

**FISHING CREEK TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS**  
**3188 STATE ROUTE 487, ORANGEVILLE, PA 17859**  
**Phone: 570/683-5900 - email: fishingcreektownship@gmail.com**  
**Minutes of January 3, 2022 Regular Meeting**

- The meeting was called to order by Chairman J. Kline. Present were: J. Beishline; J. Kline; S. Masich and Secretary Kindt and 5 attendees. Reorganization Meeting was held at 6PM. Regular meeting was called to order at 6:23PM. December meeting minutes reviewed. S. Masich made motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.
- Financials reviewed. Hummel & Lewis billing for legal services \$1400.00 also approved. S. Masich made motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

**Reports:**

**Road Foreman:**

- New bid limits were announced.
- Mow; patch holes; Trucks ready for snow. Berm. Spread cinders. A lot of downed trees removed.
- J. Kline attended Flood Mitigation meeting. Not much new info presented.
- Hile cleaned stream at Fishing Creek & Huntington Creek conflux. Good job.

**SEO:**

- Benjamin Bishop, Ridge Rd, Orangeville – Final Inspection
- Thomas Ruddy, Honeytown Rd, Stillwater – New System

**Pre-Construction/All Permits:**

- B211236 – Elizabeth Stauder – SR 487, Orangeville – Raise House/Add Basement
- D211237 – Elizabeth Stauder – SR 487, Orangeville – Demo Bldg.
- B211238 - Michael Gallopo – Ridge Rd, Stillwater – Demo Old Garage & Rebuild
- D211239 – Jacob Hook - SR93, Orangeville – Driveway

**Old Business:** None

**New Business:**

- Resolution 02-22 to approve attorney fee schedule for 2022. No change from 2021. S. Masich made motion to adopt, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.
- Ordinance 01-22 Regional COG Agreement includes Benton; Jackson; Fishing Creek; Sugarloaf; North Centre townships and Benton Borough. This is a mutual aid policy for participants to assist each other as the need arises. J. Beishline made motion to adopt, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.
- Reviewed Boone subdivision on Lower Raven Creek Rd. Will be used for hunting. Supervisors have no concerns. S. Masich made motion to accept, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.
- Supervisors were contacted by resident Hannah Stoddard who wishes to buy the adjoining parcel that the Township acquired after the 2011 flood. Property cannot be sold. It was agreed to lease this property to Stoddard. Attorney Lewis drew up agreement. Only applies to Stoddard. If Stoddard property sold, lease is null. J. Beishline made motion to approve, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.
- New truck from Sunbury Motors must be approved by vote to formally order said truck. Takes almost 2 years to receive truck which then must go to Bradco for final prep. J. Kline made motion to sign agreement, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

**Correspondence:** None

**Recognition of Guests/For the Good of the Township:**

- Elaine Fisher (auditor) wondered about setting working Supervisor wages. Supervisors advised Fisher to call other Townships to see what the standard would be.

There being no further business for consideration, S. Masich made motion to adjourn, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 6:48 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Coralee Kindt, Secretary/Treasurer

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**Minutes of February 9, 2022 Regular Meeting**

- The meeting was called to order at 12pm by Chairman J. Kline. The meeting was advertised and held via teleconference. Present were: J. Beishline; J. Kline; S. Masich and Secretary Kindt.

- January meeting minutes reviewed. S. Masich-motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.  
- Financials reviewed. J. Beishline-motion to approve, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.

**Reports:**

**Road Foreman:**

- Plow; cinder; clean ditches; open pipes; truck maintenance. Fuel and hauling bids had been advertised previously and J. Kline read results.

**SEO:**

- Joseph Mule, Zaners Bridge Rd, Stillwater Sewage Plan was reviewed. S. Masich made motion to accept, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

**Pre-Construction/All Permits:**

- T220101 – Travis Jamison – Timber 59 Strawberry Lane
- B220102 – Greg & Steve Camp, SR 487, Orangeville – Fence
- B220103 – Melvin Parks, Zaners Rohrsburg Rd, Orangeville – Roof Solar Panels
- B220104 – David Frank, Hartman Grove – Raise Cabin

**Old Business:**

- Draft of Nuisance Ordinance was discussed. Needs minor adjustments. Will be reviewed again and advertised in the future.

