

Donegal Township Board of Supervisors

Monthly Meeting Minutes

October 14, 2025

Meeting Brought to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Supervisors Tom Stull Jr. and Dan Pribisco, township secretary Trudy Harkcom, and assistant secretary Keith White in attendance.

Public in Attendance: Gary Leister, EADS Group

Chris Balchon, Loreen and Tim Hewitt, Michael and Ruth Ann Leon, Tom and Barbara Zordan, Brian and Francine Brown, Gail Cramer Keyes, Bob Horrell, John and Bobbi Sidehammer, Jadon Kalp, Andrew Conn, Owen Kalp, Spencer Rare, Bret Kalp, M. Sheehan-Balchon, Joseph Ahlborn, Connie Ahlborn

Dan Pribisco made a motion to approve September's meeting minutes, with a second by Tom Stull Jr. Motion carried

Tom Stull made a motion to pay all listed and upcoming bills, with a second by Dan Pribisco. Motion carried.

Public Comment: Tim Hewitt stated that he has lived on Skyview Road for 3 years and that he and a group of citizens in attendance were hoping to initiate an action plan for removing the weight restriction on Skyview Bridge via a township repair. He stated that residents have already had refusals of delivery for propane and other items. He also stated that residents do not consider Aukerman Road a suitable detour due to it being a longer route and lacking winter maintenance.

Dan Pribisco replied that the beams needed to repair Skyview Bridge are already ordered and present and that the decking choices have been sent to the township engineer for approval. The lead time for delivery of decking once it is ordered is 30-45 days. Dan further stated that once materials are in place the township estimates that repair of the bridge will take 2 to 3 days if everything goes smoothly. He also stated that the supervisors do not wish to inconvenience residents, but that if further phone calls are made that initiate other agencies growing involvement the bridge will be closed for 2-3 years. Once construction is complete the bridge will be reevaluated by the township's bridge inspectors in order to change the weight limit. The finished bridge will be constructed of open grate decking and I-beams. The township will notify residents when the work is expected to begin, and it is hoped that work will be completed by Christmas 2025.

New Business:

Discussion of the 2026 budget was tabled until the next meeting.

Township Trick or Treat was scheduled for October 25, 2026

Bridge decking selections were sent to EADS Group Engineers for approval

Tom Stull made a motion to approve payment in the amount of \$90,419.80 to Hickes Associates for work performed and materials stored related to the sanitary sewer project. The motion was seconded by Dan Pribisco and approved with the understanding that Gary Leister will then submit a request for reimbursement to PENNVEST.

Dan Pribisco made a motion to apply for a Westmoreland Conservation District Dirt and Gravel Road Program grant for 2026. The motion was seconded by Tom Stull and approved.

Tim Hewitt asked that the discussion of Skyview Bridge be added to the minutes as a new business item. The above referenced conversation was entered as new business.

Old Business:

Dan Pribisco stated that 3,200 tons of additional stone will be taken to Aukerman Road which will result in increased traffic.

Dan Pribisco made a motion to adjourn seconded by Tom Stull.

Adjourned at 5:17pm