

# REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING OF WESLEYVILLE BOROUGH

Borough Hall, 3421 Buffalo Road, Erie PA 16510

December 8, 2021 at 6:00pm

\*\*\* APPROVED MINUTES \*\*\*

1. **Call to Order:** Mr. Lombardozi, President 6:00pm
2. **Invocation:** Mr. Lombardozi, President
3. **Pledge of Allegiance:** Mr. Lombardozi, President
4. **Roll Call:** Mrs. Roseberry, BOS/S/T
  - a. Present: Mr. Bills, Mayor; Mr. Lombardozi, Council President; Mrs. Julius, Council Vice President; Mr. Betza, Solicitor; Councilors: Mrs. Lijewski, Mr. Petrini, Mr. Silbaugh; Mrs. Silbaugh Tax Collector; Mrs. Roseberry BOS/S/T
  - b. Absent: Mr. Briggs, Mr. Pitonyak
5. **PD Code Enforcement/PD Activity Report:** Officer Hawryliw presented Code Enforcement information
6. **Approve Agenda:** Motion made by Mrs. Julius, seconded by Mr. Petrini to approve 12/8/2021 agenda. No further discussion, unanimous voice vote, motion carries.
7. **Approve Meeting Minutes:** To be approved upon completion
8. **Citizens to Address Council: (5-minute time limit per signed-in citizen).** *All signed up citizens have been allotted 5 minutes to address Council, when the timer goes off, please be seated for the next citizen. Council will take all issues under advisement.*
  - a. Mr. Paul Johnson – 3210 Skellie Avenue – Discussed meeting regarding railroad bridges on Water Street and what was discussed with the representatives present, PUC, Northern Southern Railroad, PennDot, Commissioner Rodemaker, Sandy Morrow. Will be additional discussion for repair in the Spring of 2022. Stated that Mrs. Julius and he looked at the municipal parking lot and possibly moving forward on the ordinance for the parking lot. Also while there looking at the situation with the museum and wanted to know when the ground breaking will be and the items that are being held in the Borough Hall.
  - b. Mrs. Darlene Alfieri – 2529 Station Road – Wanted to borrow wooden chair that is in the Hall the next night (12/9/2021) for when Santa comes to the tree stand. – Council approved
  - c. Mrs. Marlene Silbaugh – 2812 East 32<sup>nd</sup> Street – Addressed Mr. Betza regarding that there is an ordinance to change any fees, to which Mr. Betza stated yes. Mrs. Silbaugh stated that the tax fees have been changed on the approved fee schedule but an ordinance was never voted on. Mr. Betza corrected that it does not need an ordinance because the ordinance itself makes reference to the annual schedule of fees, so that if the fee is being changed in accordance with that you have already told the public where to find it. Mrs. Silbaugh requested a copy of the ordinance that states that information because the one she has is from 2000. Mr. Betza stated that it is last entry of the paperwork presented.
9. **New Business:**
10. **Old Business:**
  - a. North Street parking lot – ordinance – Motion made by Mrs. Julius, seconded by Mr. Petrini to approve Mr. Betza to rewrite the ordinance with the stipulations Council has made and permitted parking that have signs. Discussion regarding ordinance stipulations and Officer Hawryliw stated that the IMPC states that the vehicle needs to be registered which would be difficult to enforce, Mrs. Lijewski brought up handicap parking, unanimous voice vote, motion carries.
  - b. Fencing at North Street by playground steps – tabled until Mrs. Julius is able to discuss with Mr. Corey.
11. Motion made by Mrs. Julius, seconded by Mr. Petrini to approve Pete Kloszewski as Wesleyville Hose Company Fire Chief. No further discussion, unanimous voice vote, motion carries.
12. **Executive Session:** 7:40pm
13. **Reconvene:**
  - a. Motion made by Mrs. Julius, seconded by Mr. Petrini to hire Jared Pickens for immediate office work on Tuesday and Thursday for 6 to 8 hours a day at \$10.00. No further discussion, unanimous voice vote, motion carries.
14. **Treasurer's Report:**
  - a. Motion made by Mrs. Petrini, seconded by Mrs. Julius to approve Check Detail for November 2021. No further discussion, unanimous voice vote, motion carries.
  - b. Presented Unreconciled reports for all funds

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15. **PWGS:** Activity report presented
16. **Sewer/Zoning/Permit:** Activity report – unable to present.
17. **Wesleyville Hose Company** – Activity report presented –
18. **Borough Council Department Chairs:**
  - a. Mrs. Julius – Parks Chair/Personnel Chair
  - b. Mr. Briggs – Council Member
  - c. Mrs. Lijewski – Public Improvement Chair
  - d. Mr. Petrini – Finance Chair
  - e. Mr. Pitoynak – Garbage/Recycling Chair
  - f. Mr. Silbaugh – Streets/Sewers Chair
19. **Borough Officers:**
  - a. Mayor – Mr. Bills – Requested motion for Chief Schulz to purchase his firearm for \$150.00. Motion made by Mrs. Julius, seconded by Mr. Petrini. No further discussion, unanimous voice vote, motion carries.
  - b. Council President – Mr. Lombardozzi
  - c. Council Vice President – Mrs. Julius – Motion made by Mrs. Julius that if the WAM is not up and running by May 31, 2022 then the lease would be revoked. No second, motion defeated.
20. **Good of the Order:**
  - a. Next Budget Meeting: Wednesday, December 15, 2021, 6:00pm, to be held at the Borough Hall
  - b. Next Work Session Council Meeting: December 22, 2021 6:00pm, to be held at the Borough Hall
  - c. Reorganizational Meeting: January 3, 2022 6:00pm, to be held at the Borough Hall
21. **Meeting Adjournment:** 8:00pm

Approved Meeting Minutes:

  
Borough Secretary

Date: 1-12-2022