

**Snyder Township Board of Supervisors  
Regular Monthly Meeting  
January 29, 2026**

The monthly meeting was called to order by Chairman Michael Holt in the Snyder Township Building, 15706 Route 28, Brockway, Pennsylvania at 7:00 PM. Chairman Holt welcomed everyone and led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Supervisors present were Michael Holt, Ronald Freemer, and Jeremy Bassetti. Township Officials present were Secretary-Treasurer Sarah Anderson, Roadmaster, Joe Puhala, Auditor, Jake Rindosh, and EMA Coordinator Terry Fustine. Visitors included, Alan Whelpley, Sue Whelpley, Bob Buddenbuhn, Jonathan Clark, Armand Mazzochi, and Mike Puhala.

Correspondence included,

A thank you card was received from Jefferson Co. Agency on Aging for our recent donation.

First Apostles' Doctrine Church sent a letter announcing their opposition to the proposed rail line from Crenshaw to GreenTree Landfill.

An email from Rachel McNamara was received inviting the Board to participate in the Section 106 process for the Lampwrights Rail Project.

The minutes from the December Meeting and the Organizational Meeting were approved as read.

The January Treasurer's Report was read with balances as of January 31, 2026. General Fund balance \$469,402.44; Liquid Fuels Fund balance \$85.29. Jeremy Bassetti motioned to acknowledge all supervisors receiving the Treasurer's Report with Ronald Freemer second. All supervisors voted yes and the motion carried.

**Public Participation**

Auditor, Jake Rindosh, mentioned the good work done with recent snow plowing.

Bob Buddenbuhn of First Apostles' Doctrine Church, requested support from the Board opposing the proposed rail line in Jefferson and Elk County.

**Township Reports**

Code Officer Jeff Knapp was absent.

EMA Coordinator Terry Fustine reported on January activities.

Fire Chief Mike Hoskavich was absent.

The Roadmaster reported on the road work and equipment maintenance for January.

Solicitor Ross Ferraro was absent.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

Michael Holt motioned to purchase up to 600 gallons of crack seal at the quoted price of \$17.65 per gallon from Suit-Kote, with Ronald Freemer second. All supervisors voted yes and the motion carried.

Ronald Freemer motioned to accept the daylighting quote of \$8,000 for 5 days of tree cutting work from A&R Tree Removal, with Jeremy Bassetti second. All supervisors voted yes and the motion carried.

Jeremy Bassetti motioned to accept the \$3,988 quote from Salandra Painting, to replace the Township office door with Michael Holt second. All supervisors voted yes and the motion carried.

Supervisor, Michael Holt, attended a COG Meeting in January. The COG officers will remain the same for 2026, the 2025 audit was completed, and the idea of having a Jefferson Co. Code Officer was discussed.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

The Board accepted Solicitor, Ross Ferraro's 2026 fee schedule and signed the engagement letter.

The stone & road oil bid amounts were reviewed by the Board. The amounts will be submitted to the COG for bidding.

**FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER**

N/A

**ADJOURNMENT**

Ronald Freemer motioned to adjourn at 7:40 P.M. with Jeremy Bassetti second. All supervisors voted yes and the motion carried.

**Respectfully Submitted,**

**Sarah Anderson**  
**Secretary-Treasurer, Snyder Township Jefferson County**