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Zoning board hears two cases

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CANTON — The Canton Zoning Hearing Board held two separate hearings on zoning issues for the Canton Moose Lodge and Brian and Amy Koval, on Monday, March 18.

The Canton Moose Lodge was seeking a Variance to the Zoning Ordinance with regards to their digital electronic sign.

Scott Palmer and Jim Colton were sworn in to testified on behalf of the Moose, along with Amy Seeley who testified on behalf

of the Board.

Seeley testified the sign at the Moose violates the current Ordinance. It does not meet the regulations on the 500' from a traffic light intersection, which it is only 281' from the light, and 500' from a residential use, which is across the street, below the Moose, but still within 500'. Also, the maximum dimension requirements for the area of the sign is larger than the Zoning Ordinance allows, with having an area of 20 sq. ft. and the Ordinance only allows up to 12 sq. ft.

Colton indicated it was exactly the same size as the original one, although that one was not electronic.

Seeley advised she issued a zoning permit for static use. There were times after that in which the sign was being used as transitional (a moving message) and it was stopped after she so requested.

Palmer inquired if any complaints have ever been received, to which Seeley responded no.

Barrett directed to the Moose that they should not advertise on the sign for fa-

vors or money for any other organization or it will violate the Ordinance.

Colton stated the sign can be adjusted for brightness, which they did according to PennDOT's regulations for driving visibility and PennDOT indicated no permit is required.

The Solicitor and Board adjourned to a different room to discuss and reach a decision, after which the Board reconvened.

"The Zoning Hearing Board will grant all re-

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Mott behind two months on restitution

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CANTON — The Canton Borough Authority met on Tuesday, March 12 at the wastewater treatment facility.

The last monthly restitution payment the CBA received from Brenda Mott from Bradford County Collections was in the amount of \$1,200, for restitution for December and January.

Payments for February or March have not been received as of this meeting.

The total amount of money that Mott has returned thus far is \$131,595.21. The total balance due according to the Civil Suit Agreement is \$196,488.69.

Minutes/Financial

The Minutes of the February meeting were ap-

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PIPE ORGAN PLAYED ONE LAST TIME



photo by Sherry Lambert

The pipe organ at the Canton Church of Christ (Disciples of Christ) was played by Brandon Wesneski for the final time at the "Music Through the Ages" concert series, before it is replaced. Wesneski was able to get a few songs out of the organ, although the foot pedals could not be used, as his final performance on this pipe organ. Lynn McCartney provided the audience with two exceptional opera songs, "Elijah" and "Alleluja." Other performers were Jerikah Gilliland who, in addition to singing, played the violin, and some of the 'Sock Hoppers' closed the program with playing, "Born Again Medley" on their instruments: Cindy Yellenic played the saxophone, Ted Bown on the flugelhorn, Brad Chamberlain on the drums and Brandon Wesneski on the piano.

Township discusses road materials

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CANTON — The Canton Township Supervisors held their meeting on Monday, March 4.

Gary Ferguson attended the meeting via Zoom.

During the meeting, the Supervisors discussed with Bob Petrowski the amount and types of road materials that will need to put out for bid for the upcoming year.

Tyler Hite, of McClure Enterprises stated they have different places from which they can acquire the state certified black cinders. Currently, they are delivering these to three other townships.

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Easter Church Services in Troy and Canton area

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CANTON/TROY — Listed below are the Easter church services that have been received:

EASTER SERVICES

Canton Area

CANTON CHURCH OF CHRIST (DISCIPLES OF CHRIST)

170 N. Minnequa Ave. Maundy Thursday, March 28 at 7:30 p.m.

Friday, March 29 at 10:30 a.m. - Procession of the Cross

Easter Sunday, March 31 at 7 a.m. - Sunrise Service (Main St. Cemetery)

10:15 a.m. - Easter Worship Service

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF ALBA

74 Church Dr., Alba Good Friday, March 29 at 7 p.m.

Saturday, March 30 - Community Easter Egg Hunt at 10 am

Sunday, March 31 - Easter Sunrise Service at 7 am,

Breakfast at 8 am, Worship at 10 am

GROVER CHURCH OF CHRIST

498 Grover Rd., Grover Good Friday, March 29 at 7 p.m. - Tenebrae Service in Fellowship Hall - This special service tells the story leading up to the suffering and death of Jesus on the cross. Darkness increases by gradually extinguishing the candles to symbolize the coming darkness of Jesus' death. Worshipers leave in silence to ponder the impact of Christ's death and await the celebration of the coming Resurrection. If you have never experienced, this most meaningful service,

Resurrection Sunday, March 31 at 9:45 a.m. - Morning Worship featuring the Grover Choir Presentation of "Calvary's Love Story!"

GROVER COMMUNITY SUNRISE SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S UM CHURCH

Resurrection Sunday,

March 31 at 7 a.m. - Grover Community Sunrise Service at St. John's UM Church

7:45 a.m. - Grover Community Sunrise Breakfast at St. John's UM Church

LIGHTHOUSE OF FAITH

141 East Main Street, Canton

Easter Sunday, March 31 at 10:30 a.m.

NEW LIFE CHURCH

299 McMurray Rd, Canton

Easter & Water Baptism Sunday, March 31 at 10 a.m. Very special Easter service as celebrate the personal impact of the resurrected life of Jesus Christ. If you want to be baptized, sign up on their website: newlifecanton.org/baptism

NORTH STREET COMMUNITY CHURCH

177 North Street, Canton Last Supper Communion, March 28 at 6 p.m. - Join them for a time of re-

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North Street Church to host New Beginnings Banquet

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CANTON — New Beginnings Annual Banquet will be held on Friday, April 12, at 6 p.m. at North Street Community Church located at 177 North Street, Canton.

Pete Ferreri, the Director of New Beginnings, is inviting everyone to attend to see what New Beginnings is all about. He will be providing his vision for the facility for the future.

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