

KISKIMINETAS TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
November 12, 2025
Regular Meeting Minutes

Chairman Brittany Hilliard called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL: H. Ross, B. Hililard, J. Cibik, C. Rodnicki, M. Long, Eng Matt Pitsch. Sgt Tessmer, Solicitor R. Fritz and Interim Twp Manager Jason Dailey.

Motion by H. Ross , seconded by J. Cibik to approve Minutes from the October Regular and September Meetings. Motion carried.

Motion by J. Cibik , Seconded by H. Ross to approve the October Treasurers Reports. Motion carried.

Motion by B. Ross, Seconded by M. Long to approve the October Payable Voucher Lists. Motion carried.

Solicitor Fritz discussed an amendment proposed for the oil and gas operations that is being reviewed.

Engineer Matt Pitsch was present and discussed the recent LSA Statewide application that was completed for the Chestnut Road Bridge.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

1. Janet Ward opposed the amusement tax rate on devices.
2. Walter Rouse opposed the amusement tax ordinance.
3. Chelsea Lockhart commented that that the tax should exempt non profits like the Elks.
4. Barb Wolfe opposed the rate of the amusement tax and stated it should be lower.
5. Nicole Hosack opposed the amusement tax.
6. Doug Sproat opposed the amusement tax.
7. Andrew Lidel commented on the impact of the amusement tax on local businesses.

CORRESPONDENCE:

The Interim Township Manager announced the rate increase letter received by the Sewer Authority.

NEW BUSINESS:

Motion by B. Hilliard Seconded by M. Long to approve the advertising for the 2026 budget in the amount of \$1,921,836 and keeping the millage rate the same at 7.25 mills. Motion carried 4-1 with C. Rodnicki objecting. .

Motion by C. Rodnicki Seconded by J. Cibik to approve Resolution 5 approving the Rules and Regulations for Township owned park property. Motion carried.

Motion by B. Hilliard, Seconded by H. Ross to approve the advertising for the Amusement Tax Ordinance, setting the fee for gambling devices at \$350, all other devices at \$50 and greens fees at \$1. Motion carried.

Motion by C. Rodnicki, Seconded by M. Long to approve the 2024 Sewer Authority Audit and its filing with the DCED. Motion carried.

Motion by M. Long, Seconded by J. Cibik to ratify the Separation Agreement with Officer Keith McGann. Motion carried.

REPORTS:

Reports provided and read by: the Police Department (Sgt Tessmer), Public Works Department (Interim Manager) and Fire Department (Addie Birch) were provided to the Board of Supervisors.

PUBLIC DISCUSSION:

1. Jim Hovanik discussed his opposition to the cuts made to the Fire Department and Police Department budgets.
2. Addie Birch commented on the cost of a recent repair to the Fire Department generator.
3. Mike Clepper opposed the amusement tax.
4. Doug Sproat announced the Planning Commission meeting was scheduled for tomorrow.
5. Barb Wolfe thanked the Board for working to reduce the cost per device.

Motion by H. Ross, Seconded by M. Long to adjourn at 8:20 pm.