**MS-4 STORMWATER MANAGEMENT, ROAD PROGRAM
AND PUBLIC WORKS MEETING**

Mr. Kendrick called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. There was no one present in the audience. The four following officials present were in person or virtually:

Raymond P. Kendrick, Chairman
George P. Allen, Vice Chairman
John A. Marshall, Supervisor
Donna L. Snyder, Supervisor

Dean E. Bastianini, Township Manager
Gerald Reichart, Assistant Township Manager
Scott Shoup, P.E., Township Engineer
George Anderson, Land Use-MS 4 Coordinator

Mr. Reichart presented the Fall 2020 Public Works Department Report. The report detailed the Public Works employees' activities since Spring. It described activities undertaken by public works department employees at the park and on various roadways. It included recommendations on which streets to include in the 2020 Road Improvement Program. The Board discussed the possibility of awarding the contracts for the roads which were tabled from the 2020 paving bid and delaying the work until next year. The staff was directed to explore this possibility with the low bidders and the Township Solicitor. The report concluded with a recommendation to include the purchase of a new 40,000 GVW dump truck and milling head attachment in the 2021 Budget at an estimated cost of \$178,000.

The Board also considered a letter from Mr. Mike Griffin, President of the Chadwick Manor HOA requesting the widening of the driving lane at the Walcott Drive cul-de-sac. The Supervisors agreed with Mr. Griffin's rationale for the widening and directed the staff to develop a strategy to perform the work.

Mr. Anderson reported on various stormwater management activities including submission of the annual MS-4 report to PADEP and the inspection of the Township's 300 stormwater outfalls. He concluded with an update on the Deer Creek streambank restoration project and the plans for the remainder of the work which needs to be done to complete the Township's MS-4 Pollution Reduction Plan.

Mr. Shoup next presented the sanitary sewer department report. He updated the Board on the status of an extension project in the King of Arms Plan, The Township Manager and he reported on the status of the e Hampton Township and Allegheny Valley Joint Sewer Authority sewerage treatment plant projects.

Mr. Marshall made a motion, which was seconded by Mr. Allen, to approve Change Order No.1 to the concession stand contract with Moret Construction Co. Inc. in the amount of \$4,040.00. The change will compensate for labor and equipment and materials to lower the footings by eight inches to reach bedrock and to add lean concrete to the original footer depth. The motion was approved by all.

Mrs. Snyder made a motion authorizing the Chairman to execute a developer's agreement and storm water management agreement with Traditions of America, conditioned upon the approval of the Township Engineer and Solicitor, for Phase #2 of the Pittsburgh Cut Flower PRD. Mr. Allen seconded the motion and it was approved by all.

There being no further business the meeting concluded at 7:05 p.m. The Supervisors departed the municipal building to visit the concession stand and streambank restoration construction sites and a commercial building on Route 910 which has been the source of complaint from a neighbor.

Respectfully submitted,

Dean E. Bastianini
Township Manager