

Public Participation at Newberry Twp. Board of Supervisor Monthly Meetings Revised April 8, 2021

Due to the covid-19 pandemic, the regular monthly and special meetings of the Board of Supervisors have been held closed to the public with virtual streaming and email of public comments. This was a direct result of the Governor's guidelines for public meetings and gatherings as well as the CDC guidelines with consideration for both the public and staff health and safety.

In order to provide limited access to the meetings for Newberry Twp. residents and taxpayers, while remaining within the guidelines, the Board has approved the following process for in person public attendance at the meetings.

The Township meeting room has been modified to meet social distancing guidelines for public attendance. The maximum number available for public attendance is 15.

If a resident or taxpayer wishes to attend in person, they will need to notify the Township Manager by phone or email prior to the meeting but no later than 3pm the day of the meeting. Attendance will be on a first come first serve basis. If the available seating becomes totally reserved, a notice will be placed on the Township Facebook page and you will be notified if you call or email that the meeting attendance is booked.

You must show identification and your temperature will be taken by a hand held no touch thermometer prior to entering the meeting room and you are required to wear a mask at all times.

All attendees (Developers, Engineers, etc.) for Land Development plans will be seated in the hallway and called into the meeting to discuss the Development during that time of the agenda only and will be required to leave immediately following their agenda item discussion. They will not be counted in the public attendance.

Any Newberry Twp. resident or taxpayer who wishes not to attend in person but still provide public comment at a monthly or any special meeting shall submit their comments in writing with name, address and phone number by email to admin@newberrytwp.com or mailed to Newberry Township, c/o Public Comment, 1915 Old Trail Road, Eters, PA 17319 and must be received no later than 3pm the day of the meeting. All written comments should be limited to 100 words or less and will be read at the discretion of the Board within Sunshine Act guidelines for public comment.

If you have any questions or concerns, do not hesitate to reach out to me.

Tony Miller

Township Manager

