

**PIKE COUNTY COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENT**  
**Thursday October 21, 2021**  
*Draft Minutes*

The October 21, 2021 meeting was held in the Commissioners Meeting Room and via Zoom/Conference Call.

**Present:** K. Raser – Shohola Twp.; J. Neufeld – Delaware Twp.; S. Shamim - Milford Twp.; T. Laino – Lehman Twp.; S. DeVuyst – Commissioners Office; K. Gromalski – Commissioners Office; M. Mrozinski and B. Snyder of Pike County Planning.

**CALL TO ORDER** - The Pike County Council of Government was called to order at 3:00pm.

**ACTION ON MINUTES** – Milford Twp. Made a correction to the minutes for the August meeting, Milford Twp received \$77,926 from ARP funding and gave \$48,000 to Milford EMS. Delaware Twp. made a motion to approve the August 19, 2021 minutes with the correction from Milford Twp. Shohola Twp. seconded the motion. **VOTE:** All in favor. **MOTION:** Approved

**TREASURER’S REPORT-** Jane Neufeld stated that the current balance is \$3,967.41 as of September 30<sup>th</sup>. This includes \$0.16 in interest. Shohola Twp. Made a motion to approve the treasurer’s report. Lehman Twp. Seconded the motion. **VOTE:** All in favor. **MOTION:** Approved

**NEW BUSINESS**

**COUNTY UPDATES**

1. Hazard Mitigation Plan – Brian Snyder stated that he is working with the consultant to collect the required information from the Municipalities for the plan and that he is scheduling the Risk Assessment meeting for early November. Brian shared with COG that municipalities need to participate in the plan update process to become eligible for grants via disaster declarations through PEMA/FEMA.
2. Comprehensive Plan – Mike Mrozinski stated that he has developed an RFP for the plan with a budget between \$100k and \$150k. He has submitted grant applications to Pike County SRCP, PA DCED, and asked the Commissioners for funding as well.
3. Recycling Center – Mike Mrozinski stated the County will be developing a recycling center at the old PennDOT site on Bennet Ave in Milford. He will have more o share as this project moves forward.
4. General Updates – Brian Snyder stated that Milford Borough is currently working with a consultant on a traffic study and last month traffic counts were collected along with pedestrian counts at certain intersections.

**MUNICIPAL UPDATES**

1. ARP Funds – Delaware Twp stated that they are discussing premium pay for employees that worked during the Covid-19 pandemic. Also, they will be completing stormwater projects on their roads in 2022. Shohola Twp stated they have bought and ambulance and will have it staffed for 12 hours a day same as Dingman Twp. Lehman Twp stated their

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chase car has been delivered and the ambulance that was ordered should arrive in November.

**OLD BUSINESS** - None

**ADJOURNMENT**

**MOTION:** by Shohola Twp. and seconded by Delaware Twp. to adjourn the October 21, 2021 COG Meeting. **VOTE:** All in favor. **MOTION:** Approved.

The next meeting of the Pike County Council of Government will be held on December 16, 2021 at 3:00pm.

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