MINUTES FOR MEETING OF OCTOBER 23, 2026

The meeting of the Pine Grove Township Supervisors was held on Friday, October 23, 2026 at 8:30 am at the Town Hall. Supervisors present were Doug Smith, Robert Nelson and Linda Farnsworth. Others present were Julie Parmenter.

Doug Smith opened the meeting at 9:40 a.m. after the completion of the job interview.

The meeting opened with the pledge to the flag.

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

No visitors or residents were present.

After some consultation regarding Mr. Matthews job interview, Linda Farnsworth made a motion to offer Mr. Matthews the road crew position with a starting rate of $23.00 per hour. Doug Smith seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous and the motion carried. The secretary will contact Mr. Matthews to notify him of the Supervisor's decision.

A motion was made to approve the minutes from the October 21, 2026 meeting by Bob Nelson. Linda Farnsworth seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.

There was some exchange on possible compensation to Lisa Miller for all the work she puts into the Township Newsletter. Linda Farnsworth made a motion to give a $100 donation to Lisa Miller for her generous contributions of time donated to this community publication. Doug Smith seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.

The Supervisor's reviewed the2027 budget numbers. They are awaiting some figures to come in for the workers compensation and liability insurance. They tabled this and will revisit the budget at the next meeting.

Next was the Health Insurance Renewal. The Supervisor's reviewed the options available and decided to renew with the Highmark Western Performance Blue PPO Silver. A motion was made by Linda Farnsworth to renew the health insurance with the Highmark Western Performance Blue PPO Silver Alternate Option #1. Bob Nelson seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.

The renewal premiums for the Workers Compensation and Liability Insurance have not been received yet. The Supervisor's will table this until next meeting so renewal premiums totals can be obtained.

The Supervisor's analyzed the current tax rate. They would like to examine the numbers more closely before making aa decision on this. They will table this until the next meeting so more information can be obtained.

Linda Farnsworth made a motion for adjournment at 10.04 am. Bob Nelson seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.

Sincerely,

Julie Parmenter

Secretary