### LOWER NAZARETH TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MINUTES May 25, 2022

The Lower Nazareth Township Board of Supervisors held a hybrid meeting on Wednesday, May 25, 2022. Vice-Chairman Martin Boucher called the meeting to order at 7:11 PM.

Present were:

Martin Boucher – Vice-Chairman Stephen Brown – Supervisor Robert Hoyer – Supervisor Amy Templeton - Supervisor Lori A. Stauffer – Township Manager Gary Asteak, Esq. - Solicitor

\*The Board held an executive session prior to this evening's meeting to discuss legal issues \*

### Agenda Amendment and Approval

A motion was made by Mr. Hoyer to amend the agenda to move Courtesy of the Floor before Approval of the Minutes and to add "Authorization to Advertise – Mikron Road" under Solicitor's report. Ms. Templeton seconded. Motion passed.

#### Courtesy of the Floor

A resident appeared to complain about the high grass at 4410 Circle Drive. She stated she cannot enjoy her backyard because of the vermin the high grass attracts. The zoning officer has already mailed a violation notice.

Ned Hower of Township Line Road appeared to question what is the status of the repair of Township Line Road. L. Stauffer reported the Township Engineer has been asked to prepare a survey to ascertain what part of the road belongs to Lower Nazareth as well as provide recommendations for repairs.

#### Approval of Minutes

The meeting minutes of April 27, 2022, were submitted for review and approval. Mr. Hoyer made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Mr. Brown seconded. Motion passed. Mr. Boucher abstained.

#### Reports

The financial report for March 2022 was presented and the April 2022 report from the Hecktown Volunteer Fire Company were presented.

#### Supervisor's Comments

<u>Multi-Municipal Comprehensive Plan</u> – Mr. Boucher requested Ms. Stauffer to provide an update. Ms. Stauffer reported on April 18<sup>th</sup>, the LVPC gave a presentation at the LNT Planning Commission meeting. The LVPC requested comments from each municipality in order to prepare the final draft that will be considered for adoption by the Board of Supervisors. It is anticipated that a final draft will be forthcoming to begin the adoption process.

Open Space Preservation – Supervisor Hoyer reported on the EAC will be reviewing Property Proposal #3.

<u>Parks & Recreation</u> – Supervisor Templeton reported the bid specs for the wooden overlook at Hahn's Meadow park have been prepared and advertised. She also reported that the paving contractor for the Surrey Glen walking trail is scheduled to resume work on June 2<sup>nd</sup> and the playground will be installed mid-June.

### Subdivision and Land Development

None

#### Solicitor's Report

Mikron Road — The solicitor reported he has received correspondence dated May 12, 2022, from the Township Engineer, which details the next steps in accepting Mikron Road as a public road. He is seeking authorization to prepare the necessary ordinance and subsequently advertise it. Mr. Hoyer made a motion to authorize the Township Solicitor to prepare and advertise the necessary ordinance. Ms. Templeton seconded. Motion passed.

<u>Newburg Intersection</u> – Mr. Asteak reported the subdivision plans for Notaro and Fulton Bank are close to recording and once recorded, we will commence with closing. Mr. Kortze has prepared a subdivision and restoration plan for the Clemis property. Once Mr. Asteak obtains the legal description from Mr. Kortze, an agreement of sale can be drafted to send to Mr. Clemis.

#### **Engineer's Report**

None

#### Manager's Report

Ambulance Roofing Project – The roof at 4519 Hanoverville Road has been completed by Bachman's Roofing per the quote received. There is an additional cost of \$600 added to the quoted price due to the replacement of four pieces of rotted plywood. The total cost is \$57,055. This is the first part of the grant agreement for this building. The second part is the replacement of the HVAC. Mr. Hoyer made a motion to authorize the payment to Bachman's Roofing in the amount of \$57,055 for the replacement of the roof at the Ambulance Corps. Building.

<u>Sale of Equipment</u> – An advertisement was placed for the sale of three pieces of Township equipment as previously authorized for sale by the Board of Supervisors. This is the second advertisement for these three pieces of equipment. Sealed bids were due on May 20<sup>th</sup> by 3:00 p.m. sharp. One bid was received for the Peterbilt Tanker/Pumper in the amount of \$30,001.00. Mr. Brown made a motion to authorize the sale of the Peterbilt Tanker/Pumper to Bidder #1 for \$30,001 with no express or implied warranty offered and payment in cash or certified check. Ms. Templeton seconded. Motion passed.

No other bids were received for the other two pieces of equipment.

