

June 10, 2015

Mohnton Borough Council met in regular session on the above date. Members present were Mike DeFeo, Dale Eisenhofer, Bailey Jones, Shirley Stuebner, Jane Hoffman, Brad Grauel and David Kurczewski . President Mike DeFeo presided, also in attendance was Engineer and Mayor Gary Kraft and Solicitor John Hoffert.

The minutes of the May 2015 meetings were approved with a motion made by Shirley Stuebner, seconded by Jane Hoffman and duly passed by council.

PUBLIC COMMENT

John Hoffert announced that a Public Hearing was held at 6:30 today to take comments on the proposed Zoning Ordinance changes.

Vernon Stoltzfus presented council with a quote he received to make repairs to a retaining wall along Locust Street which has collapsed onto his property, he is asking for financial assistance to make these repairs. Council will review the quote.

Dave Searfoss representing the Lions Club asked for direction in members volunteering to do work at the park and financial assistance to purchase sealant for the wooden playground. John Hoffert volunteered to meet with the Lions Club, the borough maintenance workers and Mike DeFeo to review work to be done.

Residents along Front Street asked about a water issue along their street that has worsened. The borough is moving forward in trying to alleviate the issue.

ENGINEER

1. The 2015 streetwork project bids have been presented and New Enterprise is low bidder at \$141,358.13. Brad Grauel made a motion to award the bid to New Enterprise, seconded by Dave Kurczewski and duly passed by council.
2. A motion was made by Dale Eisenhofer to advertise for part time police officers, seconded by Jane Hoffman and duly passed by council.
3. A non-profit named "Blankets of Hope" has donated blankets to the police department to be used in emergencies.

CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

1. Report submitted.

POLICE CHIEF

1. Report submitted.

FIRE CHIEF

1. Report submitted.

SOLICITOR

1. James Miller was sent a contract from Shillington Borough for the work on his property with a deadline for funding the Letter of Credit to complete the work on his property.
2. Handicap parking changes were reviewed to be adopted at the next meeting.

PRESIDENT

1. The Mohnton Mini Meet sponsorship for this year in the amount of \$100 was approved after a motion was made by Jane Hoffman, seconded by Brad Grauel. John Hoffert will match this amount.
2. Several Boy Scouts have approached Mike DeFeo about Eagle Projects at the park facility.
3. The July 2015 worksession has been cancelled.
4. Brad Grauel made a motion to approve use of the bucket truck and authorize police coverage for Community Days, which was seconded by Jane Hoffman and duly passed by council.
5. Bailey Jones has submitted his resignation from council, it was accepted with a motion made by Shirley Stuebner and seconded by Brad Grauel.

6. Joseph Russ won the primary election for council. Shirley Stuebner made a motion to appoint him to fill Bailey's vacancy, seconded by Dave Kurczewski and duly passed by council.
7. Mike DeFeo thanked the Governor Mifflin School teachers that volunteered their time to paint picnic tables at the park.

MAYOR

1. A motion was made by Brad Grauel to authorize for a 5K Race on September 27th and work with them in setting up their route. This motion was seconded by Jane Hoffman and duly passed by council.
2. A request was made to have the solicitor prepare the proposed noise ordinance for council to move forward in adopting it. Shirley Stuebner made a motion to reflect this request, seconded by Jane Hoffman with all voting in favor.
3. The Boroughs Association's Clambake is on July 17th, please let Jen know if you have any interest in attending.

BUILDINGS, GROUNDS & ZONING

1. There are some electrical issues at the park that will be scheduled for repair.

RECREATION PROGRAMS

1. The playground festival is scheduled for July 31st.

PERSONNEL & PUBLIC SAFETY

1. Shirley Stuebner reported that the committee is working on the police contract.
2. The committee is reviewing the current Employee Policy.

NEW BUSINESS

Revised Committee assignments have been posted.

The Treasurers Report was approved with a motion made by Dale Eisenhofer and seconded by Brad Grauel and duly passed by council.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.