

June 12, 2018

The regular meeting of the Royersford Borough Council was called to order at 7:15 p.m. by President Anil Dham at Royersford Borough Hall, 300 Main Street, Royersford, Pa.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was followed by roll call.

Present: A. Demchik, A. Dham, A. Metricarti, J. Moskal, T. Moyer, M. Stehman
T. Weikel was representing the Borough at the PA Borough's Conference

Also Present: Mayor J. Antoniewicz, Solicitor Robert Brant, and Manager M. Leonard

Approval of the meeting minutes for May 8 & May 29, 2018. Motion by M. Stehman seconded by A. Metricarti to approve the meeting minutes. Motion passed unanimously.

VISITORS:

No visitors addressed Council.

SOLICITOR'S REPORT:

All Council received the Solicitor's report.

Solicitor Brant asked for an executive session to discuss a real estate matter. Council went into executive session at 7:20 P.M. and returned at 7:30 P.M. No decisions were made.

BOROUGH MANAGER'S REPORT:

Manager Leonard informed Council that the property at 320 Main Street needs some relief to be able to put in a restaurant. Council discussed the issue and agreed to give the owner of 320 Main Street a 5'x 9' easement of one of the borough's parking spaces in the lower lot, and convert the rest of the parking space for motorcycle parking only. This easement will help the owner meet the code for a clearance of 10 feet in order to mount his hood fan on the wall. Motion by A. Metricarti seconded by T. Moyer to allow for the parking space easement. Motion passed unanimously.

Manager Leonard reported on the Main Street & Second Avenue Takeback Program from the State.

Manager Leonard discussed with Council the replacement of the water lines by PA American Water Company on North 5th Avenue from Church Street to Pine Street. Leonard said he was going to send out a letter to the residents informing them if they intended to get gas service they need to contact PECO now and get the line in before the Borough paves the street, after the paving the ordinance kicks in and you can't open a newly paved street for three years.

Manager Leonard stated that the Borough is ready to bid the CDBG Grant for 5th Avenue from Main Street to Chestnut Street. Motion to put the CDBG Grant road project out to bid by T. Moyer seconded by A. Metricarti. Motion passed unanimously.

Manager Leonard presented a quote from Reed Industries to purchase a new liner for the ice skating rink in the amount of \$1,379.40 and the freight of \$299.00 for a total of \$1,678.40. Motion to purchase the liner by M. Stehman seconded by A. Metricarti. Motion passed unanimously.

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Disbursements in the amount of \$235,382.07 were presented and authorized paid upon motion by A. Metricarti seconded by T. Moyer. The motion passed unanimously.

WASTE WATER COMMITTEE:

M. Stehman thanked Jack Huzzard for giving Council a tour of the Wastewater Treatment Plant.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE/CODE ENFORCEMENT: No Report

PARK & RECREATION COMMITTEE:

T. Moyer informed Council that movie night was switched to a new location at the Church of the Nazarene.

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE:

The report of the Chief of Police for the month of April 2018 was presented and accepted upon motion by J. Moskal seconded by A. Demchik. The motion passed unanimously.

The report of the Borough Fire Marshal for the month of April 2018 was presented and accepted upon motion by J. Moskal seconded by A. Demchik. Motion passed unanimously.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE:

A. Metricarti announced to Council that Kyle Bagnall resigned his position on the Park & Recreation Commission. Motion to accept Kyle Bagnall's resignation by A. Metricarti seconded by Stehman. Motion passed unanimously.

PLANNING COMMISSION: No Report

President A. Dham reported on the trestle meeting that he attended on Monday June 11, 2018. The committee will be applying for a DCED grant.

MAYOR:

Mayor Antoniewicz reported to Council that part time Officer Guldin resigned to move on to another police department.

Mayor Antoniewicz reported to Council that she officiated a wedding ceremony on June 9, 2018 at no charge.

Mayor Antoniewicz wanted to thank the Police Department and Councilman Matt Stehman for taking part in the dunk tank to help raise money for the Vietnam wall along the river front.

Mayor Antoniewicz announced that the Royersford Business Association had its second meeting of the year; the committees were formed and are moving forward.

Mayor Antoniewicz reported that the National Night Out planning meeting is June 19, 2018.

Mayor Antoniewicz announced that there will be a Wellness Fair on June 14, 2018 at the Pink Moose.

Mayor Antoniewicz reported on a letter she received from Limerick Township Police requesting to have the Royersford Fire Police help direct traffic for the fireworks at Waltz Golf Farm on July 4, 2018 from 6:30 P.M. to 11 P.M. Motion by M. Stehman seconded by A. Metricarti to authorize mutual aid assistance on behalf of Royersford Borough for the fireworks on July 4, 2018.

Mayor Antoniewicz reported on the Karma Fest, all questions were answered except if the people who come to Karma Fest and want to camp out. Solicitor Brant asked the Mayor to get more information on the event and act on the information at the next meeting.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned at 7:50 P.M. upon motion by A. Metricarti seconded by J. Moskal. The motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,

Michael A. Leonard
Secretary