SMITHFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS SPECIAL MEETING – OCTOBER 18, 2024, AT 10:00AM

A Special Meeting of the Smithfield Township Board of Supervisors was held on October 18, 2024, at the Smithfield Township Municipal Center at 1155 Red Fox Rd, East Stroudsburg, PA 18301, and via Zoom.

Present are Supervisors Jacob Pride and Michael Albert, Solicitor Ronold Karasek, and Administrative Coordinator Dyana Salvi; Robert Lovenheim is present via phone.

Also present are Tammy Booth, Brett Cartwright, Kristine Karol, and Cathy Kulesza.

- 1. Chair Jacob Pride calls the meeting to order at 10:09AM. A quorum is present.
- 2. The Pledge of Allegiance is recited.
- 3. New Business:
 - a. Consider: Motion for Contempt.

Michael Albert motions to file a motion for contempt regarding Back 9 MX, Robert Lovenheim seconds. Michael Albert states Back 9 MX held an event that was promoted on social media, which is in violation of the Judge's orders. Cathy Kulesza states Back 9 MX was promoting a car show and an electric bike race. There are timestamped photos of that morning and the event. Robert Lovenheim states there are several videos of bike riding. Ronold Karasek emphasizes having witnesses and evidence provided in court. Tammy Booth states she took a video that morning capturing bike riding. Cathy Kulesza states she can be a witness to provide evidence. Tammy Booth states there is hesitation among neighbors to be witnesses due to fear of harassment. Brett Cartwright asks about using metadata in court and Ronold Karasek asks for a specific case. The Board confirms Back 9 MX did not receive a special event permit for the car show. Brett Cartwright describes a court case with metadata. Vote: all in favor; motion carries.

- 4. Public Comment: None.
- **5. Adjournment:** Robert Lovenheim motions to adjourn, Jacob Pride seconds. Vote: all in favor; meeting adjourned at 10:24AM.

Minutes Recorded by Dyana Salvi

Respectfully submitted,

Julia Heitakka, Tawa hin Saanatan

Township Secretary