**New Business:**

- Resolution 03 - 2022 to officially change the meeting day to second Wednesday of the month was passed by a motion by S. Masich, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.
- Boone subdivision was reviewed. Supervisors have no comments. Motion made to accept by J. Beishline, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.
- Donations were proposed to Buck Food Cupboard for \$1000 and Orangeville library for \$500. J. Beishline made motion to approve, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.

**Correspondence:**

**Recognition of Guests/For the Good of the Township:**

There being no further business for consideration, J. Beishline motion to adjourn, seconded by Scott Masich. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 12:37 PM.

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**Minutes of March 9, 2022 Regular Meeting**

- The meeting was called to order at 12pm by Chairman J. Kline. The meeting was advertised and held via teleconference. Present were: J. Beishline; J. Kline; S. Masich, Secretary Kindt and two call participants.

February meeting minutes reviewed. S. Masich-motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

- Financials reviewed. S. Masich-motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

**Reports:**

**Road Foreman:**

- Clean up downed trees and limbs. Clean ditches; fill pot holes; spread stone; maintenance on trucks. Stone prices rising due to fuel costs.

**SEO:**

**Pre-Construction/All Permits:**

- B220205 – Larry Scheib, Lower Raven Creek Rd – New Home

- B220206 – Ryan Stout, Pealertown Rd – Garage/Pole Barn

- B220207 – Jacob Jacoby, Fleckensteins Grove – Recreational Cabin Affidavit

**Old Business:**

- Ordinance 2002-02 Nuisance Ordinance has been advertised and available for inspection. S. Masich made motion to adopt, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

**New Business:**

- Mule subdivision – Supervisors have no comment on plan. S. Masich made motion, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

- CCCD MOU reviewed. Nothing will change with the Conservation District. S. Masich made motion to sign, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

- Will advertise 3 projects on Harrison Road. Will use COVID money. PennDOT Rep Kehoe inspected and gave 2 estimates. 3” top coat \$75,500; 2 1/2” top coat \$67,300. Areas have a good base coat. S. Masich made motion to advertise, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

- Meetings will return to 6PM the second week of the month beginning in April. Date is April 13. S. Masich made motion to advertise, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

**Correspondence:**

- Thank you from Orangeville Library for donation.

**Recognition of Guests/For the Good of the Township:**

- Resident Beishline brought up noise issues of revving engines, 4 wheelers, etc. J. Beishline has talked to the offending resident who was not aware he was disturbing anyone.

- Resident Shaffner and contractor Lapp joined the meeting via teleconference. The water runoff situation was discussed. This is a private road that the Township has a right of way to a shed on the property. Supervisors have expended approximately \$800 to place a pipe and stone. Supervisors feel three property owners should contribute to the expenses for any additional work.

There being no further business for consideration, J. Beishline motion to adjourn, seconded by Scott Masich. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 12:48 PM.

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**Minutes of April 13, 2022 Regular Meeting**

- The meeting was called to order at 6pm by Chairman J. Kline. Present were: J. Beishline; J. Kline; S. Masich, Secretary Kindt and four residents.

- March meeting minutes reviewed. S. Masich-motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.
- Financials reviewed. S. Masich-motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

**Reports:**

**Auditors Report:**

- S. Imbarrato stated they found no deficiencies with the Township accounting.

**Road Foreman:**

- Clean ditches; fill pot holes; spread stone; bermed; washed trucks.

