BENDERSVILLE BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES APRIL 30, 2019

CALL TO ORDER by Rick Kime and Pledge Allegiance to the Flag

<u>Present:</u> President: Rick Kime; Council Members: Jim Bergolios, Pete Stoner, Dan Kuhn, Joe Saum; Mayor: Mike Riley Jr; Secretary: Andrea Rivera; Officer Dirk Hough, Bob Campbell, Harry Melhorn

<u>Minutes:</u> Motion by Jim Bergolios, 2nd by Pete Stoner, all in favor, motion carried, to approve and accept the Minutes of the March 26, 2019 regular meeting.

Showers Tree Farm Agreement: Matt plans to attend the May meeting to discuss.

Tyrone Twp Worker's Comp Update: Bob sent a letter to Tyrone stating that we would be filing a suit against them if they didn't pay the remaining amount owed. They paid \$1537.86 and they should have paid \$2349. Council does not want to file a suit and spend the extra money but don't feel it is fair to split the difference or not require them to pay. After much discussion, a motion to move forward with litigation was made by Jim Bergolios, 2nd by Joe Saum, all in favor, motion carried.

<u>UCC Resolution</u>: Resolution opposes the bill requiring small municipalities to hire a 2nd UCC officer. A motion to sign this resolution was made by Jim Bergolios, 2nd by Dan Kuhn, all in favor, motion carried.

Municipal Authority Water Charges: Rick stated that Greg Hurda thought he had a water leak. Baumgardner came out, found chlorine in the water and called the sound machine man to find the leak. After a 2nd test was done, there was no chlorine and it was determined there was a natural spring. Since several problems have been occurring, Council feels the invoices need to be sent to the homeowner. The bill from Baumgardner will be sent to Hurda for payment.

Harry suggested purchasing a water line locator (approx. \$800) that finds the water lines when they need marked. It was also suggested to amending the ordinance to add a tracer line if plastic pipes are used in order to find the line. Bob will get the wording from the Engineer to amend the rules and regulations.

<u>Council Pay Change Ordinance:</u> Bob is ready to prepare the ordinance for adoption. The salaries will all be the same and will be effective after the next election for any newly elected persons.

<u>Electronics Recycling 6/1/19 Location:</u> Waste Connections will bring a tractor trailer and suggested changing the location to the Fire Company Parking lot for more space. Harry will ask at the next meeting and let us know. Volunteers will be needed also.

<u>DEP Regulations and Report:</u> A fee was charged by DEP based on population for the Safe Drinking Water. A copy of the DEP Report was available for Council to review.

USPS Bulk Mail Account: Account has been inactive since 2017 and will be closed.

Met-Ed Account on Potato Rd: Account has been put on Demand-Billing due to more usage.

<u>Statement of Financial Interest Forms:</u> Reminder forms are due May 1st.

<u>PMCA Zoning & Inspection Report:</u> No report. He knew Planning Commission gave the resident on Routsong Lane permission to keep his shed where it was located and felt the issue was closed.

Police Report: Officer Hough attended the meeting and gave the report. Dave is keeping a log of when Lane Hartley is working.

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<u>Possum Valley Municipal Authority Minutes:</u> The minutes were available for review. Rick indicated there are some personnel problems and they need to find a resolution.

Adams Co Council of Governments (COG) Minutes: There were no minutes.

<u>Pressure Reducer Valve:</u> PSI confirmed that part of the annual fee that is paid includes them checking the valve on Church Street quarterly.

<u>Water Payments at ACNB</u>: ACNB is willing to take water payments at the bank if Council agrees. There are some guidelines that will need to be put in place for this to happen. Council made no decision.

<u>Pay Bills and Treasurer's Report:</u> A motion by Jim Bergolios, 2nd by Pete Stoner, all in favor, motion carried, to pay bills dated April 30, 2019, and accept the treasurer's report.

<u>Adjournment:</u> The next meeting will be on Tuesday, May 28, 2019, beginning at 7:00 pm at 125B Rampike Hill Road, Bendersville, PA 17306. There being no further business, on a motion by Dan Kuhn, 2nd by Joe Saum, all in favor, motion carried, the meeting was adjourned at 8:07 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Andrea S. Rivera, Secretary