

**COVINGTON TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS
PUBLIC HEARING ~ ORDINANCE 2024-01
AUGUST 6, 2024 at 6:00 p.m.**

The Covington Township Board of Supervisors held a public hearing on Tuesday, August 6, 2024, at the Covington Township Municipal building, Moffat Estate, 20 Moffat Drive, Covington Township, PA 18444 for the purpose of considering Ordinance #2024-01, an Ordinance to Repeal Ordinance No. 2005-01 (Originally Ordinance No. 2003-06, imposing a tax on admissions to amusements; establishing the rates of taxation and requiring payment of tax due; requiring permit, fee, and application; establishing the expiration date thereof; establishing the duties of the designated tax collector; requiring a confidential return; and prescribing penalties for violations. Chairwoman Kearney called the hearing to order with the Pledge of Allegiance at 6:00 p.m.

There were present: Chairwoman/Secretary Melissa Kearney, Vice Chairwoman Vicki Williams, Supervisor/DPW Director Marshall Peirce, Supervisor William Willson, Attorney Joel Wolff, and stenographer Laura Lakes.

Absent: Supervisor Wanda Andreoli.

After opening the hearing, Chairwoman Kearney turned the hearing over to Attorney Wolff.

Exhibits:

Township #1: Notice sent to the Scranton Times for the legal advertisement along with a full text copy of the proposed ordinance for public review

Township #2: Proof of publication in the Scranton Times on July 18, 2024

Township #3: Public Notice posted on front door of Municipal Office.

Township #4: Ordinance No. 2005-01 ~ Amending Ordinance No. 2003-06

Township #5: Ordinance No. 2003-06 ~ Amusement Tax Ordinance

Township #6: Proposed Ordinance #2024-01.

Supervisor's Comment: None.

Public Comment: No public were present

Vote: Chairwoman Kearney called for a vote on Ordinance #2024-01, an Ordinance to Repeal Ordinance No. 2005-01 (originally Ordinance No. 2003-06), with all present in favor of passing Ordinance #2024-01. The ordinance will take effect five (5) days after enactment.

Adjournment: On motion duly made (Willson), seconded (Williams) and carried to adjourn at 6:02 p.m.

Respectfully submitted:
Melissa Kearney, Secretary

Approved: 9.3.24
J. Marshall Peirce

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