**SEO:**

**Pre-Construction/All Permits:**

**Old Business:**

**New Business:**

- Bids were opened for Harrison Road project. HRI was the successful bidder at \$56,768.75. List of bids attached to minutes. S. Masich made motion to award to HRI, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.
- Resolution 2022-05 PA250. A celebration of America's 250 anniversary in 2026.
- Resolution 2022-06 811 Safe Digging Month. S. Masich made motion to adopt both Resolutions, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

**Correspondence:**

**Recognition of Guests/For the Good of the Township:**

- Resident Fisher questioned if anyone attended the Fishing Creek Watershed meeting. J. Kline stated all 3 Supervisors attended, and explained the options and costs that were brought for consideration.
- Resident Stackhouse thanked Supervisors for winter maintenance on his road.

There being no further business for consideration, S. Masich motion to adjourn, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 6:32 PM.

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**Minutes of May 11, 2022 Regular Meeting**

- The meeting was called to order at 6pm by Chairman J. Kline. Present were: J. Beishline; J. Kline; S. Masich, Secretary Kindt and eight attendees.

- April meeting minutes reviewed. S. Masich made motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.  
- Financials reviewed. Additional invoice from Leighow Oil for diesel in amount of \$4199.99. J. Beishline made motion to approve, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.

-The issue of sewage at Lori's Diner on Pealertown Road was the center of a lengthy discussion. Joshua Billings of J Billings Development Consulting, LLC was in attendance to ask Supervisors for a conditional approval to use present septic which would entail limiting number of patrons able to be served daily. Billings explained this is just the "planning module" and a "resolution for plan revision for new land development. Attorney Lewis was in attendance and suggested the Supervisors make a motion to approve the filing contingent on approval by Powlus, Sewage Enforcement Officer. S. Masich made motion to pass resolution 2202-08 and module, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried. Attorney Lewis stated that since this is considered "new land development" Township should require an approval letter from Columbia County Planning Commission since there is no zoning in FCT.

-COG inspector Steve Bielskie, attended meeting by phone and stated that the diner must be ADA compliant before he can issue permits. Prints for necessary improvements must be submitted to Bielskie by architect.  
-Also addressed was the barn which is on the property and will be an antique venue. Rest rooms in restaurant will not be available to shoppers at the barn. A port-a-potty cannot be used at the barn for long term, and barn must be ADA compliant if shoppers enter barn.

**Road Foreman:**

- Clean ditches; Replace pipes on Schoolhouse and Harrison Road; cleaned up limbs and trees; washed trucks. Attended COG meeting to discuss oil from HRI to be used in tar & chipping in July.

**SEO:**

- Gianna/James Earp, Harrison Rd, Orangeville – New System  
- Stella Eshleman, Winding Rd, Shickshinny – Replace Septic Tank

**Pre-Construction/All Permits:**

- B220308 - Gianna/James Earp, Harrison Rd, Orangeville – New Home  
- B220309 – Wayne Basilone, Shultz Rd, Orangeville – Solar Roof Panels  
- B220310 - Daniel Cummings, Mountain Rd, Orangeville – Addition to Bedroom & Garage  
- D220411 - Ernest Bogert, Strawberry Lane, Stillwater – Demo Trailer  
- B220412 – Zachary Pearson, Ridge Rd, Orangeville – Solar Roof Panels  
- B220413 – Martin Bozich, Zaners Bridge Rd, Stillwater – In Ground Pool  
- B220414 – Tamara Collae, Harrison Rd, Orangeville – Ground Mount Solar Panels

**Old Business:** None

**New Business:**

- Argil Posey Subdivision. Reviewed. No comments. Motion by S. Masich, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.  
- EMS Proclamation May 15-21, 2022. J. Beishline made motion at approve, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.

- Radiological Emergency Response Plan – Resolution 2022-07. EMA member C. Saxton explained this plan is updated through the County every couple of years and Township uses this plan as guideline. There will be a drill June 8 after Township meeting. S. Masich made motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

- Columbia County PA Lyme Support Group asked permission to place posters around the Township regarding the dangers of ticks and Lyme disease. S. Masich made motion to allow, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

**Correspondence:** None

**Recognition of Guests/For the Good of the Township:**

- Resident Stackhouse showed Supervisors preliminary plans for improvements at his residence. He does not have a contractor to date. Township has no problem with his plan.

