

MERCER COUNTY  
**SPRINGFIELD**  
TOWNSHIP, EST 1805

**SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
BUSINESS MEETING  
NOVEMBER 4, 2025  
7:00 P.M.**

The meeting was called to order at 7 p.m. and the Pledge of Allegiance followed.

**Agenda Additions or Deletions:** None

**Invited Guests:** Representative Tim Bonner

**Public Comment:** None

**Fire Department Report:**

Chief Hutchins reported that there were 21 calls, 93-man hours, and 7 personnel per call.

**Administration and Finance:**

Tim Stiffy made the motion to advertise the proposed 2026 Springfield Township Budgets once approved by the Supervisors, seconded by Marcus Kohan, motion carried.

Tim Stiffy made the motion to untable and approve the Work Authorization from Gateway Engineers, not-to-exceed \$ 6,800.00 to apply for the Local Share Account, seconded by Marcus Kohan, motion carried.

Tim Stiffy made the motion to authorize payment to Shields Asphalt Paving, Inc. in the amount of \$242,462.10, seconded by Marcus Kohan, motion carried.

**Zoning and Land Development:**

There were 5 building permits, and 1 occupancy permit issued in the month of October 2025.

**Sewer and Water:**

Jim Knight reported that he is still adding the LBA additive to the water and ordered 55 gallons. Once empty then he will add a drum for each.

**Roads and Bridges:**

Jim Knight reported that Halstein cleaned the culvert at the Blacktown Road bridge, but Penn Dot will need to fix it.

**Engineer's Report:** None

**Public Works Report:**

Jim Knight reported that all trucks are now serviced for winter. He still needs to get the backhoe and Kubota ready for winter. He also ordered 3 loads of salt and anti-skid.

**Reports:** None

**Correspondence:** None

**Public Comment:**

Judy Hines asked to sign the form tonight that is needed for the Public Hearing. Advised that the forms are on the agenda for the next meeting.

Jared Hoffman asked about the Volunteer Fire Fighter tax breaks.

John Ayers asked which roads did Shields pave.

**Public questions for Representative Tim Bonner:**

John Ayers asked how to stop the sand and gravel pit because residents are concerned.

Marcus Kohan asked how the Township can collect delinquent sewage payments?

Marcus Kohan asked if there was anything in the budget for funding Emergency Services.

Judy Hines stated that family farms are dwindling in Mercer and Crawford Counties and is this being talked about?

Judy Hines asked if he would stand with the Governor on SNAP benefits?

John Ayers asked what effect the illegal workers are having on the budget.

Jay Amber asked what happened to legalizing gambling.

**Executive Session:** None

Tim Stiffy made the motion to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Marcus Kohan, motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 8:02 p.m.

  
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Lucinda G. Lipko, Secretary