WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
MEETING OF:
August 17, 2026

The regular monthly meeting of the Washington Township Board of Supervisors was held on Monday, August 17, 2026.

Those in attendance were Chairman John J. Krause, Vice-Chairman Eric Wolfe, Supervisor Lynn Brown, Secretary/Treasurer Dwayne Kroh, and Solicitor Rick Wiest. Also in attendance were Harold Bachert Jr. and Nick Miller.

Chairman Krause opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance. Chairman Krause reminded the residents of the notices regarding meeting conduct and public comment procedures.

CORRESPONDENCE: The following miscellaneous correspondence was received and presented to the Board of Supervisors for their review; a list was also included in the public packet. Received from:

1. Keith Heinbach – Tax Collection information from 7/1/2026 - 7/31/2026
2. Nick Miller – Call Out Report for July
3. Schuylkill County – Exoneration Letter for Real Estate (School Only)
4. PA Association of Public Employee Retirement Systems – Newsletter
5. Derek Behler – Bridge Inspection Notice
6. Schuylkill County – Change Notice List
7. MRM – PLT Loss Activity Report
8. FCCB – Notice of Returned Deposited Items
9. PPL Electric – Voltage Reduction Schedule for Thursday, August 20th
10. ACORD – Certificate of Liability Insurance for Construction Masters Services, LLC
11. FCCB – Statement
12. Fulton Bank – Statement
13. PLGIT - Statement

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: No Public Comment.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Upon motion of Chairman Krause, seconded by Supervisor Brown, approving the minutes for the July 20, 2026, regular monthly meeting without correction. This motion unanimously carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT AND BILLS FOR APPROVAL: Upon motion of Chairman Krause, seconded by Supervisor Brown, the July 6, 2026 – August 4, 2026, Treasurer's Report was approved with a balance in all accounts, before receipts and bills, of $2,098,912.81. Included in this motion was the approval of payment of all bills presented. This motion unanimously carried.

RECEIPTS: The report of receipts (July 17, 2026 – August 13, 2026) listing $15,120.34 in EIT receipts and $2,339.29 in regular General Fund receipts was approved as printed upon motion of Chairman Krause, seconded by Vice-Chairman Wolfe. This motion unanimously carried.

SOLICITOR'S REPORT: Solicitor Wiest stated Schuylkill County is looking at data centers. On August 6, 2026, a meeting was held by Schuylkill County, and a 180-day safe harbor period was established regarding data centers. This will indirectly cover Washington Township.

ROADMASTER REPORTS: Roadmaster Brown stated at the upper end of Harvey Drive there are steel stakes in the right-of-way. Roadmaster Brown has received complaints regarding the stakes. The Board of Supervisors directed Solicitor Wiest to send a letter regarding the removal of the stakes from the right-of-way. Roadmaster Brown also stated the paver is still being worked on, and the zipper needs parts.

COUNTY ZONING: Schuylkill County Planning and Zoning: Final Land Development Plan for Dennis Nolt Ag Operation.

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT: Nick Miller stated it has been quiet, and everyone has been working well together.

NEW BUSINESS 8/17/2026: The Board of Supervisors approved the Ag Exempt Permit for Guy Zimmerman.

Chairman Krause motioned to accept the submitted tax exemptions. Seconded by Vice-Chairman Wolfe, this motion unanimously carried.

A brief discussion was held regarding the proposed dedication of property 33-12-0051.000 to Washington Township. No decisions have yet to be made by the Board of Supervisors.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business to come before the Board of Supervisors of Washington Township, upon motion of Chairman Krause, seconded by Supervisor Brown, the meeting adjourned at 7:34 p.m. This motion unanimously carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Dwayne R. Kroh
Secretary/Treasurer
Washington Township