- Resident Blakeney asked what would happen at Lori's Diner if they decided to sell? Stipulations in all existing paperwork would govern future use.

There being no further business for consideration, J. Beishline made motion to adjourn, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 7:05 PM.

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**Minutes of June 8 2022 Regular Meeting**

- The meeting was called to order at 6pm by Chairman J. Kline. Present were: J. Beishline; J. Kline; S. Masich, Secretary Kindt and six attendees.

- May meeting minutes reviewed. J. Beishline made motion to approve, seconded by S. Masich.  
- Financials reviewed. Additional invoice from Pike's Creek for asphalt in amount of \$1706.78. J. Beishline made motion to approve, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried. Paving of Harrison Road is complete. J. Beishline made motion to pay HRI invoice when received, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.

**Road Foreman:**

- Ready roads for tar & chipping beginning July 11; Clean up after storms; mowing.

**SEO:**

- Wm Pasukinis, Bendertown Rd, Stillwater – Testing  
- Mark Prout, Zaners Rohrsburg Rd, Orangeville – Testing

**Pre-Construction/All Permits:**

- D220515 – Ken Harker, Mountain Rd, Shickshinny – Demolish Trailer  
- B220516 – Joseph Newhart, Pealertown Rd, Orangeville – Garage  
- B220517 – Musselman Realty, Mountain Rd, Shickshinny – New Home  
- B220518 – Edward Weller, Fleckenstein Grove, Orangeville – Elevation & Addition  
- B220519 – Jason McKenna, Three Springs Rd, Stillwater – Pole Barn  
- D220520 – William Pasukinis, Bendertown Rd, Stillwater – Driveway  
- B220521 – Tara Bogert, Strawberry Lane, Stillwater – Garage & Deck

**Old Business:** None

**New Business:**

- Dean Ribble Subdivision reviewed. Motion to accept by S. Masich, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.  
- Rodney Bogart sewage module and subdivision reviewed. Approved pending correction of the wrong Township secretary name on sewage module. J. Kline motion to approve, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.

**Correspondence:**

- Letter received regarding Sokol Quarry air quality permit from DEP. Township has 30 day review period.

**Recognition of Guests/For the Good of the Township:**

- Resident Fisher questioned whether anything could be done about the condition of two properties near Zaners Bridge. One will be bought by Redevelopment Authority. Township has nuisance ordinance but is currently seeking an enforcement officer.  
- Resident Stackhouse thanked Supervisors for all the road work that has been completed.

There being no further business for consideration, J. Beishline made motion to adjourn, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 6:24 PM.

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**Minutes of July 13, 2022 Regular Meeting**

- The meeting was called to order at 6pm by Chairman J. Kline. Present were: J. Beishline; J. Kline; S. Masich, Secretary Kindt and four attendees.

- June meeting minutes reviewed. J. Beishline made motion to approve, seconded by S. Masich.  
- Financials reviewed. Additional invoice from Pike's Creek for asphalt in amount of \$1361.32. Paving of Harrison Road is complete and the invoice submitted was for \$59,394.03. The addition to the original quote was for extra asphalt used and approved by J. Kline during paving. S. Masich made motion to approve financials, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

**Road Foreman:**

- Clean up after storms; mowing. Ready trucks for tar & chipping beginning tomorrow; Five townships work together on T&C including Sugarloaf, Benton, Jackson, North Centre and FCT.

