

POCONO TOWNSHIP BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
Work Session Minutes

DATE: February 19, 2019
TIME: 5:00 pm
PLACE: Township Building
PRESIDING COMMISSIONER: Jerry Lastowski
ROLL CALL:

Harold Werkheiser - Absent
Richard Wielebinski – Present
Chad Kilby - Present
Jerrod Belvin – Present

Also present were Leo DeVito, Township Solicitor, and Donna M. Asure-Township Manager

The work session was called to order at 5:00pm by President Lastowski with the Pledge of Allegiance

There was no public comment.

Joining the work session were Jackson Township Supervisors – Donald Kresge, Sr., Mark Major, and Lester Wolcott, Todd Weitzman – Jackson Township Solicitor and Jackson Township Secretary Jackie Elliott.

The following was discussed –

- PJJWA –
 - ✓ The sale of PJJWA to BCRA
 - ✓ The amount of data that has been compiled and sent to BCRA for review
 - ✓ Concerns of the amount of money that must be spent to keep the system going and what will happen if the money runs out
 - ✓ The amount of repairs needed for the system

The board discussed how to have a conversation with BCRA on the intent to move forward. The solicitors were instructed to contact the solicitor for BCRA to give him a heads up that the boards would like a letter sent to BCRA asking about the progress of purchasing PJJWA and if the intent was to definitely move forward.

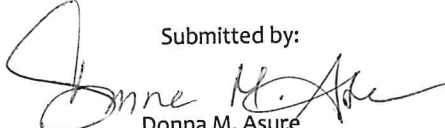
- HJP Park –
 - ✓ Pocono Township does not want to sell their interest in this park
 - ✓ Is it problematic for Pocono to continue to own land in Jackson
 - ✓ Hamilton Township is no longer a part of the park and has signed the deed over to Jackson
 - ✓ Jackson would like to develop this park
 - ✓ The park was purchased using grant money from a Keystone Grant with matching funds coming from the Monroe County Open Space initiative
 - ✓ Park is closed for the winter to avoid any dangerous situations
 - ✓ Jackson will be paving the entrance driveway later this year

Jackson Township will like to meet again with Pocono Township to discuss moving forward with this park.

No public comment received.

Work Session was adjourned at 5:30pm.

NO OFFICIAL ACTIONS OR ROLL CALL VOTES WERE TAKEN DURING WORK SESSION.

Submitted by:

Donna M. Asure
Township Manager