MANAGER'S REPORT

2-15-17

1. We were very pleased to announce the name of the first recipient of the Mark Kelly Volunteer of the Year Award at the volunteer Recognition Dinner held on Sunday February 12, 2017. The winner was former Supervisor, George Morley. George currently volunteers for our Sewer committee.
2. We received notification of the 20th annual CRC Stream Cleanup. We have supported this effort in the past and we are recommending that the Board approve participating as a "Watershed Advocate" and by contributing $300.00 we will be recognized as a donor at that level.
3. I am pleased to report that we placed the dog that was abandoned on Station Road on January 4, 2017. I am recommending that we make a contribution to Main Line Animal Rescue as they were the organization that helped us place the animal.
4. I have been in contact with the FEMA office to get information on the possible need for us to update our floodplain management ordinance. They are reviewing our current ordinance to see if it is adequate.
5. Cheyney University's C Club is holding a 5K Run and Health Fair on Saturday April 22, 2017 from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM. We have included a $300.00 contribution in this check run to support their efforts.
6. We have received a handful of applicants for the open positions on the Planning Commission and Park and Recreation Board. I would suggest the board act on those openings, especially the Planning Commission as there is always the possibility that they would not have a quorum if two existing members were unable to attend their meetings. The applicants for the PC were John Ibach and Sam Yim. The applicants for the Park and Rec Board were Michael Mattson and Michael Bucci.
7. We have received an application for a Timber Harvest for a property located on Stoney Bank road. The property was previously approved for subdivision. Our Engineer and Solicitor have reviewed the information regarding this application and both feel this would require amending the approved subdivision plan.
8. I have been in contact with the PA Veteran's Museum and Scout Troop 222 to organize a field trip sponsored by the Thornbury Township BOS.
9. We received notice from Sunoco Logistics that they have received the necessary approvals from PA DEP and they expect to start mobilization shortly. We are still awaiting their final approval of 9our excess Road Maintenance Agreement in order to the issue necessary permits.
10. We have received several documents on behalf of the Andover HOA and Mr. Eric Friedman which relate to their opposition to the installation of the Mariner pipeline and work associated with that installation.
11. The beavers inhabiting Barrett's meadow have been relocated and Justin Ritter of the PA Game Commission is working to minimize the dam that was built.
12. I revisited the grinder issue at Mill Creek Pump Station with Chris Mariani of Concord Wastewater Authority. We only needed to replace a minor mechanical connection to bring the equipment back on line.

13. We received notification from Delaware County Planning that the Delaware County 2035 Economic Development Plan is available for review at the Delaware County Website. They are encouraging review and comment on the plan.
14. I received correspondence from the Rustin High School Guidance Department asking if we intended to provide funding for the Thornbury Township Scholarship Award. We budgeted for this scholarship to be continued.
15. We have another Zoning Hearing and the continuance of a Zoning Hearing from last month scheduled for Monday March 6, 2017. I would suggest that the BOS consider sending council again to the hearings as these are separate structures for which the applicants are requesting relief to allow for a separate living quarters for relatives.
16. We received notification the there was a driveway being installed without a permit on Welsh Lane. We contacted the resident and stopped the work and are currently working with the resident to see if they have any right to use Welsh Lane.
17. I contacted Chester Water Authority to inquire about water service from Chester Water for the township buildings. They will send information to get a water meter installed and intend to further research the possibility of having the lines run to each of our three buildings.
18. We renewed the software package that is part of the Speed sentry program. The original purchase gave us a two year subscription, which expired at the end of January 2017. The cost of the one year renewal is $1,500.00.