#### Payment of the Bills

Ms. Templeton made a motion to pay the invoices as presented. Mr. Brown seconded. Motion passed.

Adjournment - The meeting adjourned at 7:25 PM.

Respectfully submitted by,

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Lori A. Stauffer

Township Manager

## GENERAL FUND CHECKING ACCOUNT

| Num   | Name                                  | Memo   | Amount         |
|-------|---------------------------------------|--|----------------|
| 22103 | Templeton, Amy L                      | Conference Reimbursement                             | \$<br>581.56   |
| 22104 | Eastern Lift Truck Co., Inc.          | Equipment Maintenance                                | \$<br>1,762.09 |
| 22105 | Karen A. Mengel, RPR, CSR             | Stenographer   | \$<br>160.00   |
| 22106 | New Enterprise Stone & Lime Co., Inc. | Paving/Patching Materials                            | \$<br>5,319.63 |
| 22107 | NJ Advance Media                      | Advertisement  | \$<br>516.90   |
| 22108 | Dothan Security Inc.                  | LST Refund   | \$<br>1,259.82 |
| 22109 | Easton Suburban Water Authority       | Municipal Bldg Water                                 | \$<br>57.93    |
| 22110 | PPL, Inc.                             | Traffic Signal/St Light/Municipal/PW/Park Electricit | \$<br>161.51   |
| 22112 | Met-Ed                                | Traffic Signal / Street Light Electricity            | \$<br>322.09   |
| 22113 | New Enterprise Stone & Lime Co., Inc. | Paving/Patching Materials                            | \$<br>2,016.29 |
| 22114 | Fraser Advanced Info Systems          | Computer Services                                    | \$<br>90.00    |
| 22116 | Home Depot                            | Facilities Maintenance Supplies                      | \$<br>407.23   |
| 22117 | Chase Card Services                   | Supplies/Continued Education/Postage                 | \$<br>3,439.14 |
| 22118 | Safeguard Business Systems            | Office Supplies                                      | \$<br>156.45   |
| 22119 | Allstate Septic Systems               | Temporary Restrooms                                  | \$<br>245.00   |
| 22120 | Interstate Battery of Allentown       | Public Works Equipment Parts/Supplies                | \$<br>137.85   |
| 22121 | The Key                               | Advertisements                                       | \$<br>362.34   |
| 22122 | Whitehall Turf Equipment              | Public Works Equipment Parts/Supplies                | \$<br>3.45     |
| 22123 | Cumberland Truck Parts                | Public Works Equipment Parts/Supplies                | \$<br>45.38    |
| 22124 | Deer Country Farm & Lawn, Inc.        | Public Works Equipment Parts/Supplies                | \$<br>100.99   |
| 22125 | Kratzer Septic Service                | Park Septic Tanks                                    | \$<br>470.00   |
| 22126 | Gilmore & Associates, Inc.            | Engineering & Consulting Services                    | \$<br>445.00   |
| 22127 | Met-Ed                                | Park Electricity                                     | \$<br>159.86   |
| 22128 | Fraser Advanced Info Systems          | Copier Lease/Maintenance                             | \$<br>420.12   |
| 22129 | PPL, Inc.                             | Traffic Signal/St Light/Municipal/PW/Park Electricit | \$<br>808.35   |
| 22130 | PPL, Inc.                             | Municipal Drive Electricity                          | \$<br>741.17   |
| 22131 | Fraser Advanced Info Systems          | Fire Company Copier Lease/Maintenance                | \$<br>29.97    |
| 22132 | Fraser Advanced Info Systems          | Fire Company Copier Lease/Maintenance                | \$<br>95.00    |
| 22133 | Easton Suburban Water Authority       | Fire Company Water                                   | \$<br>70.52    |
| 22134 | PPL, Inc.                             | Fire Company Electricity                             | \$<br>29.43    |
| 22135 | PPL, Inc.                             | Fire Company Electricity                             | \$<br>459.49   |
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| 22136 | SSL Integrity Investigations, LLC     | Legal Services                         | \$<br>1,228.29 |
