

April 21, 2003

The Strasburg Township Board of Supervisors held its regular meeting on Monday evening, April 21, 2003, at 7:30, at the Township municipal building. Present were Peg Dearolf, Daniel Herr, and Thomas Willig.

The minutes of the regular meeting of April 7, 2003, were approved.

Tom Long, Zoning Officer, reported on **water problems** in the Township. Water running out of the Borough on Bunker Hill Road is encroaching on Don Welk's waterways. An engineer should devise a plan to cause the water to sheet rather than to cut away the edges of the road. The retention basin for the Borough's Old Town development has been corrupted so that it no longer holds water but releases it rapidly. The entire field along Prospect Road floods. The Borough has installed a pipe to carry the water away and a trench has been dug which exacerbates the problem. No water gets to the second diffuser. The Township/Borough engineer could look at both problems, Lots 4 and 5 on Old Reservoir Road have been entirely clear-cut which may cause stormwater problem when they are developed.

At 7:45 p.m. the **bids for road materials** were opened and read as follows:

STONES (Delivered)

	2A	3A	8	57	RipRap
D. M. Stoltzfus	\$6.75/T	\$6.75/T	\$8.45/T	\$7.35/T	\$9.50/T
Martin Limestone	\$7.36/T	\$7.26/T	\$8.99/T	\$8.61/T	\$10.41/T

On a motion by Dearolf/Herr the Supervisors accepted the bid of D. M. Stoltzfus.

BINDER AND WEARING (F.O.B.)

	ID2 Binder	ID2 Wearing
McMinn's Asphalt Co.	\$24.55/T	\$28.45/T

On a motion by Willig/Herr, the Supervisors accepted McMinn's bid.

BINDER IN PLACE - Edisonville Rd. from Strasburg Pike to new section of Edisonville Rd.

	ID2 Binder	Total
McMinn's Asphalt Co.	\$33.87/T	\$16,935.00

On a motion by Herr/Dearolf, the Supervisors accepted McMinn's bid.

SEALCOAT - 175,000 Square yards - various roads in the Township

McMinn's Asphalt Co.	\$.566/S.Y.	\$99,050.00
American Paving Fabrics, Inc.	\$.5615/S.Y.	Total incorrectly shown as \$982,625.00

On a motion by Herr/Willig, the Supervisors accepted the bid of American Paving Fabrics for the unit price, not the total which should be corrected to \$98,262.50.

Garry Rubincam, Roadmaster, reported that they have been working on patching roads. Ronks Road is in such bad condition that they will do a scratch coat before sealcoating. A **road**

inspection was set with the Supervisors on Saturday, May 17, 2003, at 10:00 a.m.

At 8:00 p.m. a conditional use hearing was held.
The regular meeting resumed at 8:40 p.m.

The Supervisors passed a resolution authorizing Caroline Herr, Township secretary, to apply for FEMA funds for reimbursement of costs during the **snow emergency** on February 16 and 17, 2003.

A question was raised about the **cost of the engineering review** of the Hershey Farms/Sight and Sound sewer module. Herr will contact Ray Miller regarding the bill which was not approved for payment at this meeting.

Herr will review the **cable franchise agreement** with Comcast which has been prepared by the Township solicitor.

After approving bills to be signed in the amount of \$5,393.32, the meeting was adjourned at 9:10 p.m.

Caroline D. Herr
Township Secretary