

January 8, 2019

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, Mayor J. Antoniewicz, R. Brant Solicitor, and Manager M. Leonard

VISITORS:

No visitors spoke at the meeting.

Meeting minutes for December 11, 2018 were approved by a motion by T. Weikel seconded by T. Moyer. Motion passed unanimously.

The Council meeting scheduled for December 26, 2018 was cancelled by Borough Council; no minutes were recorded.

Dave Kee, Borough Engineer presented the plan to Council for the Borough's subdivision and land development at 4th Avenue and Main Street. There were no questions from council members or visitors. Motion to accept the plan by A. Metricarti seconded by T. Weikel. Motion passed unanimously.

SOLICITOR'S REPORT:

Solicitor Brant sent his monthly report to all Council and the Mayor. Solicitor Brant reported he has Resolution #2019-01 that goes with the subdivision that Dave Kee spoke about. The Resolution of Royersford Borough Council authorizing the acquisition of certain property consisting of approximately 16,000 square feet, more or less said tract being part of tax parcel no 19-00-02016-008; authorizing the preparation, declaration of taking, Deed-In-Lieu of condemnation, writings, instruments and papers as may be necessary to formally acquire title to such property in the name of Royersford Borough. Motion by T. Moyer seconded by T. Weikel. Motion passed unanimously.

Solicitor asked for an executive session for a personnel matter at the end of the meeting, no action will be taken.

BOROUGH MANAGER'S REPORT:

Manager Leonard reported on the traffic lights at 4th Avenue and Main Street. The company should be done by the end of January.

Manager Leonard reported that he is working to get a quote on the boat dock so he can turn it into the insurance company for the damage to the dock.

Manager Leonard reported on Norfolk Southern closing the crossings at Main Street and Arch Street.

Manager Leonard updated Council on the take back of Main Street and 2nd Avenue.

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Disbursements from December 15 to December 31, 2018 in the amount of \$228,869.88 were presented and authorized paid upon motion by T. Weikel seconded by M. Stehman. The motion passed unanimously.

Disbursements for January 1 to January 9, 2019 in the amount of \$127,656.90 were presented by T. Weikel seconded by A. Metricarti. The motion passed unanimously.

There were two bill lists due to the December 26th meeting being cancelled.

T. Weikel reported to Council the progress of the Editorial and Legal Analysis for General Code.

WASTE WATER COMMITTEE:

The report of the Waste Water Treatment Plant Superintendent for the month of November was presented and accepted upon motion of M. Stehman seconded by A. Metricarti. Motion passed unanimously.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE/CODE ENFORCEMENT: No Report

PARK & RECREATION COMMITTEE:

Winners of the home decoration contest are 1st place 326 South 6th Avenue, 2nd place 930 Church Street, and 3rd place 137 7th Avenue.

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE:

The report of the Chief of Police for the month of November 2018 was presented and accepted upon a motion by J. Moskal seconded by T. Moyer. The motion passed unanimously.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE:

A. Metricarti reported that there was a resignation on the Park and Recreation Committee. Pat Weikel handed in her resignation after 30 years of service. Motion to accept Pat Weikel's resignation by A. Metricarti seconded by T. Weikel. Motion passed unanimously.

Motion by A. Metricarti seconded by T. Weikel to appoint Jennifer Kampmann to a 3 year term on the Park and Recreation Committee. The motion passed unanimously. Motion by A. Metricarti seconded by J. Moskal. The motion passed unanimously.

PLANNING COMMISSION:

The January 7, 2019 minutes of the Planning Commission were read by President A. Dham. Motion by T. Weikel seconded by M. Stehman. Motion passed unanimously.

Council President A. Dham reported on the trestle project. The awards of the DCED Grant will take place on Tuesday January 29, 2019.

MAYOR:

Mayor Antoniewicz reported that January 9th is National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day. Anyone who has letters to send to the officers Mayor Antoniewicz would be glad to forward to them.

Corporal Fennelly offered Council members to ride along with a police officer. If anyone is interested they should contact Corporal Fennelly.

Storytime with Officer Mark to be held 10 AM Thursday January 10, 2019.

Mayor Antoniewicz reported on a partnership with the first lady of Conshohocken Borough for an event with the Suicide Prevention Task Force of Montgomery County.

President Dham reported there will be an executive session at the end of the meeting regarding personnel.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned at 8:06 PM upon motion by T. Weikel seconded by J. Moskal. The motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,

Michael A. Leonard
Secretary