|-------|---------------------------------------|--|----------------|
| 22137 | Broughal & DeVito, LLP                | Legal Services                         | \$<br>3,081.54 |
| 22138 | RCN                                   | Internet & Telephone Services          | \$<br>772.49   |
| 22139 | New Enterprise Stone & Lime Co., Inc. | Paving/Patching Materials              | \$<br>699.85   |
| 22140 | NJ Advance Media                      | Advertisement                          | \$<br>299.65   |
| 22141 | Integra One                           | Computer Services/Software Maintenance | \$<br>859.30   |
| 22142 | City of Bethlehem                     | Hydrant Assessment                     | \$<br>156.54   |
| 22143 | Verizon Wireless                      | Municipal/Public Works Wireless        | \$<br>549.96   |
| 22144 | Advance Auto Parts Professional       | Public Works Equipment Parts/Supplies  | \$<br>282.84   |
| 22145 | Fogels Fuel Service                   | Municipal Heating Fuel Maintenance     | \$<br>369.95   |
| 22146 | RCN                                   | Internet & Telephone Services          | \$<br>39.90    |
| 22147 | New Enterprise Stone & Lime Co., Inc. | Paving/Patching Materials              | \$<br>97.07    |
| 22148 | Integra One                           | Computer Services                      | \$<br>166.50   |
| 22149 | Staples Business Advantage            | Office Supplies                        | \$<br>112.70   |
| 22150 | PAPCO                                 | Equipment Motor Fuel                   | \$<br>5,534.24 |
| 22151 | NJ Advance Media                      | Advertisements                         | \$<br>362.30   |
| 22152 | Bath Supply Co., Inc.                 | Park Facilities Maintenance            | \$<br>15.92    |
| 22153 | Keystone Consulting Engineers, Inc.   | Engineering & Inspection Services      | \$<br>590.00   |
| 22154 | Associated Fasteners, Inc.            | Public Works Equipment Parts/Supplies  | \$<br>32.16    |
| 22155 | Carroll Engineering Corporation       | Engineering Services                   | \$<br>990.00   |
| 22156 | East Penn Sanitation, Inc.            | Municipal Trash Removal                | \$<br>78.00    |
| 22157 | Fehnel Farms Inc.                     | Facilities Maintenance                 | \$<br>60.00    |
| 22158 | Eastern Telephone & Telecommunication | Telephone Maintenance                  | \$<br>260.00   |
| 22159 | Keystone Cement Company               | Aggregate Supplies                     | \$<br>331.24   |
| 22160 | Pitney Bowes Purchase Power           | Postage                                | \$<br>520.99   |
| 22161 | Easton Suburban Water Authority       | Municipal Bldg/Newburg Park Water      | \$<br>88.58    |
| 22162 | New Enterprise Stone & Lime Co., Inc. | Paving/Patching Materials              | \$<br>1,145.71 |
| 22163 | Deer Country Farm & Lawn, Inc.        | Public Works Equipment Parts/Supplies  | \$<br>89.80    |
| 22164 | MRP Electric Inc.                     | Ambulance Building Maintenance         | \$<br>125.00   |
| 22165 | Lisa A Shafer                         | 2022 LST Refund                        | \$<br>14.00    |
| 22166 | NJ Advance Media                      | Advertisements                         | \$<br>343.10   |
| 22167 | Keystone Consulting Engineers, Inc.   | Engineering & Inspection Services      | \$<br>490.00   |
| 22168 | Verizon Wireless                      | Fire Company Wireless                  | \$<br>108.57   |
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| 22169 | Sparkle Car Wash 248 LLC       | Fire Company                        | \$<br>3.76      |
|-------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------|
| 22170 | Service Electric Cable TV Inc. | Fire Company Internet               | \$<br>114.64    |
| 22171 | Wex Bank                       | Fire Company                        | \$<br>1,270.44  |
| 22172 | Colony Hardware Corp.          | Fire Company Equipment              | \$<br>586.92    |
| 22173 | Verizon Wireless               | Fire Company Wireless               | \$<br>330.33    |
|       |                                | Total General Fund Checking Account | \$<br>43,076.84 |

