

Goshen Township Meeting Minutes

August 12th, 2026

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

Public Attendees: Greg Martell

Public Comment: None

Secretary's Report: Read by Wanda Rougeux motion was made by John, seconded by Dave to accept the minutes of meeting. All in favor.

Treasurer's Report: Reviewed and motion was made by Jim, seconded by John to accept the treasurer's report and all bills signed and paid. All in favor.

Old Business:

Discussion regarding the grill hood and floors for the social hall. Chris from Halvo's Mobile Welding gave a quote for \$100.00/hr plus material and it was unanimously accepted by the board. Wanda states a resident, Greg Martell offered a donation for the installation, and we will accept this kind donation. Wanda also reached out to Mr. Hemphill from the Goshen Sportsman's Association for a donation, they will discuss it at the next meeting.

Roadwork on Jerry Run will be done the end of August, hopefully according to Midland on 300' from SR 879 to TR 623. It was also noted that the township will be tar & chipping Hansey Road on the 24th of August.

The Supervisors all attended the 2 day Dirt & Gravel Class on 8/4 & 8/5 in DuBois. Wanda attended the secretary round table event in Philipsburg on July 30th.

The Data Center Ordinance has been advertised and recorded in the Courthouse records the beginning of August 2026. Wanda states she has contacted Mr. Shaw regarding enacting the International Maintenance Code, it will not be ready for approval until later this year per Supervisors request.

The Fire Hall door locks will be replaced this month by Lezzer Lumber at a price of \$750.00 for the lock and around \$250.00 for the installation.

Wanda received quotes from many different people regarding a dumpster rental. She questioned the supervisors asking what size we wanted and it was agreed upon to get a 30 Yard Dumpster for our Fall Clean Up. Wanda will schedule with the cheapest place and let us know at the next meeting. Oct 5th-10th will be the clean- up week for our township.

New Business:

Lanager's Landscaping gave us a quote for landscaping at the playground. The quote was for \$4,900.00 which also included adding more mulch to the playground since there is a lot of bare spots. They will also spray the weeds. He provided pictures of the project and it will be done before the end of September. This will take care of the grant awarded and the township will supply some topsoil to help with the mounding islands which will help decrease the cost. Dave added it might be nice to get a small pavilion in the middle of the flowering mounding islands. Wanda said she would maybe get a grant for that in the future with parks and recreation. Wanda offered to get another quote but the board said it was not necessary, Lanager's Landscaping was awarded the job. Wanda will notify them tomorrow.

Wanda will attend the virtual class on Chart of Accounts by DCED on Monday, August 24th, 2026.

Letters were sent to (2) residents about Ordinance violation about Recreational Vehicle violation. It was advised to add addendum to the Recreational Vehicle Ordinance in regards to the amount of time a camper can remain on the premises before it has to be moved, which currently it does not state. The board also suggested that they will need to show certification of sewage dumping receipts, which it already states. It was advised by public comment that the time should not be more than 29 days because it would constitute rental agreements and squatters rights. After 29 days, it would constitute a permanent occupancy. Also, it will need to be removed for __(7 days)__ before returning back on to the property. They concluded they will discuss this further to confirm. Wanda noted that only

(1) of the residents complied with the letter and notified us and gave us a plan of action. It was decided that Wanda will send them each a bill for \$ 50.00 per the Ordinance states.

Wanda applied for a multimodal grant for Goshen Township to repave 0.11 of Croft Road and resurface McGeorge Road. Croft Road with the recent storms of July has suffered a lot mess. Wanda applied for \$167,355.00 Grant. The township will pay 20% of that which around \$33,471.00.

Mid Penn CD and Money Market account rates reviewed and will continue to keep them as they currently.

Starting to work on the ATV Ordinance- this has been tabled for a good 18 months or longer. Wanda will work on it after the recreational vehicle ordinance is taken finished.

Roadway Report:

Fuel Usage for the month of June was 232 gallons.

Load counts: PPG 7 on Knobs Road, ANO no report, Earthmovers 91 loads.

GOHawbaker, Inc. no report, A&M Logging no report

1 Road Bond issued the end of July for A&M Logging, Inc.

Social Hall Rentals: Sportman's Meeting 2nd Monday of the Month

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Permits Issued:

No permits issued this month

No land transfers for this month

PA One Calls: 8

Complaints:

1. Resident complained Hansey Road after recent flooding being blocked. The guys went and opened it up for the resident

2. Resident complained about the flooding that happened in July about the roadway on Croft Rd. We immediately contacted DEP and they in turn contacted RES to fix to divert the water. DEP has been monitoring the roads as well as the supervisors.
3. Penn DOT called Supervisor about them working down on Croft Road and the pipe, which is Goshen Twp. has disintegrated, it will need to be replaced. Wanda states that DEP was here today checking on the roads.

Correspondence

- CVB Media reports that we had 91 new viewers to our website.
- PA DEP for individuals in case of flooding phone numbers and information for stream maintenance, drinking water wells or springs or to request assistance to call (570)327-3763 ask for Lisa Meade.
- Information regarding change of tracked permits.

Adjournment: A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by John at 8:15 pm, seconded by Jim with all in favor

Next Meeting: September 9th, 2026