

MEETING MINUTES OF LOWER HEIDELBERG TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS

March 13, 2024

CALL TO ORDER – MARCH 13, 2024 SUPERVISORS WORKSHOP MEETING

At 7:05 p.m. Chairman Chip Bilger called the March 13, 2024 workshop meeting of the Lower Heidelberg Township supervisors to order with a pledge to the flag and roll call. Present: Cheryl Johnson, Vice Chair, Paul Prutzman, Member. Also in attendance: Brian Cole, Township Manager, Jenn Frasso, Secretary/Treasurer, Glenn Kraft, Kraft Municipal Group, and Jonathan Long, Esquire.

Taking minutes was J. Frasso, Secretary/Treasurer.

CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

TOWNSHIP MANAGER’S OPENING PRESENTATION

Brian Cole addressed the township plan to purchase 49 Big Spring Rd., 756 Wooltown Rd. and the sale of Big Spring Water Co. to the Western Berks Water Authority. The township plans to provide water to a portion of the property along the 422 corridor, with commercial development through the Berks County Industrial Development Authority.

New Business

Mr. Prutzman made a motion to approve the purchase agreement for 49 Big Spring Road, with Mrs. Johnson offering a second. Mr. Bilger abstained. Motion passed.

Mr. Prutzman made a motion to approve the purchase agreement for 756 Wooltown Road, with Mrs. Johnson offering a second. Mr. Bilger abstained. Motion passed.

Mr. Prutzman made a motion to approve the sale of Big Spring Water Company to Western Berks Water Authority, with Mrs. Johnson offering a second. Mr. Bilger abstained. Motion passed.

Public Comment

Several people, residents and non-residents, were present at the meeting. Some asked questions about the acquisition and plans for the two parcels being purchased. Answers were given by the supervisors and township consultants.

- Next workshop – April 10, 2024 at 7:00 p.m.
- Board of Supervisors meeting – March 18, 2024 at 7:00 p.m.
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Adjournment -

With no further business, the BOS adjourned at 7:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer M. Frasso, Secretary/Treasurer