

April 30, 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, and Manager M. Leonard

VISITORS:

T. J. Hock introduced himself to Council as the new owner of 159 Main Street.

James R. Pinckney and Tess Scott introduced themselves as commercial realtors working on trying to bring new business to the Borough.

Mike Hays representing Joe Ciresi's office stated that State Representative Joe Ciresi will be hosting a spotted lanternfly prevention and mitigation forum at the Perkiomen Valley High School Thursday May 23 2019.

Lindsay Dunn and Bill Sweeney representing the Disabled American Veterans Chapter 25 addressed the issues for completing the Veteran's Memorial. The Borough agreed to move forward with this project.

The Treasurer Report and Sewer & Solid Waste Collection Report for February 2019 was presented and accepted upon motion by T. Weikel seconded by A. Metricarti. Motion passed unanimously.

BOROUGH MANAGER'S REPORT:

Manager Leonard reported that the 2nd Avenue and Arch Street parking lot will be closed for two hours on Wednesday from 9AM to 11AM for cleaning of the lot. Linda Fryer from 218 Washington Street asked several questions during the discussion regarding moving her trailer.

Manager Leonard reported that the Sixth Avenue and Arch Street road project was completed.

Manager Leonard reported that the Schuylkill River Sojourn will be at Victory Park on June 5, 2019 beginning at noon.

Manager Leonard reported that the trash contract is up at the end of the year and presented Council with several options. Council discussed the options.

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Disbursements in the amount of \$ 167,110.32 were presented and accepted and authorized paid upon motion by T. Weikel seconded by A. Metricarti. Motion passed unanimously.

WASTE WATER COMMITTEE:

The report of the Waste Water Treatment Plant Superintendent for the month of March 2019 was presented and accepted upon motion of M. Stehman seconded by A. Metricarti. The motion passed unanimously.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE:

The report of the Director of Public Works for the month of March was presented and accepted upon motion of A. Demchik seconded by T. Weikel. The motion passed unanimously.

The report of the Code Enforcement Officer for the month of March was presented and accepted upon motion by A. Demchik seconded by J. Moskal. The motion passed unanimously.

PARK & RECREATION COMMITTEE:

The minutes of the March 4, 2019 committee meeting were presented and accepted upon motion by T. Moyer seconded by T Weikel. The motion passed unanimously.

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE:

The report of the Chief of Police for the month of March 2019 was presented and accepted upon a motion by J. Moskal seconded by T. Weikel. The motion passed unanimously.

The report of the Borough Fire Marshal for the month of March 2019 was presented and accepted upon motion by J. Moskal seconded by M. Stehman. The motion passed unanimously.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE: No report

PLANNING COMMISSION: No report

President Dham commented on the PSAB Borough Dinner that was hosted by Pottstown and Royersford Borough at Spring Ford Country Club. President Dham stated it was a nice event. President Dham stated that the speaker at the dinner was Jalila Parker, PA SE Regional Deputy Director who spoke about a proposed Governor's infrastructure initiative grant called RESTORE. There will be a rally in Harrisburg on Wednesday May 15 at 11:30 AM if anyone is interested in going to support the proposed grant.

Walk a Mile in Her Shoes will be held at Pfizer's Collegeville Campus on Saturday May 4, 2019 from 9-11; all proceeds will go to Laurel House.

MAYOR:

Mayor Antoniewicz reported that registration for National Night Out is now open for vendors.

Mayor Antoniewicz reported that she will hold a baby shower on June 2, 2019 at the Pink Moose from 11 AM to 2 PM, everything collected would go to the Laurel House, Open Door and Project Outreach.

Mayor Antoniewicz stated Coffee with a Cop will be held on April 30th at Brewed Awakening.

Mayor Antoniewicz stated she administered the Oath of Office to Fire Police Alex Ranson.

Mayor Antoniewicz stated April 30th is a fundraiser for National Night Out at Texas Road House. Other fundraisers for National Night Out will be held during the month of May and June.

Mayor Antoniewicz stated that Emergency Services Night will be held October 9, 2019.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 PM upon motion by T. Weikel seconded by A. Metricarti. The motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,

Michael A. Leonard
Secretary