The Lower Towamensing Township Board of Supervisors held their Board of Supervisors meeting on Tuesday, December 6, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. in the municipal building.

Members of the board present were Brent Green, Connie Brown and Michael Takerer

# MINUTES-

• Ms. Brown approved minutes of November 1 2022. Mr. Takerer seconded. All in favor.

# **BILLS:**

• Mr. Takerer made a motion to pay General Bills and Ms. Brown seconded. All in favor.

### **BUSINESS FROM PERSONS PRESENT:**

**Steve Meining**- Any updates on STR? Mr. Meining found 9 still operating in the township. Any progress with the sewage system? Mr. Brown stated that we have made lateral progress. The township is evaluating the current plan. Mr. Meining also asked for the township to hire a zoning code enforcement officer?

#### **Supervisors Business:**

- **a. Discussion of Garbage Bill Schedule** Mr. Green stated that he would like the township to have an annual bill. The bill would be adjusted for the discount for the residents that pay yearly. Table it.
- **b.** Adopt 2023 Budget-Ms. Brown made a motion to adopt the 2023 Budget. Mr. Takerer seconded. All in favor. Ms. Brown made a motion to approve the Tax Levy Resolution increase. Mr. Takerer seconded. All were in favor.
- c. Discussion on Highmark Increase- All agreed that to stay with Highmark.
- d. Review of Sewer Sludge Resolution- Resolution was signed by the Township.

### **SOLICITOR JAMES NANOVIC:**

#### **SUPERVISOR DISCUSSION:**

**Brent Green-** Mr. Green stated that the township lost Keycodes Inspection but that Barry Isset is still available. The rates would get passed on to the homeowner for any inspection.

### **Connie Brown- None**

**Michael Takerer-** Mr. Takerer stated that Jonathan Gula (Road Master) from Eldred Township, reached out regarding sharing equipment and workers on road projects. Mr. Green stated that we would need to see if Robbie (our Road Master) would like to coordinate on this subject.

Mr. Takerer asked to accept ARRO PSA Price. Ms. Brown made a motion to accept but not to exceed \$12000.00. Mr. Takerer seconded. All were in favor.

**<u>PUBLIC DISCUSSION:</u>** Steve Meining is in full support of Steve Kuhn becoming the code enforcement officer.

# **ADJOURNMENT TIME:**

Ms. Brown made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:55 P.M. Mr. Green seconded the motion. All in favor.

**<u>APPROVED:</u>** Date: 01/04/2022

Jennifer Ketchledge Secretary/Treasurer