

# **BENDERSVILLE BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES**

**JULY 30, 2019**

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

**Present:** President: Rick Kime; Vice-President: Martha Schriver; Council Members: Jim Bergolios, Pete Stoner, Dan Kuhn, Joe Saum; Mayor: Mike Riley Jr; Secretary: Andrea Rivera; Chief Dave Ogle, Harry Melhorn, Owen McKinney, Bob Campbell

**Minutes:** Motion by Joe Saum, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Martha Schriver, all in favor, motion carried, to approve and accept the Minutes of the June 25, 2019 regular meeting.

**Storm Drain behind Dugans:** Rick reported that he spoke to Ben and he will be able to start in about 2 weeks.

**Tyrone Twp Worker's Comp Update:** Bob reported that Tyrone filed an answer with new matter so Bob will need to respond. The 2019-2020 Workers Comp went down considerably and will be paid by the Borough. After much discussion, Bob agreed to send the new bills to the municipalities since he does not know how long it may be before it may go before a judge.

**PSI Work:** The work was not completed and PSI will let us know a week before the work is going to be done. The valves were so bad they couldn't get them out and they needed to order more parts. PSI is replacing everything with stainless steel and hope to have the water shut off for a short time.

**Hemisphere Operations Price Increase:** A copy of the letter was given to each Council member for review. Council had no questions or concerns. Derek said the laptop computer needs replaced at the reservoir and just needs to have Microsoft Excel. A motion to get a new laptop computer from Staples was made by Martha Schriver, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Jim Bergolios, all in favor, motion carried.

**Office Floor Cleaning:** Council agreed and it was suggested to contact Cannon Cleaning.

**PMCA Zoning & Inspection Report:** The report was available for review.

**Police Report:** Chief Ogle attended the meeting and gave the report. He also reported that Lane Hartley has been working and was working during the meeting. Chief Ogle stated they will be covering the carnival this week.

**Possum Valley Municipal Authority Minutes:** The minutes were available for review.

**Adams Co Council of Governments (COG) Minutes:** The minutes were available for review.

**Mayor Riley:** Spoke to Lane about the letter that was sent. He wanted some clarification about the letter. Chief Ogle explained that he had been out of the academy for over a year and hasn't been working. He has not been working consistently. Mayor was not aware that he was not working and suggested that there should be a schedule to know when each officer is working. He requested that Chief email him each week with the hours that everyone has worked.

**Dan Kuhn:** Reported that there are some cats that are going to be trapped for TNR by Daves Auto. He also reported that most of the cat population is under control with the Borough.

**Martha Schriver:** Had Harry fill in some holes around the Borough. The road has sunk down where the water/sewer lines were installed to the new house on Quarry. Martha will call Ben to get a quote. This work will be paid out of the water account.

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Martha asked if anyone followed up with Dan Schriver after the June meeting regarding his concern of the use of the 24D chemical flowing thru the storm drain and affecting his trees. Rick talked to Dan and agreed there was something affecting his trees but it was not 24D. The fire company was using a chemical to spray weeds on the hill that was purchased from Tractor Supply and have since stopped using it.

**Harry Melhorn:** Penn Forestry will select cut timber at the Reservoir to make extra money. After much discussion, Council decided to have Harry meet with Penn Forestry.

**Owen McKinney:** Requested reimbursement of \$210 for the Tax Convention in York. A motion to approve reimbursement was made by Martha Schriver, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Joe Saum, all in favor, motion carried.

**Pete Stoner:** Asked that the Keystone Marker Sign on Park St be taken down to keep in the office since they are no longer able to be made.

**Pay Bills and Treasurer's Report:** A motion by Martha Schriver, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Dan Kuhn, all in favor, motion carried, to pay bills dated July 30, 2019, and accept the treasurer's report.

**Adjournment:** The next meeting will be on Tuesday, August 27, 2019, beginning at 7:00 pm at 125B Rampike Hill Road, Bendersville, PA 17306. There being no further business, on a motion by Jim Bergolios, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Martha Schriver, all in favor, motion carried, the meeting was adjourned at 7:55 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Andrea S. Rivera, Secretary