

Public Meeting
May 18th, 2015

Meeting was opened by J. McCleary at 6:00pm. Those present were J. Meehan, M. Mevoli, P. MacAdams, and G. Gilbert. J. Granstrom, T Branella, and J. Meehan was absent. The Solicitor was Timothy Higgins, Esq..

This Meeting was advertised in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act, and complies with all the laws therein.

Reading and Approval of Minutes of April 20th, 2015:

Motion – M. Mevoli
2nd – G. Gilbert
All in favor: Carried.

Committee Reports:

Motion – P. MacAdams
2nd – M. Mevoli
All in Favor: Carried.

Lifesaving Award was presented to Sergeant Brandon Siefert and Police Officer John Stires III by Councilman M. Mevoli. M. Mevoli thanked them for their service and saving a person's life at the Metro Diner.

The public applauded the awards received by both officers.

Old Business:

Ordinance:

6-15 Amending Chapter 39: Police Department
7-15 Capital Ordinance – \$123,000
Second Reading
Public Hearing – Nothing Noted from the Public.
Motion – M. Mevoli
2nd – G. Gilbert
All in Favor: Carried.

New Business:

Ordinance:

8-15 Salary Ordinance
9-15 Capital Ordinance – \$2,978,300
10-15 Amending Chapter 118: Sewer
11-15 Amending Chapter 145: Water
First Reading
Motion – M. Mevoli
2nd – G. Gilbert
All in Favor: Carried.

Resolutions:

- # 83-15 Authorizing to Apply Municipal Liens
Motion to Table Resolution to Next meeting – M. Mevoli
2nd – Gilbert

- # 84-15 Authorizing Purchase of Certain Lands for \$89,000
- # 85-15 Acceptance of 2013 Audit
- # 86-15 Approval of Corrective Action Plan
- # 87-15 Authorizing Change Order No. 2 for Railroad Grade Crossing
- # 88-15 Authorize Cancellations, Applications, and/or Refund of Monies
- # 89-15 Authorization to Execute Administrative Contract
Motion – M. Mevoli
2nd – P. MacAdams
All in Favor: Carried.

Engineers Report from Greg Fusco, Kei Engineering:

Item #2: We have submitted for CDBG Year 37 funding. The money has been allocated for fixing homes purchased through the HOME Fund program.

Item #3: We were awarded \$200,000 from Camden County Improvement Authority to purchase three homes in the borough. We are purchasing 211 Pennsylvania within the next week.

Item #5: Round 15 of Camden County Open Space awarded Brooklawn \$25,000. The money is to be used to start a pedestrian trail along the waterfront. We are working on a location to start the pedestrian.

Item #7: Year 35 and 36 CDBG funding is being used for community road. The project is going to begin in mid-June.

Item #8: Railroad project is coming to an end. PSEG is going to finish the concrete apron within the next couple of weeks.

Item #10: The fieldwork on the USDA project is still ongoing. We should be finished within the next week. We will get together with D. Domico at Public Works to iron out a plan to begin the project.

J. Granstrom Joined Meeting at 6:40pm

Approval of payment of bills: \$ 958,416.53

Motion – M. Mevoli
2nd – P. MacAdams
All in favor: Carried.

Open to the Public:

Gary Rinear, 304 Marne Road, thanked everyone at public works and council who got the lights fixed at the 9/11 memorial.

Open to Council:

M. Mevoli said they are fixing the windows at the clubhouse on the legion ball field. The sprinkler system is working properly on the same ball field. We are also looking into fixing the fence around the softball field because there are sharp edges at the top of the fence around the dugouts.

P. MacAdams said the EMS are looking to bill for ambulance calls. We will have a report on how we can bill within the next few months.

J. Meehan Joined the meeting at 6:50pm.

J. McCleary thanked everyone who helped out on the ALS 5 K race. "It takes an entire community to host a great event and we have a great community."

R Giles said that PSEG wants to donate land to the borough. The land is located at block 112 and lot 1. It is the recommendation to not accept the land because we will lose a tax paying property.

Executive Resolution # 90-15 for Personnel Matters at 7:04pm for approximately 25 minutes.

Motion – M. Mevoli
2nd – P. MacAdams
All in Favor. Carried.

Reconvened at 7:40pm.

Motion to Adjourn – J. Meehan
2nd – G. Gilbert
All in favor: Adjourned.

Ryan Giles
Borough Clerk