## HILLTOWN TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS REGULARLY SCHEDULED PUBLIC MEETING Monday, October 22, 1990 7:30PM

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The meeting was called to order by Chairman William H. Bennett, Jr. at 7:38PM and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Also present were: Kenneth B. Bennington, Vice-Chairman Betty J. Kelly, Supervisor Lee Buchanan-Gregory, Acting Township Manager Francis X. Grabowski, Township Solicitor C. Robert Wynn, Township Engineer

Chairman Bennett asked for a moment of silence and requested a silent prayer for the Hoopes' family, victims of a triple homicide committed in Hilltown Township.

Chairman Bennett commended the outstanding job done by Hilltown Township Police Department during the past week. It was a particularly difficult situation because of the absence of Chief George Egly due to medical leave. The Department was in the hands of the Acting Chief, Lt. Detective, Kerry Trauger. Not only Lt. Detective Trauger, but the other officers and office staff, all pitched in working overtime, day and night, through the weekend. Chairman Bennett stated it was a magnificent effort by our Police Department, and all Hilltown Township resident's should be very proud to have such a strong Police Department. Chairman Bennett read an Accolade commending the Hilltown Township Police Department (copy attached to these minutes). Chairman Bennett recognized Lt. Detective, Kerry Trauger, who was present in the audience.

A. <u>APPROVAL OF MINUTES</u>: Supervisor Bennington advised copies of the minutes are incomplete. Chairman Bennett stated a motion of approval of these minutes would not be called for until the November 12, 1990 meeting.

B. <u>APPROVAL OF CURRENT BILLS</u>: Chairman Bennett advised the current billing totalled \$58,160.74, in addition to the Police Pension Fund of \$65,015.00 and the Non-Uniform Pension Fund of \$27,506.00. Chairman Bennett questioned the bill for Wale Apparatus Company, Inc. for Truck Pak/4 Pillows in the amount of \$314.80. Ms. Buchanan-Gregory advised these were items purchased per the Emergency Management Coordinator, which have been distributed between the Emergency Management personnel, the Public Works Department and the Police Department.

Motion was made by Supervisor Kelly, seconded by Supervisor Bennington and carried unanimously to pay all bills when due.

C. RESIDENT'S COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS ONLY: None.



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#### D. CONFIRMED APPOINTMENTS:

1. <u>Mr. Jack Morgan, Hilltown Township Fire Panel</u> - Chairman Bennett explained the Fire Panel is a group of volunteers appointed by the Board of Supervisors to study and comment on the activities of the seven Volunteer Fire Companies that support Hilltown Township. Twice a year, funds from the State and funds from the Township's 3 mill Fire Tax, are made available to be distributed among the seven supporting Fire Companies. The Fire Panel makes recommendations to the Board of Supervisors as to how these funds should be distributed.

Mr. Morgan presented a copy of the distribution percentages for the Board of Supervisor's review. Mr. Morgan stated the Fire Panel's recommendation for distribution of the 3 mill Fire Tax came after much deliberation. Information from all seven Fire Departments has been reviewed, and information that had been gathered from last year was used to determine the amount of money to be distributed. Recommendations for 1990 distribution is as follows:

Hilltown Township Volunteer Fire Dept.	\$31,900.00
Silverdale Fire Department	\$16,600.00
Dublin Fire Department	\$ 7,700.00
Perkasie Fire Department	\$ 6,800.00
Sellersville Fire Department	\$ 6,800.00
Souderton Fire Department	\$ 6,800.00
Telford Fire Department	\$ 8,600.00

TOTAL \$85,200.00

Mr. Morgan explained the Fire Panel has decided to hold a Reserve Fund. The purpose of the Reserve Fund is to keep monies set aside for emergency use for any of the seven Fire Deparments. In order to accomplish this, funds must be set aside, instead of distributing the entire lump sum to all of the departments. It was unanimously decided by the Fire Panel to hold in reserve, \$23,608.00 to date, of Fire Tax Monies, with a cap of \$50,000.00. Mr. Morgan stated the seven Fire Departments will be receiving a 13% increase in 1990, as compared to 1989. The Fire Panel will draw up guidelines and establish a regular procedure to determine what constitutes an "emergency" for distribution of the Reserve Fund. It has been unanimously decided by the Fire Panel to continue issuing one year agreements for all seven Fire Departments covering Hilltown Township. Mr. Morgan requested the Supervisors appoint a new member to the Fire Panel to fill the vacancy due to the resignation of Mr. Bob McGraw. The disbursement of Fire Tax Funds will take place by October 31, 1990, with the new agreements.

