

ATHENS TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS
August 3, 2021 5 PM Special Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 5:08PM by Chairwoman Tressa Heffron. Supervisors also present were Kirstie Lake, Christine Vough, and Susan Seck. Alan Burgess was in attendance via phone call. Secretary Michelle Rude was also in attendance. Solicitor John Thompson arrived at 5:12PM.

Chairwoman Heffron recessed the special meeting to take the Board into executive session for personnel and pending litigation. The special meeting reconvened at 6:27 PM.

On motion by Tressa, second by Kirstie, motion passed to hire Jamie Orcutt to fill a vacant Heavy Equipment Operator position at the rate of \$15/hour.

On motion of Kirstie, second by Christine, motion passed to allow the Heavy Equipment Operators to attend the 26th Annual Tioga Bradford Equipment Show on August 12th.

On motion of Tressa, second by Kirstie, motion passed to rescind the motion from July 28th's meeting to purchase the replacement dump body BMT-S (serial number 29306-1) from Cleveland Brothers for \$27,498 using Liquid Fuels funds.

On motion of Kirstie, second by Tressa, motion passed to purchase a used 13-foot stainless steel Munibody dump body (VIN#ZFZHAZAN64AL88945) from A & A Truck Parts Inc. in Freehold, NJ for \$6500 plus tax. Two Heavy Equipment Operators will drive down, pick it up, and deliver it to our shop.

On motion of Susan, second by Tressa, motion passed to hire Moody and Associates to engineer PEMA project for Tutelow Creek and place project for bid based on recommendation contained within their report.

On motion of Tressa, second by Kirstie, motion passed send a letter of approval to the Bradford Co. Commissioners office to hold their annual Sheshequin Path Half Marathon.

On motion of Kirstie, second by Tressa, motion passed to approve Cohen Law Group's letter to Spectrum regarding the franchise fee audit.

On motion of Kirstie, second by Tressa, motion passed to hire Donald E. Johnson for the non-union position of Road Foreman, based on his acceptance of the MOU, at the rate of \$20/hour.

On motion of Kirstie, second by Susan, motion passed to purchase gates and posts from BestWay Fence for \$3640.00 to repair the unlockable gate to our yard.

There being no further business, on motion of Kirstie, second by Christine, it was unanimous to adjourn the meeting at 6:58 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Michelle A. Rude
Athens Township Administrative Secretary