# REILLY TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS RE-ORGANIZATION MEETING January 2, 2024

The Re-Organization Meeting of the Reilly Township Board of Supervisors was held January 2, 2024 at 7:00 PM at the Newtown Fire Company.

The minutes of the Re-Organization meeting held January 3, 2023 were read and accepted on a motion by Quinn, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ruch with Butensky in favor.

The following appointments were made by motion:

**Chairman: Robert Butensky** 

Motion by Quinn with Ruch in favor

Vice-Chairman: James Quinn

Motion by Ruch with Butensky in favor

Supervisor: Laurie Ruch

Motion by Butensky with Quinn in favor

Road Master: James Quinn

Motion by Butensky with Ruch in favor at \$275/month

**Assistant Road Master: Laurie Ruch** 

Motion by Butensky with Quinn in favor at \$275/month

Secretary-Treasurer: Mary Ann Matukewicz

Motion by Butensky, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Quinn with Ruch in favor

Assistant Secretary-Treasurer: Robert Butensky
Motion by Quinn with Ruch in favor at \$275/month

Part-Time Police Officer: Officer Sterner, Kattner, Murphy, Clink, and Ray as

needed

Motion by Butensky, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ruch with Quinn in favor

# Full-Time Police Chief: Joseph Wenner

Motion by Ruch, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Quinn with Butensky in favor with a salary per contract and with Medical coverage

Motion by Butensky, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ruch with Quinn in favor for Nathan Lutz and Nicholas Kriston, full time workers, to be compensated \$100 monthly to cover cost of uniforms, shoes and glasses if not covered by employee insurance and Michael Schultz to be employed as a part time seasonal worker. Holidays for the year 2024 will be New Years, Good Friday, Memorial Day, July 4<sup>th</sup>, Labor Day, Thanksgiving and Christmas.

# Solicitor: William Reiley

Motion by Butensky, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Quinn with Ruch in favor with a monthly retainer of \$500

# Engineer: Alfred Benesch & Co

Motion by Quinn, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Butensky with Ruch in favor

#### Sewage Enforcement: Wayne Bowen

Motion by Ruch, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Quinn with Butensky in favor

# Alternate Sewage Enforcement: Alfred Benesh & Co

Motion by Quinn, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Butensky with Ruch in favor

## **OPT-EIT Tax Collector: Berkheimer**

Motion by Ruch, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Quinn with Butensky in favor

# **Alternate Tax Committee: Brittany Doyle**

Motion by Quinn, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ruch with Butensky in favor

# Depository: Mid Penn Bank, PLGIT, Invest, and FNCB

Motion by Ruch, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Quinn with Butensky in favor

#### **Building Permits:**

Residential-Fred Bainbridge or Alfred Benesch Commercial and Residential if needed- Alfred Benesch & Co Motion by Quinn, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ruch with Butensky in favor

#### **Auditors: Pending**

Motion by Ruch, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Quinn with Butensky in favor.

## **Vacancy Seat: Karen Graeff**

Motion by Quinn, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ruch with Butensky in favor

#### Meetings:

Motion by Quinn, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ruch with Butensky in favor for all meetings to be held the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month at 7:30 PM at the Newtown Fire Company. All Special Meetings to be held at 7:00 PM. Changes to the 2024 meetings will be the November meeting which will be held November 20<sup>th</sup> and the December meeting will be held December 18<sup>th</sup>. The 2025 Re-Organization meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM and the regular meeting will be held on January 22, 2025.

## **Emergency Management Co-Ordinator** – James Quinn

Motion by Butensky, with Ruch in favor

#### Flood Plain Administrator – Robert Butensky

Motion by Quinn with Ruch in favor

## Hazardous Mitigation – Laurie Ruch

Motion by Quinn with Butensky in favor

#### **Code Enforcement Officer-Nick Hazlett**

Motion by Quinn, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ruch with Butensky in favor

#### **Board of Appeals for Code Enforcement**

David Warhola, Francis Quinn and Marc Premeau Motion by Quinn, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ruch with Butensky in favor

# **Treasurers Bond** - \$2,000,000

Motion by Ruch, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Quinn with Butensky in favor.

**Sanitation Pick-Up** – Continue with Casella Waste at \$1875 monthly. Motion by Ruch, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Quinn with Butensky in favor.

**Emergency Medical Service** – Tremont Ambulance & Minersville Ambulance as needed

Motion by Ruch, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Quinn with Butensky in favor

**Fire Protection for Reilly Township-** Citizens Fire Co. & Newtown Fire Co. Motion by Ruch, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Quinn with Butensky in favor

Tentative Bulk-Pick up will be September 18, 2024 Motion by Quinn, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ruch with Butensky in favor

Re-Organization meeting ended at 7:50 PM on a motion by Ruch, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Quinn with Butensky in favor.

# \*\*Meeting continued with discussion on the following issues:

~Motion by Ruch, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Quinn with Butensky in favor to lease a printer/scanner/copier/fax from Edwards at a rate of \$93.01/month for 60 months

~Motion by Ruch, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Quinn with Butensky in favor for Software Equipment for our Police Department

~Motion by Ruch, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Quinn with Butensky in favor to sign a 2 year contract for Police Officer William Kattner

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m. on a motion by Quinn, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ruch with Butensky in favor

Respectfully submitted

Mary Ann Matukewicz Secretary/Treasurer