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Supervisor Bennington commented several members of the seven various Fire Departments which service Hilltown Township were present at the October 8, 1990 Board of Supervisors meeting. The consensus was the Fire Department members would like to have all the monies disbursed at once, instead of maintaining a Reserve Fund, held by the Township. Supervisor Bennington forsees possible problems with disbursing Reserve Funds, since determination of what constitutes an "emergency" can be controversial. Mr. Morgan replied that during the investigations of the seven Fire Companies, the Fire Panel was privy to information regarding all the funding received for each of the seven companies over the course of a year. This information gave the Fire Panel a better insight as to each Fire Department's operating budget. Supervisor Bennington asked if the Fire Panel had reviewed each Fire Department's savings accounts. Mr. Morgan financial aspects of each company replied all had been investigated.

Motion was made by Supervisor Kelly to accept the Fire Panel's recommendations for Fire Tax money distribution for all seven Fire Companies covering Hilltown Township. Supervisor Bennington seconded the motion, however, he would prefer to give direction to the Fire Panel to investigate other options for 1991 disbursements, such as consideration being given to expending the entire amount of Fire Tax monies, as opposed to holding it in the Reserve Fund. Supervisor Bennington stated he does not agree with a Reserve Fund, yet he does not wish to hold up the motion at this time. Motion passed unanimously.

Chairman Bennett advised there was a \$15,000.00 Reserve Fund carried over from 1989, with \$8,300.00 for 1990, bringing the Reserve Fund total to \$23,000.00. Chairman Bennett commented one of the considerations of the Fire Panel was that in the past, there has been some arbitrary decisions to disburse money to certain participating Fire Companies for things not considered "emergencies". That is why the present Fire Panel has been charged, at their next meeting, to define specifically what an "emergency" entails, and under what conditions the Fire Panel would consider an application for these Reserve Funds. Chairman Bennett requested all Fire Company disbursements be paid by the end of October, 1990.

Mr. Eric Tobin, Esq. - Quiet Acres - After meeting 2. with the Board of Supervisors, Mr. Tobin met with the Township Solicitor, Acting Township Manager, Township Engineer and Supervisor Kelly to discuss the possibility of requesting the Telford Borough Authority to release this service area to the Hilltown Township Water and Sewer Authority. After that meeting, additional meetings were held with staff from the Hilltown Township Water and Sewer Authority to discuss a plan where Quiet Acres could be serviced by public sewer through the Hilltown Township Water and Sewer Authority system. Mr. Tobin, Mr. Wynn and Ms. Buchanan-Gregory have met with the Manager of the Telford Authority to request release of this service area to Hilltown Township Authority.





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Planning Modules have been submitted, reflecting public New sewer hook-up to the Hilltown Township Water and Sewer Authority. Mr. Tobin explained these Planning Modules have been approved by the Bucks County Health Department, the Bucks County Planning the Hilltown Township Planning Commission. Commission, and These Planning Modules are before the Board of Supervisors this evening for their consideration. Assuming these Planning Modules will be approved, Mr. Tobin requests they be forwarded to DER as soon as possible, so that this project can continue. If everything goes well, there is a chance Quiet Acres can be connected to public sewer by year's end. This is a two phase Phase number one would be a simplified system, to hook-up. immediately tie into the sewer lines, alleviating any existing effluent problem in the park. Phase number two would entail that initially, there would be a temporary connection, during which time the Hilltown Township Water and Sewer Authority will be studying the need and desirability of placing a public pumping station near Pheasant Hill Road. Either that pumping station will be built, or a fully equipped pumping station will be built the Quiet Acres land. Timing on Phase One would allow on connection to public sewer by the end of 1990.

Mr. Wynn commented the Bucks County Health Department has recommended the project be encouraged to correct the malfunction. The Bucks County Planning Commission indicates the plan proposal is consistent with the Township's official Act 537 Plan. The Hilltown Township Planning Commission has recommended the plan be approved. Approval should be by Resolution to amend Act 537 Plan for the public sewer connection. The sewer connection would be by force main on Highland Park Road to an existing main.

