

**TAXPAYERS AGENDA OF THE PLAINS TOWNSHIP BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
MEETING OF MARCH 9, 2023**

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CALL TO ORDER TIME: 7:00 P.M.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Led by Gerald Yozwiak

ROLL CALL: Peter J. Biscontini, Esq., Ciro Cinti, Robert Sax, Thomas Shubilla, and Gerald Yozwiak.

The Sunshine Act requires that those in attendance be given the opportunity to comment before a vote is taken. Anyone wishing to comment on an issue is encouraged to notify the Board prior to roll call being taken on that issue. The Township policy is to limit comment to five minutes. Anyone requiring additional time is encouraged to make arrangements to meet with the Board at a later date. Additionally, all correspondence read or referred to is available at the North Main Street Municipal Building for public inspection during regular business hours. Note that the meeting is being recorded. At this time please turn off any cell phones to avoid disrupting the meeting.

GENERAL ORDER OF BUSINESS

Motion to accept: **Minutes:** Board of Commissioner Regular Meeting of February 9th; Plains Township Recreation Board Meeting of February 6th; Wyoming Valley Sanitary Authority Meeting of January 17th. **Monthly Reports:** Police Department for February; Fire Department for February; Zoning Permits Issued for February; Contractor Licenses Issued for February; Secretaries Report for February. **Payrolls** of the Administrative, Zoning Office, Department of Public Works and Recreation Departments. The **Treasurers Report for February;** General Fund Receipts **\$446,274.90;** General Fund Disbursements **\$799,481.10;** Total Ending Balance in the General Fund as of **2/28/2023 \$581,297.98.**

CORRESPONDENCE

COMMITTEE REPORTS

POLICE – Announce 1st Crime Watch meeting to be held on April 17, 2023 at 7:00 P.M.

FIRE –

DPW – February: tons of Co-Mingled Recyclables: 173.97 tons of garbage

RECREATION –

CHAIRMAN MESSAGE –

OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

Motion to authorize payment of the **General Fund Bills** consisting of the **Utility Bills \$23,861.96; Regular Bills \$175,664.02;** Total **\$199,525.98.**

Motion to ratify the hiring of Karl Blight as a DPW laborer at a rate of \$12.00 per hour with a \$100 Clothing Allowance effective February 21, 2023, subject to successful completion of physical, post-employment offer testing and background check.

Motion to re-hire Lou Luchetti as a seasonal recreation maintenance worker at the rate of \$12.00 per hour effective March 13, 2023.

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Motion to re-hire Michelle Waslasky as Supervisor for the Summer Camp at a rate of \$13.50 per hour.

Motion to re-hire Haley Waslasky Oliver as Assistant Director for the Summer Camp at a rate of \$11.00 per hour.

SOLICITORS REPORT

Motion to reject and rebid the Firehouse No. 2 Renovations Project bid of February 8th.

Motion to adopt an ordinance establishing and creating the Plains Township Land Bank Authority.

Motion to award the bid for the Mill Creek Acres Stormwater Project to Stell Enterprises, Inc. for the low bid of \$19,199.00.

ANNOUNCEMENTS – The next regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners will be held April 13, 2023 at 7:00 P.M. The Administrative and Zoning Offices will be closed on Friday, April 7th and the DPW will be closed on Monday, April 10th all in observance of the Easter Holiday. Residents with Monday garbage collection will have their garbage picked-up on Tuesday, April 11th. All other schedules will remain the same.

TAXPAYERS (Time limit 5 minutes taxpayers must sign in).

ADJOURNMENT