

WERNERSVILLE BOROUGH
BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, 2016

MEMBERS PRESENT:

STEPHEN PRICE	BRIAN CLEMENTS
JAMES SWARTZ	EDWARD EVANS
ROBERT FISCHER	JIM PIERCE
ROBERT GORDON	

ALSO, PRESENT:

JOHN BUCOLO, SOLICITOR
DEBBIE PIERCE, SECRETARY/TREASURER
JOE BOULANGER, KRAFT CODE SERVICES
MICHAEL PALM, BOROUGH EMPLOYEE
WILLIAM SCHLICHTER, CHIEF WBRPD

ABSENT:

DAVID LATINO
KEN FULMER, GVC

VISITORS:

Keegan Worley, Runwell Solutions, Inc.
Jared Renshaw, Western Berks Fire Department
Attorney Laura Cooper, re: 200 N. Pearl Street

S. Price called the Wernersville Borough Council meeting to order at 7:00 pm. All stood and pledged Allegiance to the Flag.

Motion made by J. Swartz to approve the minutes from the May 4th Meeting. J. Pierce seconded and carried unanimously.

Western Berks Fire Company:

A written report was submitted.

Western Berks Ambulance:

None.

Engineer Report:

None.

Zoning and Building Enforcement Report:

A written report was submitted.

Police Chief Report:

A written report was submitted.

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200 North Pearl Street: Ms. Laura Cooper expressed an interest in helping the Borough with its efforts to rehabilitate and/or redevelop 200 N. Pearl Street and will present a written proposal for future consideration.

Mayor's Report:

Memorial Day Parade: Mayor Ed Evans reported that the Memorial Day Parade and Service went well.

Council's Oral Report:

2016 Street Work: Motion made by B. Clements to authorize GVC to advertise for bids for Street Work. J. Swartz seconded and carried unanimously.

Playgrounds: We will be looking into removing some outdated playground equipment and getting new mulch.

WBRPD: Motion made by B. Clements to approve D. Curtis, Admin. Assistant to the Police Department and .11 cent per hour raise retroactive to January 1, 2016. J. Pierce seconded and carried unanimously.

Solicitor's Report:

Inter Municipal Agreement with South Heidelberg Township: Motion made by R. Gordon to adopt the Ordinance with South Heidelberg Township to which the Borough will provide snow and ice removal services to Glen Tilt Ave. between Hain Ave. and Beckley St. The Township will provide mowing services for the East side of South Church Road and the steep slope areas on both sides of Furnace Road Bridge which is located near 200 Furnace Road. B. Clements seconded and carried unanimously.

Berks Earned Income Tax Bureau: Motion made by J. Pierce to adopt the Ordinance granting permission to the Berks Earned Income Tax Bureau to contract with a Collection Agency and also add a Collection Fee which will be passed onto the Delinquent Payer. R. Fischer seconded and carried unanimously.

Unfinished Business:

None.

New Business:

Borough Website: Motion made by B. Clements to authorize Runwell Solutions, Inc. to do a website for the Borough at a cost of up to \$4,400.00. R. Gordon seconded and carried unanimously. B. Clements stated that a State Grant available through DEP/DCNR will help pay for the website as it will contain information regarding recycling, environmental education and "green" technology.

Next Meeting: Wednesday, July 6, at 7:00 pm.

Monthly Bills: Motion made by R. Fischer to approve bill list and bills previously paid to avoid penalty. J. Swartz seconded and carried unanimously.

Balance Sheet: Motion made by B. Clements to accept the Balance Sheet. R. Fischer seconded and carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 8.00 pm.

Attest:

Borough Secretary