Supervisor Bennington stated he had been more than skeptical of this project at the last meeting, however, he appreciates Mr. Tobin's efforts and the efforts of Mr. Hinkle and Mr. Williams to see this project through. Supervisor Bennington explained he had the best interests of the residents of Quiet Acres in mind, and he did not mean to have an adversarial relationship with Mr. Williams and Mr. Tobin. Mr. Tobin thanked the Township for their aid in this project and for the alternatives, such as connection to Hilltown Township Water and Sewer Authority lines, that through the efforts of Township employees, this solution may now be possible.

Motion was made by Supervisor Kelly, seconded by Supervisor Bennington, and carried unanimously, to pass Resolution #90-34 to amend Act 537 Plan for public sewer connection for Quiet Acres Mobile Home Park.

Mr. Tobin advised that in order to alleviate the current problems that exist with regard to effluent, Quiet Acres has also leased its own tanker to perform it's own pump and haul. There had originally been a contract to have this taken care of, however, the contractor was not pumping and hauling sufficiently to alleviate the problem.

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Kay Keiser - Residents of Quiet Acres - Mr. Frank 3. Dalski thanked the Board of Supervisors for suggesting this solution of connection to public sewer. This has alleviated much of the worry residents of Quiet Acres had. Mr. Dalski questioned what connection to public sewer is going to cost the residents, since most of the residents are senior citizens stated the Board of Chairman Bennett incomes. fixed on Supervisors is aware a rental increase has taken place in February, and again in the beginning of November, making a typical lot rental fee of \$300.00 per month. Chairman Bennett advised the Board of Supervisors sympathize with the residents, however, lot rental fees are a private matter which the Township has no say in.

Mr. Wynn explained the costs involved to connect to Hilltown Township public sewer is far less expensive than the Telford Borough Authority public sewer connection. Hopefully, the Township will be able to resolve the matter more quickly than if the treatment plant alternative would have taken place.

Chairman Bennett asked Mr. Tobin if he was aware of the rumor of increased lot rental for Quiet Acres in 1991. Mr. Tobin replied he is not aware of any additional rent increases, and he has not been informed by Mr. Williams of any rent increases, however, he cannot guarantee this will not happen.

4. Joseph DelCiotto, BFI - Mr. Wynn stated Mr. DelCiotto is present in regards to approval action of the BFI Land Development requires Planning Module approval from DER. This has been recommended by the Planning Commission for that land development. Mr. Wynn advised this is a connection to Telford Borough Authority Sewer. Included with it is a letter from the Pennridge Wastewater Treatment Authority, which indicates they believe there is adequate capacity for the development. Mr. Wynn recommends the Board of Supervisors adopt a Resolution for a Sewage Facilities Plan Revision to allow BFI to connect to the public sewer system of the Telford Borough Authority.

Motion was made by Supervisor Kelly, seconded by Supervisor Bennington and carried unanimously to adopt <u>Resolution #90-35</u> for a Sewage Facilities Plan Revision for BFI Land Development.

E. MANAGER'S REPORT - Ms. Lee Buchanan-Gregory, Acting Township Manager -

1. Ms. Buchanan-Gregory apologized to the Board of Supervisors for the late receipt of the September, 1990 Treasurer's Report, which follows:



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General Fund Checking Beginning Balance: Receipts: Disbursements: End of Month Balance:	\$1	300,335.30 .75,408.56 .06,147.30 369,596.56
Payroll Checking Account Beginning Balance: Receipts: Disbursements: End of Month Balance:	\$\$ \$\$ \$\$	51.18 68,765.75 68,749.81 67.12
Debt Service Investment/Checking Beginning Balance: Receipts: Disbursements: End of Month Balance:	\$\$\$\$	6,293.12 509.03 .00 6,802.15
State Highway Aid Checking Beginning Balance: Receipts: Disbursements: End of Month Balance:	<del>\$} \$} \$} \$}</del>	98,213.41 .00 1,336.62 96,876.79
Police Pension Investment/Checking Beginning Balance: Receipts: Disbursements: End of Month Balance:	\$\$ \$\$ \$\$	21,291.31 101.35 .00 21,392.66
Non-Uniform Investment/Checking Beginning Balance: Receipts: Disbursements: End of Month Balance:	\$\$ \$\$ \$\$	26,472.97 134.16 6.00 26,601.13
Escrow Fund Checking Beginning Balance: Receipts: Disbursements: End of Month Balance:	\$ \$ \$	28,047.54 .00 .00 28,047.54

2. Ms. Buchanan-Gregory announced the total shipments of the recycling buckets have been received and are being stored until distribution to residents, which will take place beginning on Thursday, November 1, 1990. The Township is asking all residents to contact your local trash hauler for the schedule of pick-up of recyclables. Hilltown Township will be recycling clear glass, aluminum cans and newspapers. Distribution of recycling buckets will be done according to sections of the Township. Recycling buckets will be dropped off at your driveway. If you have not received these buckets by the end of December, please contact the Township office.

