

**Township of South Hanover
Public Safety Advisory Board
161 Patriot Way
Hershey, PA 17033
Thursday, March 16, 2023**

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Public Safety Advisory Board:
Kevin Stoehr, Chairman
Tom Brumbaugh, Vice Chairman
David Fischer - **absent**
Rick Gilbert
Jim Dengler - **absent**
AJ McCalley - **absent**
Ralph Salamone

Township Personnel:
Lynn Wuestner, Township Manager

Public Present: Trooper Kurtz

Call to Order: Kevin Stoehr called the Township of South Hanover Public Safety Advisory Board Meeting on Thursday, March 16, 2023, to order at 7:00 p.m.

Motion to Approve Minutes:

Motion: Chairman Stoehr made a motion to approve the Thursday, January 19, 2023, meeting minutes. Seconded by Ralph Salamone. **Motion passed with a 4-0 vote.**

PA State Police Report:

Trooper Kurtz stated that there were 76 incidents within the Township last month which also includes 11 crashes.

Chairman's Report:

Parks and Rec Programming: Chairman Stoehr stated that there are lots of Parks and Recreation programming happening around the Township. He commended the Parks and Recreation coordinator Adrienne Cray.

2023 4th of July Planning: According to the Parks and Recreation Board, there will be no organized activities on the 4th of July. The staff will contact PSP to ask for extra patrols through Patriot Park.

Township Tree Pruning Program: Chairman Stoehr stated that some municipalities have a pruning program that take care of tree issues. Over the past year, there have been an excessive number of complaints about dead trees throughout the Township. The Planning Commission and Board of Supervisors recently updated the tree ordinance to attempt to require the homeowners to take care of dead trees. The liability and cost of a pruning program would be difficult to afford.

Farm Crest Update: Manager Wuestner explained that the developer of Farm Crest had to work with Penn Dot for the approval of the entrance and the plans met all requirements.

EOC Operations: The new antennae for EOC were purchased and installed.

Other Business: There was no other business from PSAB members.

Adjournment: Vice Chairman Brumbaugh made a motion to adjourn. Seconded by Ralph Salamone. The meeting adjourned at 7:38 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lynn Wuestner
Township Manager