

Coolbaugh Township Public Hearing Minutes

November 21, 2017

The Public hearing was called to order at 6:00 pm.

Mr. Weimer led the Pledge of Allegiance

Announcements:

This meeting is being recorded to aid in the preparation of the minutes.

Mr. Weimer read the public notice that was published in the Pocono Record to advertise the Public Hearing for Ordinance 129-2017.

Public Comments were heard Re: Act 172: Ordinance 129-2017: Tax Incentives for Municipal Volunteers of Fire Companies and Nonprofit Emergency Medical Services Agencies

- T. Keane stated that on behalf of the Coolbaugh Township Volunteer Fire Company he would like to personally thank the Board of Supervisors for their hard work on preparing this Ordinance as well as their continued support of the Emergency Service Volunteers that serve Coolbaugh Township. Mr. Keane thanked the Board for being proactive with the incentives.
- Ms. Ruiz-Smith stated that the Board is continuing to look at other incentive programs to be budgeted in 2019.
- Mr. Weimer stated that there are several incentives discussed including stipends after a certain percentage to reimburse for clothing and per calls attended.

The Board recessed from the Public Hearing for executive session at 6:10pm Re: Legal

The Board reconvened at 6:48pm

Mr. Weimer thanked the Supervisors for their hard work on the incentive program and their support of the volunteer emergency service personnel.

Ms. Ruiz-Smith is grateful to be able to support our volunteers and thanked them for their service.

There being no further comments Mr. Lamantia made a motion to adjourn second by Mr. Adams.

Public Hearing was closed at 6:58pm.

