

February 13, 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, and T. Weikel
Also Present: Mayor J. Antoniewicz, Solicitor B. Dunbar, and Manager M. Leonard

The minutes of the January 9 & January 30, 2018 were presented and accepted by a motion of T. Weikel seconded by A. Metricarti. Motion passed unanimously.

VISITORS:

No visitors spoke at the meeting.

BOROUGH MANAGER'S REPORT:

Manager Leonard reported on the schedule for the new parking lot next to the brew pub. The advertisement will be February 20th - February 28th, bids due March 20th, award bid March 27th, notice to proceed March 29th. There will be twenty one additional public spaces.

Manager Leonard spoke to Council about not accepting cash for parking tickets, instead using check, credit card, and on-line payment. There was a discussion on the parking tickets issued with Council, Mayor, along with the Police Chief. The matter was tabled until another Council meeting.

Manager Leonard presented Resolution #2018-01 approving Tom Weikel as a voting delegate for PSAB conference held June 10th to June 13th 2018. Motion by J. Moskal seconded by A. Metricarti to approve Resolution #2018-01. Motion passed unanimously.

Manager Leonard asked permission to get the glass window repaired in the Borough office, the cost is \$975.00. Motion by A. Metricarti seconded by T. Weikel to get the window repaired. Motion passed unanimously.

Manager Leonard informed Council that the Borough parking lot on 2nd Avenue near Main Street needs a survey to find out how much of the parking lot we own. Motion by A. Metricarti seconded by T. Weikel. Motion passed unanimously.

Manager Leonard explained to Council that Craig Keffer, Public Works Director proposed the borough purchase a light tower that can be used for outdoor activities. The light tower is a 2013 Allmand CR50097, the cost of the light tower is \$3,900.00. Motion by T. Weikel seconded by A. Metricarti to purchase the light tower. Motion passed unanimously.

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Disbursements in the amount of \$163,398.71 were presented and authorized paid upon motion by T. Weikel seconded by M. Stehman. The motion passed unanimously.

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE:

The report of the fire department for the month of January 2018 was presented and accepted upon motion by J. Moskal seconded by A. Metricarti. Motion passed unanimously.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE:

A. Metricarti made a motion seconded by T. Weikel to reappoint Laurie Faust to a three year term on the Park and Recreation Committee. The motion passed unanimously.

The parking study by ARRO will cost \$5,850.00. Motion by J. Moskal seconded by A. Metricarti to approve the cost of the parking study. Motion passed unanimously.

President Dham appointed A. Metricarti, T. Moyer, and A. Demchik to the parking committee to oversee the parking study.

Motion to provide training for the Borough's Human Relation Board at a cost of \$1,470 on Saturday March 31, 2018 at Borough Hall. Training will be provided by the Chester County LGBT Equality Alliance.

Solicitor Dunbar asked if there are any questions regarding his report.

MAYOR:

Mayor Antoniewicz wants to have a field trip in the future. Pat Webster from Trappe Borough reached out to Montgomery County Department of Public Safety and Emergency Operation Center to setup a tour of the facility. Mayor asked what good days to go are.

Mayor Antoniewicz announced that there is a meeting for National Night Out to be held at 7 PM on February 20, 2018 at the UCC Church.

Mayor Antoniewicz wanted the Borough to share their Facebook page.

Mayor Antoniewicz wanted to let everyone know that the Police Chief put on the Police Facebook page the information regarding emergency and non-emergency calls, and also added the non-emergency phone number for the Police 610-948-3333.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned at 7:45 PM upon motion by T. Weikel seconded by M. Stehman. The motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,

Michael A. Leonard
Secretary