

## MINUTES

### September 6, 2016

Danville Borough Council held a meeting on Tuesday, September 6, 2016, at the Borough Building, 239 Mill St., Danville at 6:00 PM. President Richardson presided.

Present were Councilpersons Richardson, Rodman, Rogers, A'zary, Wickham, Walters, Herritt, Mayor Swank and Junior Councilperson Ciucci. Also present were S. Berkey, E. Gill, B. Brady, J. Graham, J. Hack, J. Hart, J. Shrawder, B. Horne and Solicitor Robert Marks Jr. Absent was M. VonBlohn.

The invocation was given by Rick Vreeland followed with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

#### Topics

1. Motion by Mr. Rogers, seconded by Mr. A'Zary and a unanimous vote, Council approved the adoption of Ordinance 536, creating Chapter 191 of the Code of the Borough of Danville entitled "School Zones".
2. Motion by Mr. Walters, seconded by Mr. Rogers and a unanimous vote, Council approved the bids for the sale of 8 pieces of used equipment which included:
  - V Boss Snow Plow (1) @ \$100.
  - Brush Hog (1) @ \$100.
  - Street Sweeper (1) @ \$600.
  - Hurst Trailer (1) @ \$550.
  - Box Spreaders (1) @ \$310/ (2) @ \$250
3. Gas Light Apartments alley paving bid was awarded to Robert C. Young, Inc. at a price of \$16,164 to be paid from Highway Aid. Motion was made by Mr. Rogers, seconded by Mr. Wickham with Mr. Walters opposing.
4. Motion by Mr. Walters, seconded by Mr. Rodman and a unanimous vote, Council agreed to the Valley Township Municipal Authority/Danville Borough Agreement for composite sampling services at a monthly cost of \$175.
5. The 2017 Minimum Municipal Obligation for the uniformed and non-uniformed pension plans were presented to Council. These financial commitments must be presented by the end of September each year. This will be placed as an ACTION item for the September 13<sup>th</sup> agenda.
6. Danville Area School District would like to hold a Homecoming Parade on Friday, October 14<sup>th</sup> at 6PM. Chief Gill is to provide more details for next week's meeting. This will be placed as an ACTION item.
7. Motion by Mr. Walters, seconded by Mr. A'Zary and a unanimous vote, Council approved to remove the probationary status of the Administrator of Governmental Affairs.

8. Motion by Mr. Rogers, seconded by Mr. A'Zary and a unanimous vote, Council approved to close the alley between Ferry Street and the old Elk's building from 9AM to 10PM on September 17, 2016 for the Annual Ethnic Festival as requested by St. Joseph's Church.
  
9. Request for the Street Superintendent to remove three dead trees in the Central Business District located at W. Market and Rooney Ave., 12 W. Market St. and Cross Keys and Water St. Motion by Mr. Rodman, seconded by Mr. Rogers and a unanimous vote, Council gave approval for these trees to be removed. Council raised concerns over replacement with another tree. The Tree Vitalization Grant could provide an inventory and give recommendations for replacement. Dates for submission are not currently available.
  
10. A Resolution submitted by Montour County asking Danville Borough to allow the County to "provide address service" for the purpose of accurate addresses for all 911 emergency responders. Motion by Mr. Walters, seconded by Mr. A'Zary and a unanimous vote, Council agreed to this Resolution. The County would like to use the 4<sup>th</sup> Ward in the Borough as a pilot to see how many addresses will be effected.

**Old Business**

None

**Correspondence Received**

1. Montour County's 104<sup>th</sup> Annual Township Officials Association Convention will be held Thursday, October 20, 2016 at the Montour-Delong Fair building. Please let Donna know by Thursday, October 13<sup>th</sup> if you are interested in attending.

**FYI ITEMS**

None

**Other Business**

1. Mr. Walters had a question on the street repairs on Mahoning Street due to the sewer project.

**News Media**

None

Executive Session called at 6:25 to discuss the ongoing agreement to resolve litigation with Mike Kuziak

**Adjournment**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:35 PM.

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Shannon Berkey, Danville Borough Manager