**SEO:**

- Deb Rice, Covered Bridge Rd, Orangeville – 2 Probes  
- Melody Danko, Zaners Rohrsburg Rd, Orangeville – Replace Septic Tank  
- Joel Smith, SR 487, Orangeville – Replace Septic Tank  
- William Hutchison, Pine Rd, Stillwater – 1 Probe & Perc

**Pre-Construction/All Permits:**

- B220622 – Arnold Stackhouse, Church Rd, Stillwater – Addition  
- D220623 – Robert Wenner, Bendertown Rd, Orangeville – Demo  
- B220624 – George Cunningham, Zaner Bridge Rd, Solar Roof Panels  
- B220625 – Melody Danko-Holsomback, Zaners Rohrsburg Rd, Orangeville – New Home  
- D220626 – Melody Danko-Holsomback, Zaners Rohrsburg Rd, Orangeville – Demo Old Home  
- B220627 – Martin Bozich, Zaners Bridge Rd, Stillwater - Fence

**Old Business:** None

**New Business:** None

**Correspondence:**

- Email from Ken Roberts, Floodplain Manager, informing FCT that we will be required by the State, to update our Floodplain Ordinance. He has offered to share his updated plan for Danville with FCT.

**Recognition of Guests/For the Good of the Township:**

-Resident Saxton announced three upcoming events for Emergency Management. August 16, 5:30pm, Practice Drill; August 27, picnic at Knoebels; October 18, 5:30pm, full scale observed exercise. Contact Curt for further details. 570-878-2196.  
- Resident Blakeney phoned in a thank you for work done on Savage Hill Road.

There being no further business for consideration, S. Masich made motion to adjourn, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 6:15 PM.

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**Minutes of August 10, 2022 Regular Meeting**

- The meeting was called to order at 6pm by Chairman J. Kline. Present were: J. Beishline; J. Kline; S. Masich, Secretary Kindt and three attendees.

- July meeting minutes reviewed. S. Masich made motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline.  
- Financials reviewed. Additional invoices from Pike's Creek for asphalt in amount of \$4202.43; McHenry Towing \$525; McKechney for outdoor bait traps \$80. J. Beishline made motion to approve financials, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.

**Road Foreman:**

- Tar and chip last three weeks in N. Centre; Jackson; Benton Twp; Benton Boro; Sugarloaf, Fishing Creek; Berming; Replace signs; mowing; Plan to repair Kramer Hill Rd.  
- Fuel price increases made it difficult for haulers who submitted bids in March. PennDOT, and PSATS stated haulers had to abide by quotes. Also contacted solicitor.

**SEO:**

- Carol English, Richters Rd, Orangeville – Perk Test

**Pre-construction/all permits:**

- B220728 – Bernie Ciampi, Hartman Grove, Orangeville – Build & Elevate Cabin

**Old Business:** None

**New Business:**

- Pasukinis subdivision and sewage module for new dwelling reviewed. Supervisors had no issues. J. Beishline made motion to accept, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.  
- New floodplain ordinance will be advertised for passage in September. FEMA & PEMA have updated the floodplain requirements. Ordinance will be available for inspection during normal business hours. S. Masich made motion to advertise, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion Carried.

**Correspondence:**

- Letter from Breezeline indicating customers will be getting rate increase.

**Recognition of Guests/For the Good of the Township:**

-Resident Saxton reminded attendees of the three upcoming events for Emergency Management. August 16, 5:30pm, Practice Drill; August 27, picnic at Knoebels; October 18, 5:30pm, full scale observed exercise. Contact Curt for further details. 570-878-2196.

There being no further business for consideration, S. Masich made motion to adjourn, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 6:16 PM.

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**Minutes of September 14, 2022 Regular Meeting**

- The meeting was called to order at 6pm by Chairman J. Kline. Present were: J. Beishline; J. Kline; S. Masich, Secretary Kindt and six attendees.

- August meeting minutes reviewed. S. Masich made motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.
- Financials reviewed. S. Masich made motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried

**Road Foreman:**

- N. Centre and Sugarloaf worked with Fishing Creek Twp on Kramer Hill Rd. Continue to berm, mow; haul stone and clean up trees after storms.