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The Board has received a memo for Escrow Releases which 3. have met the Township Engineer's requirements and authorization. Ms. Buchanan-Gregory asked to eliminate items number 9 through 12 on that memo, as they have been deemed ineligible for release at this time.

Escrow Releases (Letters of Credit):

Sterling Knoll, Phase II Voucher #30 Sterling Knoll, Phase II Voucher #31 Sterling Knoll, Phase II Voucher #32 Summit Court Voucher #23 Summit Court Voucher #24 Voucher #25 Summit Court Voucher #21 Hickory Hamlet, Phase II Voucher #22 Hickory Hamlet, Phase II Voucher #18 Deerfield Voucher #19 Deerfield Voucher #03 Skyline Estates Skyline Estates Voucher #04 Replogle II Voucher #22

Motion was made by Supervisor Bennington, seconded by Supervisor Kelly and carried unanimously to release the above escrows as specified by Mr. Wynn.

4. Ms. Buchanan-Gregory advised the Fall Road Inspection was held on Saturday, October 13, 1990. Those in attendance were the Board of Supervisors; Mr. Buzby, Director of Public Works; and Ms. Buchanan-Gregory.

5. The agreement between Hilltown Township and Dublin Borough for snow removal for the 1990-1991 season has been reviewed. The annual payment is \$500.00 for snow removal on West Rickert Road and Middle Road.

Motion was made by Supervisor Bennington, seconded by Supervisor Kelly and carried unanimously to approve the 1990-1991 snow removal agreement between Hilltown Township and Dublin Borough.

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COORDINATOR'S REPORT/HILLTOWN TOWNSHIP F. FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT -

1. Mr. James Gill, Deputy Fire Chief - Mr. Gill presented the Hilltown Township Fire Company report for the month of October. This report is on file at the Township office. Mr. Gill advised that Mr. George Egly, II has been nominated for the Hilltown Township Fireman of the Year. He will be receiving the W. Atley Murphy Award.





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G. ENGINEERING/PLANNING - Mr. C. Robert Wynn, Township Engineer

Mr. Wynn advised the first two items on the agenda for Engineering/Planning - Quiet Acres Mobile Home Park, Act 537 and BFI, Act 537, have been addressed previously.

Hickory Hamlet Subdivision - Mr. Wynn stated this 1. a five lot subdivision located off Narothyn Road. This is subdivision included the construction of a cul-de-sac street called Florence Circle, with five new lots, two of which have had dwellings constructed. Lots #2, #3 and #4 are currently owned by the same builder. Lot #4 has a dwelling presently under construction. The requirements of the plan for the construction of the roadway and other public improvements has been accomplished at this point, with the exception of the driveway entrances and lamp posts for the three lots, which have not yet been occupied. The builder and owner of those three lots has indicated in writing, that in order to avoid damage to the lamp post and driveway entrances, they have made arrangements with Mr. Hackett to install them at the time of completion of each house. The Building Inspector has been notified by Mr. Wynn that this work shall be completed prior to any occupancy on those three remaining lots. Mr. Wynn's recommendation is the improvements and Florence Circle be accepted and the eighteen month maintenance guarantee commence for the There will be some maintenance improvements. public responsibilities ongoing in the retention basin. There is some Both swales entering the retention basin are on erosion. properties where a home is under construction or a home is not yet under construction, therefore there will be some disturbance by the builder.

2. <u>Hawk Ridge Subdivision</u> - Mr. Wynn stated Hawk Ridge Subdivision is not yet ready for consideration of the acceptance of improvements. Mr. Wynn recommended this be tabled. Board approved.

Summit Court Subdivision - Mr. Wynn explained Summit 3. off Court Subdivision is the twin home development located Four of There are ten twin homes proposed. Reliance Road. the units have been constructed, six more units have yet to be constructed. The public improvements, including the cul-de-sac street - Joelle Way, sidewalks, retention basin, and landscaping have been installed. There are still some outstanding items, including iron pins, concrete monuments and street lamps on the lots which have not yet been constructed. Final grading has not occurred. Mr. Wynn's recommendation is that the public improvements be accepted with those outstanding items to be accomplished during the eighteen month maintenance period.

