

Vacancy Board
Thursday, October 25th, 2023 @ 5:30 PM
Lynn Twp.-7911 Kings Hgwy., New Tripoli

Call to Order: The Vacancy Board of the Lynn Township was called to order by Vacancy Board Chairman, Kermit E. DeLong, at 5:30 pm in the Municipal Building. Present were Supervisor Chairman Justin N. Smith, Supervisor Vice Chairman Brian C. Dietrich, Secretary/Treasurer Tammy M. White, Solicitor Marc Fisher, and approximately 46 citizens.

Pledge of Allegiance: The Pledge of Allegiance was conducted.

Media Representation: Marie Maritch from the NW Press

Public Comment: The Following spoke: 1. Fritz Najarian, Patrick Harrington, Frank Junger, Donald Christ, Bill Dellicker, Amanda Dietrich, and Fay Dietrich.

Appointment of a Supervisor: Solicitor, Marc Fisher reviewed the process of appointing a supervisor to fill the remaining term of Steve I. Feinour who's resignation was accepted during the BOS meeting held on September 14, 2023. The BOS had 30 days from accepting the resignation of Steve I. Feinour to appoint 1 of the 3 applicants to fill the remaining term of Steve I. Feinour which ends January 1st of 2026. At the October 12, 2023 BOS meeting a decision could not be made. At that point Vacancy Board Chairman Kermit DeLong, along with Supervisor Chairman, Justin N. Smith and Supervisor Vice. Chairman, Brian C. Dietrich had to advertise a public meeting within 15 days of the Oct. 12th meeting to appoint 1 of the 3 candidates. At this point if the BOS cannot agree to appoint 1 of the 3 applicants, it then will go to a Judge in the Court of Common Pleas and He or She will appoint someone to fill the position. The Judge can appoint anyone they want to as long as the person is a resident of Lynn Township for 1 year. The Judge does not have to choose from 1 of the 3 candidates.

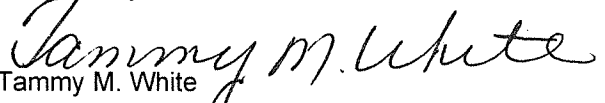
At this point Vacancy Board Chairman Kermit E. DeLong opened the floor for the 3 candidates to speak. Greg Snyder, Jason Moyer, and Ron Jerdon all spoke on each of their behalf's.

A motion was made by Supervisor Chairman Justin N. Smith and seconded by Vacancy Board Chairman, Kermit E. DeLong appointing Ron Jerdon to fill the remaining term of Steve I. Feinour till January 1, 2026. Vice Chairman, Brian C. Dietrich opposed the motion. Motion carried.

Public Comment: The Following spoke: Amanda Dietrich, Fay Dietrich, Arian Hungaski, Ron Jerdon, and Frank Junger.

Adjournment: *A motion was made by Vacancy BOS Chairman, Kermit E. DeLong and seconded by Chairman, Justin N. Smith to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 6:05 pm.*

Respectfully Submitted,


Tammy M. White
Secretary/Treasurer