



**Borough of Bellevue  
Council Minutes  
August 28, 2018  
7:00 p.m.**

**Rosemary Heflin Council Chambers**

I. Call to Order

At 7:00 P.M. Councilperson Fodi (President) called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of Silence.

II. Roll Call

Councilpersons Fodi (President), DiTullio, Hause, Hrynda, Pennington, Pikul, Pritchard, Saylor and Woshner. Mayor Marburger, Treasurer Scioscia, Solicitor Racunas, DAS Borczyk and Chief Sentner were Present.

III. Public Contribution (5 minutes per person) - None.

IV. Approval of Resolution of No. 18-18 Hiring of Bellevue Police Officer.

- i. MOTION – Councilperson Pikul made a Motion to approve Resolution No. 18-18 authorizing and directing the hiring of Corey Wendel to the position of Police Officer in the Bellevue Borough Police Department. The Motion was Seconded by Councilperson Saylor and carried via unanimous roll call vote.
- ii. Swearing in of Office Corey Wendel by Mayor Marburger.

V. Approval of Meeting Minutes:

Councilperson Woshner made a Motion to Approve the following Meeting Minutes:

- i. July 24, 2018 Council
- ii. August 8, 2018 Parks
- iii. August 8, 2018 Public Safety
- iv. August 8, 2018 Finance

The Motion was Seconded by Councilperson Hause and carried via voice vote.

V. Reports - None.

VI. Committee Chair Reports

- a. Finance:
  - i. MOTION: Councilperson Hause reviewed the Motion to Approve NLC Warranty Service. After discussion, there

was a “straw poll” to include this item on the Agenda of the September 4, 2018 Finance Committee.

- ii. MOTION: Councilperson Pikul reviewed the Motion to approve Junior Council Member Program for Bellevue Borough. After discussion, it was decided to include this item on the Agenda of the September 4, 2018 Finance Committee.

b. Public Safety

Councilperson Saylor informed Council that there was no report.

c. Public Works

Councilperson Woshner informed Council that there is no report to be discussed at this time.

d. Parks and Rec

Councilperson Hrynda discussed the annual Dog Swim to be held on September 3, 2018, Labor Day, at Bellevue Memorial Park.

VII. Resolutions:

- i. MOTION: Councilperson Woshner made a Motion to approve Resolution No. 16-18 refunding of real estate taxes due because of changes in assessed values and/or overpayments. The Motion was Seconded by Councilperson Pikul and carried via seven (7) to two (2) roll call vote. (Fodi and Hrynda abstained).
- ii. MOTION: Councilperson Woshner made a Motion to approve Resolution No. 17-18 establishing participation in the Quaker Valley Council of Government Regional Emergency Management Study. The Motion was Seconded by Councilperson Pennington and carried via unanimous roll call vote.
- iii. MOTION: Councilperson Woshner made a Motion to approve Resolution No. 19-18 establishing the Allegheny County Vacant Property Program. The Motion was Seconded by Councilperson Saylor and carried via unanimous roll call vote.
- iv. MOTION: Councilperson Pikul made a Motion to approve Resolution No. 20-18 Hiring of a Library Clerk. The Motion was Seconded by Councilperson Saylor and carried via unanimous roll call vote.
- v. MOTION: Councilperson Pennington made a Motion to approve Resolution No. 21-18 Hiring of Lisette Dion as a Library Patron Researcher at a rate of \$ 9.00 per hour. The Motion was Seconded by Councilperson Pritchard and carried via unanimous roll call vote.

VIII. Ordinance - None.

IX. Old Business

Councilperson Woshner discussed the Zoning Hearing Board hearing and asked that Council reconsider a PA System for Council Chambers. Councilperson Pritchard asked that this be included on the Finance Committee Agenda of September 4, 2018.

X. New Business

Councilperson Pikul informed Council that a Neighborhood Watch meeting was scheduled for September 5, 2018 at 7 P.M. in Council Chambers.

Councilperson Fodi encouraged all to attend the COG Annual Dinner on October 17, 2018 and reminded all that the COG Budget Hearing was scheduled for August 29, 2018 at 7 P.M. at Emsworth Borough.

XI. Approval of Bill List:

- i. MOTION: Councilperson Woshner made a Motion to approve payment of the 2018.08.28 Bill List. Councilperson Saylor questioned invoices for Wizard Vue and Janitorial Services for the Sesquicentennial. The Motion was Seconded by Councilperson Pikul and carried via seven (7) to two (2) roll call vote. (Fodi and Hrynda abstained).

XII. Public Contribution (2 minutes per person)

State Representative Adam Ravenstahl discussed the rescinding of the Riverview Ave. Wall Grant award and noted that West View Borough has an active Jr. Councilperson Program. He also announced a shredding event on October 13, 2018 at the Avalon Borough Pool.

Jen Dittrich, 215 Gilliland, asked if the Zoning Hearing Board proceedings could be recorded. Solicitor Racunas replied "yes."

XIII. Executive Session

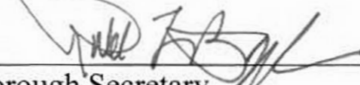
There was an Executive Session to discuss the Police Collective Bargaining negotiations.

XIV. Adjournment

Councilperson Pikul made a Motion to Adjourn the meeting at 9:45 P.M. The Motion was Seconded by Councilperson Pritchard and the meeting was Adjourned.

Minutes approved by Bellevue Borough Council on October 23, 2018.

Minutes Certified by:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Borough Secretary