- Mr. Wynn explained this is а Skyline Estates 4. subdivision located at Stump and Callowhill Roads. There is no public roadway. Right-of-way grading, landscaping and driveway construction to the ultimate right-of-way line was required and has been accomplished. Property pins and monuments have and certified by the surveyor. Mr. Wynn installed been recommended

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the eighteen month maintenance period commence for Skyline Estates development. There are no access streets to be accepted and the right-of-way has previously been accepted.

Motion was made by Supervisor Bennington, seconded by Supervisor Kelly and carried unanimously to accept the agreement with Skyline Estates with the eighteen month maintenance agreement in place.

Mr. Wynn stated the Board of Supervisors previously 5. approved an Act 537 Revision for Reblock project, which is a single family stream discharge system located on Broad Street. Information had been forwarded to DER. The Township has been advised by DER, the proposal review will not commence until a complete submittal has been made. What was requested to be relayed by the applicant, was the execution of the maintenance and operation agreement. Mr. Strothers, who represented the applicant, requested this and the establishment of an escrow agreement not occur until prior to issuance of a building permit. DER has indicated the following must be included: long term operation and maintenance agreement consistent with the requirements of Chapter 71. This would have to be executed at this time for applicant to proceed. Mr. Wynn advised Mr. Grabowski will be contacted by Strothers and Associates for this executed agreement.

# H. <u>SOLICITOR'S REPORT - Mr. Frank Grabowski</u>, Township Solicitor -

1. Mr. Grabowski requested the Board make a motion to approve the acceptance of all required improvements and to initiate the eighteen month maintenance period for Summit Court Subdivision and Hickory Hamlet Subdivision.

Mr. Grabowski asked the Board to consider the adoption of Resolution #90-36 to formally accept Florence Circle within Hickory Hamlet Subdivision and Joelle Way within Summit Court Subdivision, as dedicated streets for the purposes of eligibility for Liquid Fuel Funds.

Motion was made by Supervisor Bennington, seconded by Supervisor Kelly and carried unanimously for required improvements and the eighteen month maintenance agreement for Summit Court Subdivision and Hickory Hamlet Subdivision.

Motion was made by Supervisor Bennington, seconded by Supervisor Kelly and carried unanimously to accept Resolution #90-36 to accept Joelle Way within Summit Court Subdivision and Florence Circle within Hickory Hamlet Subdivision.



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Mr. Grabowski advised a development agreement and an escrow 2. agreement relating to Solar Atmospheres Land Development project. Solar Atmospheres is a project owned by Mr. William R. Jones of Souderton Technical Associates. The owner has executed appropriate agreements, along with Union National Bank and Trust Company, and an escrow fund in the amount of \$86,615.70 has been established to provide for the guarantee of site work, storm sewer construction, roadway widening and improvements, erosion control, monuments and pins, and street trees. In addition, Mr. Grabowski advised the appropriate insurance certificates of the developer insuring the interests of the in the matter have been received. Mr. Grabowski Township recommended a motion to authorize the execution of the development agreement and the financial security agreement. Motion was made by Supervisor Bennington, seconded by Supervisor

Kelly and carried unanimously to execute the development agreement and the financial security agreement of Solar Atmospheres Land Development.

#### I. CORRESPONDENCE

1. Ms. Buchanan-Gregory stated correspondence has been received from Bunny's Animal Shelter advising as of September 30, 1990, the total number of permanent dogs residing at the shelter is 188.

2. Ms. Buchanan-Gregory has received the monthly report from the Perkasie Fire Company for the month of September, along with the Sellersville Fire Department report for the months of August and September.

Correspondence has been received from Alderfer and Frank 3. regarding their leaf collection pick-ups. Alderfer and Frank will be placing an ad on Saturday, October 27, 1990 in the Reporter newspaper, and Tuesday, October 30, 1990 in the Free Press, and on Wednesday, October 31, 1990 in the Souderton Independence. The ad states: Alderfer and Frank, your local waste management company has arranged a special leaf collection service for it's customers. To participate, bag your leaves in a biodegradable bag sold for \$1.00 each at the following locations: Roeder's in Sellersville, Landis Market in Telford, Hatfield, Spoors Store in George Snyder in General Trumbauersville, Hennings Market in Harleysville, Grossman's in Montgomeryville and Clemens Market in Quakertown. Bags can also be purchased at the Alderfer and Frank office in Telford. The cost of the bags will cover pick-up costs. Leaf collection scheduled pick-up times will be between now and December 10, 1990. A phone number for any further questions is 215-257-1142.

