

YORK TOWNSHIP 190 Oak Road, Dallastown PA 17313  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
February 19, 2019  
6:00 p.m.

Comm. Steele of York Township called their recessed meeting back to order at 6:00 pm with the following in attendance:

Comm. Steele                      Gary Milbrand  
Comm. Jones  
Comm. Kessler  
Comm. Knepper

Other Township Employees or Board Members:  
Josie Dick, W&SA; and Tom Pinkerton, W&SA.

Comm. Warman of Spring Garden Township called their recessed meeting back to order at 6:00 pm with the following in attendance:

Thomas Warman                      Marcy Krum-Tinsley  
Daniel Rooney  
Michael Thomas  
John Luciani

Other Township Employees or Board Members:  
Linda Keller, Director of Community Development and Patricia Potter,  
Administration Clerk.

Other Community Members:  
Pam Shellenberger, YCPC; and Lindsay Gerner, YCPC.

**Other Business Spring Garden Township**

On a motion of Comm. Thomas, seconded by Comm. Rooney, the Board approved a memorandum of understanding pertaining to a Spring Garden Township Police grievance.  
Vote 4 yes.

**Other Business York Township**

None

**York County Stormwater Authority- Regional Work Session Meeting Presented by York County Planning Commission–**

Pam Shellenberger and Lindsay Gerner, both of the York County Planning Commission, provided handouts and answered questions on the concept of a creating a fee-based York County Stormwater Authority. York County is considering a new stormwater authority to address the problems with flooding and water pollution. As part of the Chesapeake Bay Pollutant Reduction Plan, York County must reduce the amount of nitrogen and phosphorus that flows into the Susquehanna River from the various waterways. A question and answer discussion was held.

Pam Shellenberger explained that fees would be based on services. Residential parcels would have a flat fee based on the number of parcels in the County. Farm and commercial parcels would have a different fee schedule, based on tillable land and paved or hard surfaces.

Pam Shellenberger reported that York County has been identified as the second highest water polluting county. Should nitrogen and sediment not be reduced, EPA and DEP could impose penalties and further requirement on the municipalities and farmers to clean up local waterways.

Both Board of Commissioners questioned YCPC if it is advantageous to create an Authority rather than have the respective Townships be responsible for the pollution issues. The York and Spring Garden Township Commissioners concluded their Townships are doing a good job with MS4 programs and handling it efficiently. A County authority is not likely to be advantageous to our residents.

**Public Comments**

None.

**Adjourn**

York Township adjourned the meeting at 19:20 pm.

Spring Garden Township adjourned the meeting at 19:20 pm.

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Secretary