**SEO:**

- William Hutchinson, Pine Road, Stillwater – Replace Septic Tank
- Doug Dehaven, Asbury Rd, Orangeville – New System
- Jacob Hook, Mountain Rd, Orangeville – Probes & Perc
- Anthony Stroup, Pealertown Rd, Orangeville – New System
- Joshua Billings, Development Consulting, presented a revised plan for the Robert Quinn sewage module on Pealertown Road. The septic will be for the barn and the house and was inspected by Chip Adams Sewer. It is not being considered for a restaurant. It will be “Vintage Stuff & More’ antiques and gift shop. Still needs handicap compliance, etc. S. Masich made motion to approve Resolution 07-2022 for Plan Revision for New Land Development, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

**Pre-construction/all permits:**

- D220829 – Jerry Brokenshire, Kinney Hill Rd., Stillwater – Driveway
- B220830 – Anthony Stroup, Pealertown Rd, Orangeville – Driveway/New Home/Garage
- B220833 – Joseph Saienni, Harrison Rd, Orangeville – Solar Panels

**Old Business:**

- S. Masich made motion to table until next meeting, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

**New Business:**

- Brokenshire subdivisions were reviewed. Supervisors had no issues with the add-on. S. Masich made motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried. However, the lot for the pad for a motor home/mobile home did not address sewer and water. S. Masich made motion to table, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried. Supervisors will discuss with Gene Powlus, sewage enforcement officer.

**Correspondence:**

**Recognition of Guests/For the Good of the Township:**

- Resident Saxton reminded attendees of the October 18, drill at 5:30pm, full scale observed exercise. EMA will conduct two training sessions for the new web-based communications system. Sessions are October 13 at 10am until Noon and 6pm until 8pm. Contact Curt for further details. 570-878-2196.
- Mr. Smith complained that flood mitigation he was required to do some years ago by a former permit officer was unnecessary. He stated he felt the officer was not qualified to order these modifications.

There being no further business for consideration, S. Masich made motion to adjourn, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 6:38 PM.

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**Minutes of October 13, 2022 Regular Meeting**

- The meeting was called to order at 6pm by Chairman J. Kline. Present were: J. Beishline; J. Kline; S. Masich, Secretary Kindt and one attendee.

- September meeting minutes reviewed. J. Beishline made motion to approve, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.  
- Financials reviewed. S. Masich made motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried

**Road Foreman:**

- Berm, mow; haul stone and get trucks ready for winter.

**SEO:**

- Nothing

**Pre-construction/all permits:**

- B220934 – William Pasukinis, Bendertown Rd, Stillwater – New home

**Old Business:**

- S. Masich made motion to adopt new Floodplain Ordinance, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

**New Business:**

- Prout subdivisions was reviewed. Supervisors had no issues. Prout sewage module was reviewed. J. Beishline made motion to approve, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.  
- Resolution 07-2022 – Plan Revision for New Land Development.  
- Resolution 08-2022 – Supplemental Appropriations  
- Resolution 09-2022 – Property Tax Penalty Waiver Provisions. S. Masich made motion, seconded by J. Beishline to pass all three resolutions.  
- Resolution 10-2022 – 1 Mill Tax Increase for 2023. J. Kline made motion to approve, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.

**Correspondence:**

- Gene Powlus submitted resignation effective December 31, 2022.  
- Letter from Hummel, Lewis & Davidson increasing hourly rate for litigation.

**Recognition of Guests/For the Good of the Township:**

- J. Kline stated that Secretary Kindt did a good job organizing the Conference for Township Officials on October 12 at VoTech.

There being no further business for consideration, S. Masich made motion to adjourn, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 6:19 PM.

**Budget Meeting:**

-Budget figures reviewed. 1 mill increase will mean additional revenue of \$27,749. Sterling to be sold. J. Beishline made motion to advertise tentative budget, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.

