

Athens Township Authority
March 17, 2025

Meade Murtland called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. Members also present were Doug Williams and Bill Steimel. Julie Lewis, secretary along with Joshua Cassidy were also present.

Citizens - James Genzel from Fagan Engineers was in attendance to give an update on the grant process.

Minutes – Meade Murtland asked for a motion to approve the minutes of February 24, 2025 There was a motion by William Steimel seconded by Doug Williams. The vote was unanimous.

Financial – March bills totaled \$120,951.12. There was a motion by Bill Steimel seconded by Doug Williams accept and pay the bills that total of \$120,951.12. Motion was unanimous.

Aqua Pennsylvania	\$ 266.70
BradCo Supply	\$ 64.28
Cassidy Sewer Service	\$ 6,460.00
Eastern Managed print	\$ 36.45
Empire Access	\$ 32.49
Envirep TLC	\$ 14,811.78
Horton Electric Motor Service	\$ 4,120.00
Link Computer Corporation	\$ 645.23
Niemiec, Smith & Pellingier	\$ 270.00
Patton's Plumbing	\$ 281.00
Penelec	\$ 1,182.34
Pitney Bowes	\$ 204.00
Robinson Contracting & Landscaping	\$ 405.60
Vacri Construction	\$ 13,600.00
Valley Energy	\$ 549.27
Valley Joint Sewer Authority	\$ 78,021.94
Total	\$ 120,951.08

Delinquent list – Went over the delinquent list. The list total presented to the authority was \$8,052.50. There are 3 that were sent to the attorney to place a lien on the homes for nonpayment. Payments came in that brought the delinquent list down to \$7,917.50 since the

meeting packet was sent. Julie sent the attorney the shut off agreement with Aqua. She stated that the attorney would like for us to do the shut off, we would get our money faster, however, several accounts don't have water hook up, they have wells. She will get back with the attorney to do the liens.

MAINTENANCE – Josh stated that he has not had to call for pump trucks or Van Patton for anything this month, so it was a pretty quiet month. He said that he did an inventory of pumps that we don't use. He said there are 2 in a shed at pump station 3 and a few here in the shed that we don't use. Maybe we can sell them. Doug stated that if we can't sell them, we should scrap them. There was a motion by Doug to sell the 6 excess pumps that we have that we are not able to use seconded by Meade. The vote was unanimous. After we sell them, we should buy some new back up pumps. Josh would like to see the shed that is at pump station 3 moved to Queen Esther pump station. Josh stated that he will be out of town at the conference in Grantville from March 24th through march 27th. His son will be here to take care of anything and Josh's phone will be on for anything else.

LEGAL – None

Other Business – Mike Freeland gave his resignation at the last meeting. He was appointed as an Athens Township Supervisor. There was a motion to accept his resignation by Bill Steimel, seconded by Doug Williams, the vote was unanimous.

Executive – None

Motion to adjourn was made by Doug Williams and seconded by Bill Steimel. The vote was unanimous. The meeting was adjourned at 6:08 p.m.

Next meeting is April 21, 2025 @ 5:30

Respectfully,

Julie Lewis

Administrative Secretary