

**TILDEN TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Tuesday, November 12, 2019  
Budget Meeting

The Tilden Township Board of Supervisors met in the Township Municipal Building for the purpose of reviewing the 2020 budget, with the following present: Supervisors Gene Schappell, Fred Herman and Richard DeLong, Township Treasurer/Secretary Monica Flower, Chief William McEllroy and Roadmaster Michael Quick. The budget meeting commenced at 4:03 p.m.

**THE MEETING WAS RECESSED AT 4:05 PM FOR AN EXECUTIVE SESSION REGARDING PERSONNEL AND RECONVENED AT 4:22 PM**

The Treasurer gave a brief statement of explanation regarding the process in developing the 2020 budget which included the following factors:

- Wage adjustments for the Police department through the police contract negotiations
- One additional full-time road crew employee
- Increasing the Assistant Secretary to full-time with benefits
- Proposed Township Manager
- Other factors included but not limited to: MS4, legal services for the sale of the water system, Northern Berks Joint Comprehensive Plan.
- Millage will remain 1.95 mills for the General Fund
- Fire Tax reduction from .25 mills to .15 mills

A discussion was held regarding various items in the budget. A vote will be taken at the Regular Meeting.

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:** None

**A Motion was made by Gene Schappell and seconded by Richard DeLong to adjourn the meeting at 5:10 p.m. Upon roll call Schappell, Herman and DeLong voted yes.**

ATTEST:

Monica A. Flower  
Treasurer