

UPPER MERION TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
WORKSHOP MEETING
NOVEMBER 11, 2019

The Board of Supervisors of Upper Merion Township met for a Workshop Meeting on Monday, November 11, 2019, in the Township Building. The meeting was called to order at 8:05 p.m., followed by a pledge of allegiance.

ROLL CALL:

Supervisors present were: Greg Waks, Carole Kenney, Bill Jenaway, Greg Philips and Tina Garzillo. Also present were: Anthony Hamaday, Township Manager; Nick Hiriak; Finance Director.

CHAIRPERSON'S COMMENTS:

Mr. Waks announced an executive session was held prior to this meeting to discuss personnel matters.

DISCUSSIONS:

Continue 2020 Budget Discussion

Mr. Hamaday stated he took the Board's comments and went back to look at a few things such as fire vehicles and also added some repairs to the Township Building in the amount of \$35,000.00 for HVAC and windows. Right now, everything is fully funded. We are looking at a tax increase of \$1.5 million. A brief discussion ensued regarding the tax increase. An explanation of the fire reduction that occurred back in 2001 was given by Mr. Hiriak. It was noted, at that time the reduction equaled about \$111,000.00 and over 19 years that has added up to \$2.2 million. The Board discussed options and ideas how to increase tax rates in a manageable manner. The Board also thanked Mr. Hamaday and Mr. Hiriak in regards to the explanations that were given regarding the Township vehicles.

ADJOURNMENT:

Board Action:

It was moved with all voting "Aye" to adjourn the meeting. None opposed. Adjournment occurred.

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Minutes Approved:
Minutes Entered:


ANTHONY HAMADAY
TOWNSHIP MANAGER