

Goshen Township Meeting Minutes

March 11th, 2026

Members Present: Chairman-David Taylor, Vice-Chairman James Sankey, John Taylor, Wanda Rougeux

Public Attendance: Greg Martell, Jeff Prince, Mark Martell

Public Comment: Concerns about the Data Center-Legally put time constraints, expansion constraints not allowing them to create bigger. Mark suggested we call rural places in Virginia to ask what they wish they would have done differently before the data centers started taking over there. Also, suggested a wall be built to limit the sound.

Review of Minutes from February Meeting: Jim motioned to approve the minutes, 2nd by John with all in Favor with changing the Vice Chairman and Chairman roles under members present.

Treasurer Report: John motioned to approve, 2nd by Jim with all in favor to approve the treasurer report

Bill List: Motion by Dave to approve bill list 2nd by Jim with all in favor.

Old Business:

Fuel Report: 260 Gallons Used for February

Painting: Floors still need painted. Walls have been painted.

Township Audit: Wanda states that Terri Cunkle has spent a day with Wanda getting things corrected. She is planning on coming one day next week as well. We hope to have things wrapped up the end of March or latest time would be end of April or end of May because of Wanda's vacation.

Liberty Fire: The hood still needs welded and bell needs placed. John said they would probably have to do it themselves. No word back from Halvo's.

Yard Works- This was tabled from last month regarding getting a dumpster or at least trying to get a dumpster at the township building for the residents to get rid of their trash and clean up the yards. No decisive action taken. Will continue to table it. Dave or John was going to check on quote from other places.

New Business:

Town Hall Meeting-This will be held March 12th @ 6:00pm for the residents. There will be Rep. Dallas Kephart, Senator Langerholc, Unilec Representative Kristy Smith, Commissioners Winters and Soble, Solicitor William Shaw will all be in attendance. Susquehanna River Basin sent a statement that Jim will read on their behalf.

Township Meetings about Data Center: We have met with Holly Fishel from PSSAT's and Susquehanna River Basin Andrew Dehoff we had a few hours of phone conversations with both parties and since no proposals have been brought before the board and no permits have been issued there is very little they can do at this time. We had also invited the Girard Township Supervisors and Kay as well. We also had meetings with Bill Shaw, our Solicitor about updating our SALDO and creating new ordinances especially for the rumored data center, unlike the solar we were caught off guard with that issue.

Jerry Run Grant Project- We were awarded half the money upfront.

Playground Grant- Wanda applied for a \$5,000.00 grant for a new piece of playground equipment and for benches and signs through Pennsylvania Mini Grants 2026.

Clearfield Area Municipal Water Authority-Wanda has been in contact with Mr. Lopez and he states that the engineers are still gathering information and moving forward with trying to get water to Goshen Twp Residents.

Liquid Fuels Money Received. We did receive our liquid Fuels money March 2nd. It was down slightly from last year but we received \$71,746.33 and 19,320.00 from the Turn backs.

Shaw Law Group-Our solicitor sent us a letter to hand deliver to the two residents in Croft that the township has no legal obligation to maintain Peach Street. If the residents want to pursue civil litigation with each other that is their choice and will be their expense for further action.

Secretary Vacation-Wanda will be on vacation from April 10th-May 4th. The board approved the vacation.

Proposed Road Improvement for 2026- We have tabled this discussion until next meeting. We will be contacting Midland to do the grant from the Conservation District for Jerry Run tar and Chip 300' this spring. We will also be putting in for a lot more roads through this grant this fall. We will also be reaching out to Big Buck Lumber about fixing Hainsey Road. We have contacted them and wanted to wait until the weather was nicer to see without all the snow on the road. The amount of the road bond was \$5400.00.

Insurance Meeting- Wanda met with Ron Boyles to go over insurance information and update policy. We were able to save \$388.00 from the quote. Wanda also checked about increasing the bond amount from \$300,000.00 to \$500,000.00 it would be an additional \$700.00. We will discuss further since it doesn't renew until June 2026.

Training Classes- Wanda will set up the Dirt, Gravel class for all 3 supervisors since Jim and Dave's expire in December 2026. We must have at least one person take the class in order to be approved for Conservation District Grants. Wanda will schedule them for the class in DuBois in August. All 3 would like to attend.

Auditor General-visited us to finish up the 5 year audit with special attention to payroll. We had no missing money but some corrections needed to be done because of improper coding. Adjustments made. Wanda sent letter confirming approval.

Website Updated- We have updated it put new meeting minutes, adopted 811 April Safe Digging Month. We also put reminder on to get your dog license and the town hall meeting set for tomorrow night.

Stone Bid Packets: We will open the bids tonight. Award letters will be sent anybody with Bid Bonds will be sent back if not awarded.

Penn Safe-Jack Carns will be handling the cabins in the Flood Zone issue from this point forward. The resident has done nothing in regards to the issue.

Roadway Report:

PPG reports that they hauled 103 Loads of Water and 1 Construction Load this month.

Earthmovers has not reported in the past few months.

Road Bond for **ANO Oilfields Inc.** was done for T. Lee Taylor Rd from 3/6/2026-3/6/2027.

Social Hall Rentals:

*Wanda reports all Yard Sale Tables have been rented out for 2026. Most of the monies have been collected as well except for one person. We also will have the vendors in the booklet this year. Apparently, issues in the past. We will also have booklets at the township office this year. July 17-18th

*Sportman's Meeting- 4/13/2026, 5/11/2026, 6/6/2026

*Missy Meeker-7/25/2026-Reunion

*Deb Livergood-9/12/2026-Reunion

*Tara Porter-5/23/2026

*Brittany McIlvaine-5/31/2026-Birthday Party

*Susan Marrow-6/13/2026 (Remembrance Ceremony)

*Jennifer Hess-6/20/2026-

CORRESPONDENCE:

Letter presented from Dubois Expansion Project

CVB Media regarding a major increase in people who viewed our site this month.

Solid Waste Authority provided us with the Annual Report

PA ONE CALLS: (4) we had not responded to tickets since 2023. That has been resolved going forward.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion: John, 2nd Jim all in favor to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 9:00pm

NEXT MEETING: The next meeting will be April 8th at 7pm