## PAYROLL ACCOUNT

| Num | Name         | Memo | Amount       |
|-----|--------------|------|--------------|
|     | May 6, 2022  |      | \$ 43,151.23 |
|     | May 20, 2022 |      | \$ 42,719.17 |
|     |              |      | \$ 85,870.40 |

## CAPITAL RESERVE ACCOUNT

| Num  | Name                            | Memo                              | Amount          |
|------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1245 | LMS Designs & Signs             | Capital Purchases-Vehicles        | \$<br>970.00    |
| 1246 | Gilmore & Associates, Inc,      | Engineering & Consulting Services | \$<br>769.04    |
| 1247 | Lower Nazareth Township         | Reimburse General Fund            | \$<br>5,000.00  |
| 1248 | IntegraONE                      | Computer Services                 | \$<br>2,500.00  |
| 1249 | Environmental Planning & Design | Professional Services             | \$<br>3,417.04  |
|      |                                 | Total Capital Reserve Account     | \$<br>12,656.08 |

## CAPITAL RESERVE - EQUIPMENT REPLACEMENT ACCOUNT

| Num  | Name           | Memo                       | Amount       |
|------|----------------|----------------------------|--------------|
| 1312 | Star Buick GMC | Capital Equipment Purchase | \$ 37,708.00 |

## COMMUNITY EVENTS ACCOUNT

| Num  | Name                | Memo            | A  | mount  |
|------|---------------------|-----------------|----|--------|
| 1002 | Chase Card Services | Easter Egg Hunt | \$ | 768.44 |

## HOST MUNICIPALITY FEE ACCOUNT

| Num | Name           | Memo                       | Amount       |
|-----|----------------|----------------------------|--------------|
| 561 | Star Buick GMC | Capital Equipment Purchase | \$ 38,253.00 |

## MASTER ESCROW ACCOUNT

| Num  | Name                                 | Memo                                  | Amount           |
|------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------|
| 2867 | Signal Service, Inc.                 | Traffic Signal Maintenance            | \$<br>677.50     |
| 2868 | Met-Ed                               | Traffic Signal Electricity            | \$<br>173.82     |
| 2869 | County of Northampton                | Parcel ID                             | \$<br>10.00      |
| 2870 | Northampton County Recorder of Deeds | Plan Recording                        | \$<br>35.00      |
| 2871 | Met-Ed                               | Traffic Signal Electricity            | \$<br>116.95     |
| 2872 | Signal Service, Inc.                 | Traffic Signal Maintenance            | \$<br>10,785.00  |
| 2873 | Keystone Consulting Engineers, Inc.  | Engineering & Consulting/SEO Services | \$<br>100,666.26 |
| 2874 | Keystone Consulting Engineers, Inc.  | SEO Services                          | \$<br>290.00     |
| 2875 | PPL Electric Utilities               | Traffic Signal Electricity            | \$<br>169.93     |
|      |                                      | Total Master Escrow Account           | \$<br>112,924.46 |

### **OPEN SPACE ACCOUNT**

| Num  | Name                            | Memo                              | Amount          |
|------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1585 | Keystone Cement Company         | Aggregate                         | \$<br>3,940.35  |
| 1586 | Keystone Cement Company         | Aggregate                         | \$<br>3,071.13  |
| 1587 | Carroll Engineering Corporation | Engineering Services              | \$<br>4,592.00  |
| 1588 | Keystone Cement Company         | Aggregate                         | \$<br>4,437.46  |
| 1589 | Exeter Supply Co., Inc.         | Capital Construction              | \$<br>1,170.00  |
|      |                                 | Total Open Space Checking Account | \$<br>17,210.94 |

## **OPEN SPACE EIT ACCOUNT**

| Num  | Name                          | Memo                                  | <br>Amount     |
|------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------|
| 1000 | Keystone Consulting Engineers | Engineering Services                  | \$<br>771.50   |
| 1001 | Laudone & Associates, Inc.    | Property Appraisal                    | \$<br>2,500.00 |
|      |                               | Total Open Space EIT Checking Account | \$<br>3,271.50 |

## REFUSE/RECYCLING ACCOUNT

| Num  | Name                                | Memo                                    | <br>Amount     |
|------|-------------------------------------|---|----------------|
| 1652 | LNT Petty Cash                      | Clean Up Day                            | \$<br>100.00   |
| 1653 | Responsible Recycling Services, LLC | Electronics Recycling Event             | \$<br>1,694.00 |
|      |                                     | Total Refuse/Recycling Checking Account | \$<br>1,794.00 |

## **SEWER ACCOUNT**

| Num  | Name                                 | Memo                         | A  | mount  |
|------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|----|--------|
| 1182 | PPL Electric Utilities               | Main Meter Electricity       | \$ | 25.09  |
| 1183 | Hanover Engineering Associates, Inc. | Sewer Study                  | \$ | 259.88 |
| 1184 | The Meter Guy, LLC                   | Sewer Meter Maintenance      | \$ | 300.00 |
|      |                                      | Total Sewer Checking Account | \$ | 584.97 |

## STATE LIQUID FUELS ACCOUNT

| Num | Name                              | Memo          | Amount       |
|-----|-----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| 581 | A-1 Traffic Control Products, LLC | Line Striping | \$ 15,848.02 |