### **REGULAR MEETING MINUTES**

ELDRED TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS 3441 Route 36 Brookville, PA 15825

This meeting was held at the Eldred Township Building on October 13, 2025. Chairman Greeley called the Roll Call. Supervisors Gordon Greeley, John MacBeth and Laird Raybuck were in attendance.

# **PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD**

A resident discussed concerns with area roads and drain pipes.

#### MINUTES:

Motion by Supervisor Raybuck to approve the September 8,2025, Regular Meeting Minutes. Second by Supervisor Mac. Vote: 3 ayes. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT (September 1, 2025, to September 30, 2025)

(see list of bills and receipts)
TOTAL RECEIPTS: \$46,755.79
TOTAL EXPENDITURES: \$41,077.35

TOTAL BALANCE (ALL ACCOUNTS) on September 30, 2025: \$196,854.93

Motion by Supervisor MacBeth to acknowledge receipt of the Treasurer's Report. Second by Supervisor Raybuck. Vote: 3 ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Supervisor Raybuck to approve payment of the September 2025 invoices in the amount of \$25,613.55 Second by Chairman Greeley. Vote: 3 ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Chairman Greeley to approve payment of the September 2025 payroll expenses in the amount of \$15,463.80. Second by. Vote: 3 ayes. Motion carried.

### **ROAD REPORT:**

Received 200 tons 1B Limestone

Received 48 tons road salt

Getting ditcher on

Installed 2 driveway pipes - O'Donnell Road and Jackson Road

Repaired two plows

Put bed on truck

Currently working on third plow truck

McManigle Road bridge weight limit was reduced from 9 tons to 5 tons following bridge inspection. Signs were changed

Repaired backhoe packing, new floor bucket patched

Roller moved to stone pit on O'Donnell Road

Working on springs on 2010 International

Backhoe cylinder is getting a new pin

## **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

1. At the August 11, 2025, meeting the Supervisors discussed resident concerns regarding the condition of the back portion of the township's yard. Chairman Greeley spoke with the owner of the property and was told that they are working on it. As of this meeting, some changes have been made to the yard. According to Supervisor MacBeth some more things should be cleaned in the near future.

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

- **1.** Hours for Halloween. Motion by Supervisor Raybuck to set Halloween hours for 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on October 31. Second by Supervisor MacBeth. Vote: 3 ayes. Motion carried.
- 2. On July 25, 2025, the bridge over Mill Run on McManigle Road was inspected by the Azalea Group, a subconsultant to the EADS Group. During this inspection, additional section loss was noted in two of the beams, requiring an update to the existing load rating analysis. As a result of this analysis, a weight reduction in the

posting limit is needed. In conjunction with PennDOT Engineering District 10, the Azalea Group recommends a reduction in the weight limit to 5 tons. The township is required to change the weight limit signs within 30 days. Reflective backed stickers were ordered on September 22, 2025, and will be installed by the Road Crew as soon as they are received. The full inspection report is available for your review.

- **3.** The proposed Dollar General in Sigel has received approval for the Department of Environmental Protection for the Planning Module Component 2 and the Sewage Enforcement Officer my now issue permits. The township received notification that the Department of Environmental Protection/Waterways and Wetlands Program has given Notice of Intent to Deny the NPDES (National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System) Permit Application.
- **4.** The Township is seeking a Statewide Local Share Allowance (LSA) grant in the amount of \$153,387.00 to purchase a new backhoe. Motion by Supervisor Raybuck to adopt Resolution 2025-9 to request an LSA grant and designate officials to execute documents and agreements. Second by Chairman Greeley. Vote 3 ayes. Motion carried. Motion by Supervisor Raybuck to name Supervisor John T. MacBeth and Supervisor Chairman Gordon R. Greeley as designated officials to execute documents and agreements. Second by Chairman Greeley. Vote: 3 ayes. Motion carried.
- **5.** The township has received multiple requests for 2026 ATV permits. There are no changes to the 2026 ATV Permit Application other than the year. Motion by Chairman Greeley to approve the 2026 ATV Permit Application. Second by Supervisor Raybuck, Vote: 3 ayes. Motion carried.
- **6.** Sewage Enforcement Officer, Russ Braun, sent the township a Sewage Facilities Planning Module for the Byerly Plot Plan. After reviewing the module, Supervisor Raybuck made a motion to approve the Sewage Facilities Planning Module. Second by Chairman Greeley. Vote: 3 ayes. Motion carried.
- 7. After discussing the options of what to do with the 2001 International and the 1995 International trucks, Chairman Greeley made a motion to advertise each truck for sealed bids to be opened at the next Regular Meeting on November 10, 2025. Second by Supervisor MacBeth. Vote: 3 ayes. Motion carried.

# OTHER SUPERVISOR COMMENTS OR CONCERNS:

1. The Supervisors discussed the options to provide a third plow truck. Supervisor Raybuck made a motion to spend up to \$23,800.00 on the purchase of a new plow truck. Second by Chairman Greeley. Vote: 3 ayes. Motion carried.

Supervisor Raybuck made a motion to adjourn at 5:41 PM. The motion was seconded by Chairman Greeley. Vote:3 ayes. Motion carried and the meeting adjourned.

The next Regular Meeting is scheduled for November 10, 2025 at 4:30 PM at the Eldred Township Building.

Cindy Manns Secretary/Treasurer