

MINUTES FOR MEETING OF APRIL 8, 2026

The regular meeting of the Pine Grove Township Supervisors was held on Wednesday, April 8, 2026 at 7:00 p.m. at the Town Hall. Supervisors present were Douglas Smith, Robert Nelson and Linda Farnsworth. Others present were Greg Senyo, Dave Schwanke, Rich Barrett, Dave McJunkin and Julie Parmenter.

Douglas Smith called the meeting to order at 7:02 pm.

The meeting opened with the pledge to the flag.

Douglas Smith read over the agenda and asked if there were any comments from visitors or residents.

Greg Senyo was inquiring on the possibility of more work on Reynolds Run. He mentioned what a good job was done previously, although, the road is still in need of some repair. He would like to see some work extending down the road. He is concerned about the erosion. The Supervisor's advised that they have been in contact with the Conservation District to see if this project would qualify under the Dirt & Gravel Roads Projects and they do have a meeting set up with them to review this.

Greg also mentioned the condition of some of the properties on Priest Hollow Road. The Supervisor's are aware of this and would also like to make some progress but there is only so much that can be done.

A motion was made to approve the minutes for the March 27, 2026 meeting by Linda Farnsworth. Bob Nelson seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.

Linda Farnsworth made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report dated April 8, 2026. Bob Nelson seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.

Bob Nelson made a motion to approve the payment of bills in the amount of \$31,625.69 for the general fund, \$16,868.81 for the sewer fund, \$5,307.50 for the sewer II fund, and \$3,154.53 for the water fund. Also, approval for payment of any utilities that may come due before the next regular scheduled meeting. The motion was seconded by Linda Farnsworth. The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.

Dave McJunkin informed the Supervisors that the bucket has been welded and it has been returned. He mentioned that it has a hump in the middle. He had the repair person stop by and look at it; they will get it fixed. He also noted that the blue truck is back.

There was some discussion on the upcoming summer work and the fact that currently we are down one employee. It was mentioned that this situation needs to be addressed in the new future. Dave advised that his biggest concern is making sure the mowing gets done.

No representatives from the Fire Department were in attendance.

Next was some talk on the LSA Grant and if matching funds could be contributed towards this. The Supervisor's decided they needed to settle on an amount to commit to this grant. Bob Nelson made a motion to designate \$50,000 from the General Reserve Fund toward the LSA Grant. Linda Farnsworth seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.

The troubleshooting for the pump station on Mill Lane by Ahlstrom Schaeffer will commence on April 23rd.

A complaint was received in the office regarding property located at 429 Peterson Hollow Road. It was mentioned that there is a lot of garbage and debris and now there are rats which are going to the neighbor's porches. The Supervisor's will look at this to determine if this falls under the nuisance ordinance.

Rich Barrett mentioned that he is in the process of redoing the notification manual that goes to the county. He would like to put in the manual Mike Lindell, as a contact for a tree cutter, and Cable Excavating, for heavy equipment. This would be for emergency situations in which the fire department may not be able to get something taken care of. Rich will contact these companies to see if they are agreeable to this. The Supervisors are acceptable. as long as it is a township road.

Bob Nelson made a motion for adjournment at 8:00 PM. Doug Smith seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Julie Parmenter". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned to the right of the word "Sincerely,".

Secretary