S. Masich made motion to adjourn, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried. Budget Meeting was adjourned at 6:33 PM

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- October meeting minutes reviewed. J. Beishline made motion to approve, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.
- Financials reviewed. S. Masich made motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried
- Ammon Young, director of traveling library attended meeting to request a donation. County Commissioners will match any donations received. Traveling library an asset to rural citizens. J. Beishline made motion to donate \$500 per year, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.

**Road Foreman:**

- Berm, mow; haul stone; trucks ready for winter.

**SEO:**

- William Pasukunis, Bendertown Rd, Stillwater – New System
- Virginia Rhinard, Three Springs Rd, Stillwater – Planning Waiver
- Robert Quinn, Pealertown Rd, Orangeville – Planning Module Fee & Consultation

**Pre-construction/all permits:**

- Neil Fenstemaker, Hartman Grove, Orangeville – Raise Cabin
- Final Land Development Plan – T. Posey. Motion to approve by S. Masich, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

**Old Business:**

- J. Beishline made motion to adopt 2023 budget, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.

**New Business:**

- Resolution 2022 - 11 – Appoint Columbia County as Tax Collector. J. Beishline made motion, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.
- Rhinard subdivision was reviewed. Supervisors had no issues. J. Beishline made motion to approve, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.
- Redevelopment Authority asked Supervisors to sign a maintenance agreement for the Wells property on SR 487. The buildings will be demolished and the property turned over to Fishing Creek. Conservation District may plant wild flowers on vacant lot. Supervisors asked Secretary to check if pavilion on opposite side of highway will be removed also.

**Correspondence:**

- Letter from J. Long, EMA coordinator, thanking the volunteers for a job well done during practice drill in October. She stated the commissioners thanked the Township also. FEMA and PEMA were impressed with the results.

**Recognition of Guests/For the Good of the Township:**

There being no further business for consideration, S. Masich made motion to adjourn, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 6:21 PM.

**Respectfully Submitted - Coralee Kindt, Secretary/Treasurer**

**FISHING CREEK TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS**  
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**Minutes of December 14, 2022 Regular Meeting**

- The meeting was called to order at 6pm by Chairman J. Kline. Present were: J. Beishline; J. Kline; S. Masich, Secretary Kindt and four in attendance.

- November meeting minutes reviewed. S. Masich made motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.  
- Financials reviewed. S. Masich made motion to approve, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried  
- Joshua Billings again presented sewage module plans for Robert Quinn, Pealertown Road. DEP had denied the application due to the well on the property being too close to the septic system. Well will be moved. S. Masich made motion to pass resolution 2022-12 to approve, J. Beishline seconded. Motion carried.

**Road Foreman:**

- Berm, filled potholes, spread stone; trucks ready for storm. Cinder spreader was purchased from Bradco after it was determined that the old spreader was not usable. The bed was rusted out.

**SEO: None**

**Pre-construction/all permits:**

- B221136 – Carol Bath, Ridge Road, Orangeville – Ground Mount Solar Panels  
- B221137 – Oakridge Lumber – Timber on Martenas Road  
- B221238 – Ivan Posey, Posey Hill Rd, Orangeville – Barn Addition

**Old Business:**

- S. Masich made motion to adopt Ordinance 2022-04 appointing Columbia County Sanitary Inspection Service as the sewage inspection services for the Township, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried.

**New Business:**

- January Reorganization meeting will be Tuesday, January 3. All other meetings for 2023 will be the second Wednesday of the month at 6pm. Should the October meeting conflict with the County Convention, the Township meeting date will be advertised. J. Beishline made motion to approve, seconded by S. Masich. Motion carried.

**Correspondence:**

- Email received from General Insurance that they will pay the claim for the signs knocked down by one of their insured.

**Recognition of Guests/For the Good of the Township:**

- Resident Saxton questioned if Wells property on Rt. 487 would be deeded to the Township. It will and it will be seeded with wild flowers by the Conservation District.

There being no further business for consideration, S. Masich made motion to adjourn, seconded by J. Beishline. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 6:25 PM.

**Respectfully Submitted - Coralee Kindt, Secretary/Treasurer**