

## **Luzerne County Flood Protection Authority**

1989 Wyoming Avenue Forty Fort, PA 18704

# Minutes March 19, 2024 Regular Session

#### Call to Order

On March 19, 2024, at 1:00 P.M., the Luzerne County Flood Protection Authority Board convened their regular monthly meeting at the Luzerne County Flood Protection Authority Administrative Offices, 1989 Wyoming Ave, Forty Fort. It was noted that all meetings are electronically recorded.

Mr. Yannuzzi, Chairman, called to order the March 19, 2024 meeting.

## Pledge of Allegiance and Moment of Silence

#### **Present**

Mr. Dominic Yannuzzi, P.E., Chairman

Mr. William Hardwick

Mr. Jay Delaney - Via Telephone

Mr. Gordon Dussinger - Absent

Mr. John Maday

#### Also Present

Christopher Belleman, P.E., Executive Director
Jeffrey Rockman Esq., Slusser Law Firm, LCFPA Solicitor
Amy Grevera, CPA, Grevera and Associates, LCFPA Accountant
Laura Holbrook, Mitigation & Outreach Specialis
Deana Prochaska, Administrative Assistant (Recording Secretary)
Jen Andes, Reporter, Times-Leader

## **Public Input**

None.

#### Regular Meeting

Motion was made to ratify the minutes of the Authority meeting held on February 20, 2024.

Motion by: Mr. Hardwick Second by: Mr. Maday

Motion passed by a vote of 4-0. "AYES" – YANNUZZI, HARDWICK, MADAY, DELANEY.

#### LCFPA Activities/Projects

- A. Staff Activities/Project
- B. Board Activities/Project

#### **Bills and Communications**

Motion was made to approve the payment of the bills as presented.

Motion by: Mr. Yannuzzi Second by: Mr. Delaney

Motion passed by a vote of 4-0. "AYES" – YANNUZZI, HARDWICK, MADAY, DELANEY.

## Report of the Treasurer

Motion was made to submit the report of the Treasurer into the record as stated.

Motion by: Mr. Yannuzzi Second by: Mr. Maday

Motion passed by a vote of 4-0. "AYES" - YANNUZZI, HARDWICK, MADAY, DELANEY.

#### New Business

2023 Levee Fee Collections Update.

**Delinquent Levee Fee Collections Update.** 

Motion was made to award the contract for the "Wilkes-Barre Floodwall Expansion Joints Replacement' to <u>Solid Wall LLC, 555 Moreland Road, Huntingdon Valley, PA</u> in the amount <u>\$158,000.00</u>. This project was identified for reimbursement under our ARPA grant award.

Motion by: Mr. Yannuzzi Second by: Mr. Delaney

Motion passed by a vote of 4-0. "AYES" – YANNUZZI, HARDWICK, MADAY, DELANEY.

Motion was made to award the demolition and site stabilization contract required at three (3) properties in W. Nanticoke and Mocanaqua to <u>A.R Popple Trucking and Excavating LLC, 170 Lantern Hill Road, Shavertown, PA, 18708</u> in the amount <u>\$75,000.00</u>. The properties are located at 175 Route 11, 94 W. Poplar Street, W. Nanticoke; and 95-97 Italy Street, Mocanaqua, Conyngham Township.

Motion by: Mr. Yannuzzi Second by: Mr. Maday

Motion passed by a vote of 4-0. "AYES" - YANNUZZI, HARDWICK, MADAY, DELANEY.

Bloomsburg bridge update - Wyoming Valley Levee Raising Project, Mitigation Program.

Motion was made to table Gordon Dussinger's recognition until the April 16<sup>th</sup> board meeting.

Motion by: Mr. Yannuzzi Second by: Mr. Hardwick

Motion passed by a vote of 4-0. "AYES" - YANNUZZI, HARDWICK, MADAY, DELANEY.

## **Next Regular Meeting**

April 16, 2024 at 1:00p.m. 1989 Wyoming Ave Forty Fort, PA 18704

### <u>Adjourn</u>

Motion was made to adjourn the March 19, 2024 meeting of the Luzerne County Flood Protection Authority Board.

Motion by: Mr. Delaney Second by: Mr. Yannuzzi

Motion passed by a vote of 4-0. "AYES" - YANNUZZI, HARDWICK, MADAY, DELANEY.

Meeting adjourned at 1:34 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Deana Prochaska Recording Secretary