Ms. Buchanan-Gregory informed the public she has contacted Alderfer and Frank to have the ad run in the Intelligencer and the News Herald, the most widely read newspapers in the Townships, however, she was informed Alderfer and Frank was working on a limited advertising budget.

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Supervisor Bennington questioned where Alderfer and Frank would be disposing of the leaves from their collection. Ms. Buchanan-Gregory advised they did not state where they would dispose of the leaves.

### J. RESIDENT'S COMMENTS -

1. <u>Mr. Robert Grunmeier, 1811 Bethlehem Pike</u> - Mr. Grunmeier asked for an update on the Pleasant Meadows stream encroachment permit (#P09451). Mr. Wynn advised a permit from DER still has not been received. The latest snag is litigation. They are requiring an equal amount of wetlands to be constructed for displaced wetlands. In order to satisfy the Fish Commission, the channel relocation from the new bridge to the existing stream had to be made to meander, rather than flow straight. These were the comments Mr. Wynn had received at the end of May. Mr. Wynn has contacted Mr. Glenn Garis, and had received a call on Friday, October 19, 1990 to follow up with the soil scientist as to the status of litigation plans.

Mr. Grunmeier questioned the status of the proposed traffic light at Rt. 113 and Diamond Street, which had met PennDot requirements. Chairman Bennett advised no action had been taken on this item at this point.

Mr. Grunmeier stated he understood Toth Brothers would be reconstructing the bridge on Swartley Road, yet as of this date, no reconstruction has taken place. Mr. Grunmeier advised this is a dangerous corner and the potential for accidents in this area will increase with the winter months. Chairman Bennett replied the Board of Supervisors is in the process of discussing this issue at the present time.

2. <u>Mr. Jack Fox, Hilltown</u> - Mr. Fox had some comments to add to the Recycling Report. Mr. Fox stated Bucks County has refused to sign a contract with Hilltown Township because they do not yet know what price they will be paying the Township. Mr. Fox felt an immediate contract would be most advantageous to the Township, whether for fees or not, so that the Township would not be stuck in a two year contract they could not break, should they choose to. Chairman Bennett stated he would follow up on this issue with Mr. Chuck Raudenbush.

3. <u>Mr. John Snyder</u> - Mr. Snyder expressed appreciation to the Board of Supervisors for the moment of silence at the beginning of this meeting for the Hoope's family, and for the accomodation given to the Hilltown Township Police Department. Mr. Snyder explained he was a member of the responding Fire Police on the scene, and had the opportunity to see, first hand, how well the Hilltown Township Police Department worked with the County and State authorities. Mr. Snyder stated he heard many favorable comments from the State and County authorities about our Police Department. Mr. Snyder wished to personally thank each and every member of the Hilltown Township Police Department for their excellent efforts in this tragic situation.





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#### K. SUPERVISOR'S COMMENTS -

1. Supervisor Kelly echoed Mr. Snyder's comments regarding the Police Department's diligence, hard work and cooperation with State and County authorities during this difficult time.

2. Supervisor Bennington stated he had the misfortune of viewing the forensic pictures of the victims, and the brutality was indescribable. Supervisor Bennington said his heart went out to the officer's involved who had to view this scene firsthand and commended the entire Police Department.

Supervisor Bennington read a Proclomation for Red Ribbon Week encouraging Hilltown Township residents for a drug free community. Motion was made by Supervisor Bennington, seconded by Supervisor Kelly and carried unanimously to accept this Proclomation as stated.

Supervisor Bennington stated in view of the upcoming election on November 6, 1990, he supports a "Yes" vote for the need for Volunteer Firefighter's Loan Bill.

Motion was made by Supervisor Bennington, seconded by Supervisor Kelly, and carried unanimously requesting Mr. Jack Fox, Chairman of the Recycling Committee, attend a Recycling Training Seminar.

Motion was made by Supervisor Bennington, seconded by Supervisor Kelly and carried unanimously to file an immediate court injunction against Trader's Village on Route 309 in Hilltown Township, which is in violation of a number of zoning laws.

L. <u>PRESS CONFERENCE</u> - A conference was held at this time to answer questions and concerns of those reporters present.

M. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u> - The meeting of the Hilltown Township Board of Supervisors was adjourned upon motion by Supervisor Kelly at 9:03PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Synda Seines

Lynda Seimes Assistant Township Secretary