

September 29, 2015

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

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

Present: M. Bullick, P.Chrisman, A. Dham, J. Kring, A. Metricarti, M. Stehman, and T. Weikel

Also Present: Mayor J. Guest, Solicitor R. Brant and Manager M. Leonard

The Treasurers Report and Sewer & Solid Waste Collection Reports for August were presented and accepted upon motion by J. Kring seconded by A. Dham. Motion passed unanimously.

BOROUGH MANAGER'S REPORT:

Manager Leonard advised Council that AC Miller wants to use the lot in front of the sewer plant to store their concrete fixtures. There was a discussion on the floor regarding the agreement. It was agreed by Council that AC Miller is to remove the dirt necessary and to stone the area to the satisfaction of the Borough. The agreement would include a donation of the river side of the road so the Borough can use the area for the future walking trail. AC Miller will also pay a sum of \$500.00 per month for a three year agreement.

Manager Leonard presented to Council two bids he received for the camera system at the sewer plant. The first proposal is from Tronniks in the amount of \$7,631.90, the second bid is from On Site Systems in the amount of \$8,287.50. Motion by A. Dham seconded by A. Metricarti that the Borough award the contract to Tronniks in the amount of \$7,631.90. The motion passed unanimously.

VISITORS:

President Weikel announced that there will be a collection of unused or expired medication sponsored by Montgomery County District Attorney and the Chief of Police on October 17, 2015 at 300 Main Street Royersford, Pa.

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Disbursements in the amount of \$251,461.28 were presented and authorized paid upon motion by J. Kring seconded by A. Dham. Motion passed unanimously.

WASTE WATER COMMITTEE:

The report of the Waste Water Treatment Plant Superintendent for the month of August 2015 was presented and accepted upon motion of P. Chrisman seconded by M. Stehman. Motion passed unanimously.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE:

The report of the Director of Public Works for the month of August 2015 was presented and accepted upon motion of M. Stehman seconded by M. Bullick. The motion passed unanimously.

The report of the Code Enforcement Officer for the month of August was presented and accepted upon motion by M. Stehman seconded by M. Bullick. The motion passed unanimously.

PARKS & RECREATION COMMITTEE:

The minutes of the September 3, 2015 committee meeting were presented and accepted upon motion by A. Metricarti seconded by M. Stehman. Motion passed unanimously.

New park equipment was discussed and agreed upon to purchase.

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE:

The report of the Chief of Police for the month of August 2015 was presented and accepted upon motion by M. Bullick seconded by A. Metricarti. Motion passed unanimously.

Councilman Bullick and the Public Safety Committee received a handicapped parking space from Mr. John Pritz, 539 Main Street. Mr. Pritz has off street parking. Motion by M. Bullick to deny the handicapped application at 539 Main Street due to off street parking seconded by A. Dham. Motion passed unanimously.

Councilman Bullick received a second application for a handicapped parking space from Accumetrics Limited at 134 Adams Street. They wanted a space for their employee across the street from the company. Motion by M. Bullick to deny the application due to having off street parking available seconded by A. Dham. Motion passed unanimously.

M. Bullick presented the Police Chief's new contract starting October 1, 2015 to Council. There was a discussion on some contract issues. Motion to accept the Police Chief's contract by M. Bullick seconded by A. Dham. Motion passed unanimously.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE:

A. Dham presented to Council the new personnel manual under Resolution #2015-06. Motion by A. Dham that Resolution #2015-06 be passed seconded by M. Stehman. Motion passed unanimously.

PLANNING COMMISSION:

Council wanted to send a letter in opposition to the project at 320-324 Main Street. Council feels 13 apartments are too excessive and parking will be an issue.

SOLICITOR:

R. Brant presented Ordinance#875 The Non Smoking Ordinance to Council. The ordinance restricts smoking in the parks and all Borough facilities. The ordinance has been duly advertised. R. Brant opened up the floor to the public for any questions or comments, with no comments or questions he closed the floor. Council had no questions. Motion by A. Dham seconded by A. Metricarti to adopt Ordinance# 875 by roll call vote. Michael Bullick- Yes, Paul Chrisman-Yes, Anil Dham-Yes, John Kring- Yes, Alexandra Metricarti- Yes, Matt Stehman-Yes, and Tom Weikel-Yes. The ordinance passed 7-0.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned at 8:08 PM upon a motion by A. Dham seconded by A. Metricarti. The motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,

Michael A. Leonard
Secretary