

Sullivan County Council of Governments

Minutes

March 22, 2022

The meeting was called to order by Jeff Hamilton, President  
Dave Carson-Eagles Mere Borough  
Carl Vough-Forks Township  
Linda Gavitt-Davidson Township  
Brian Hoffman-Sullivan County Commissioners  
Jeff Hamilton-Laporte Township

We opened the meeting with the pledge to the flag.

A motion to approve the minutes as presented was made by Dave Carson and seconded by Carl Vough. When put to a vote all voted in favor so the minutes were approved.

A motion was made by Brian Hoffman and seconded by Dave Carson to approve the Treasurers report as presented with the exception that the Gannon Insurance check should not be written out for anything more then 1,400.00. Jeff Hamilton made this motion and Brian Hoffman seconded the motion. When put to a vote all agreed. So both motions were approved.

Brian Hoffman talked about House bill #2097, he stated that there was a good showing of letters sent out in support of the bill. He is not sure how the senate will vote on the bill., just waiting to see.

Brian also talked about a stream bank clean up that is on the agenda for Davidson, Forks and Laporte Township. There are many unique issues with some log jams north of Sonestown. A Question was brought up about where the logs would go once removed from the stream. Carl Vough made a suggestion that with the permission of home owners maybe the logs to go to neighbors helping neighbors. Linda Gavitt brought up a question on all the chain saws and such that were purchased for the old cleanup of streams through Northern Tier. She was just wondering what ever happened to the equipment and if it could be used this time.

It was brought to my attention that I should reach out to Erik Houser, Rep. Joe Hamm and Tom Gerhard and invite them to a meeting. I will be sending them emails and invite them to one of our meetings in the near future.

A motion was made by Dave Carson and Brian Hoffman to pay the bills as presented with the exception to Gannon as previously stated. When put to a vote all voted in favor so the bills will be paid.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30