

**REGULAR MEETING
CAMP HILL
BOROUGH COUNCIL
July 11, 2018
7:00 p.m.
MINUTES**

Call to Order
Pledge of Allegiance
Moment of Silent Reflection
Roll Call

Mike Berney
Rich Guerin
Peter Robelen
Carl Schultz
Leigh Twiford
Zachary Williard
Kim Snell-Zarcone

President Robelen called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

MINUTES

Mr. Schultz made a motion to approve the minutes of the June 13, 2018 Borough Council Meeting. Mr. Guerin seconded and the motion passed with all in favor.

MAYOR'S REPORT

Mayor Simpson announced that Jocelyn Little, a Camp Hill High School 10th grader, achieved the highest Girl Scout award given, the Gold Award. Her project was called Paws For Kindness and focused on awareness for Service Dogs. **Congratulations to Jocelyn!**

PUBLIC COMMENT

- 1. Peter Eshelman, 2940 Maple Rd.-** Peter Eshelman pitched an idea to the Council for a project to help him achieve his Eagle Scout requirements. This Project is a Bat Conservation Project that would help the Borough bring more bats into the community with bat houses Peter would make. Council tabled this until later in the meeting

PUBLIC SAFETY

Mayor Simpson provided both the Police and Fire Department reports. In the month of June, Camp Hill Police had 878 calls and Camp Hill Fire Department had 28 calls. He also reported that there was one heroin overdose that was revived with Narcan by one of the officer.

BOROUGH MANAGER'S REPORT

No report

FINANCE

Mr. Williard made a motion to approve the payment of Vouchers for June in the amount of \$1,265,177.74. Mr. Guerin seconded the motion and it passed with all in favor.

Mr. Williard then made a motion to confirm the assignment of the sewer lien at 3310 Trindle Road to Consolidated Properties. Mr. Berney seconded the motion and it passed with a 6-1 favor.

Mr. Willard also made a motion to accept the proposal from Moorefield Communications for audio and visual improvements to Prosser Hall. Mr. Berney seconded the motion and it also passed with all in favor.

PERSONNEL, POLICIES, PROCEDURES

No report

COMMUNITY AND BUSINESS RELATIONS

Mr. Schultz stated that Mary Beth Brath was hired for the part-time Downtown Coordinator position.

Ms. Brath reported that she is promoting the businesses in the Downtown District via social media, such as the new Facebook page, and mass emails for both the public and businesses. She announced that July 26th was Gannett Day and she would be there to promote the Streetscape Plan and on July 28th, from 9am-4pm, there will be an event called Summer Soiree in the Camp Hill Business District with specials, music and demonstrations.

Mr. Schultz then made a motion to approve the DCED grant resolution for the Borough's Downtown Streetscape and master plan. Mr. Guerin seconded the motion and it passed with all in favor.

PARKS AND RECREATION

Ms. Twiford reported that the camps are mostly full, the newsletter will be out in the beginning of August and there are 3 Box Lunch events left this summer. Those events are held on Fridays from 11-1 pm.

Ms. Twiford then explained that there are three concepts each for Schaeffer and Beverly Parks. She stated these concepts for both parks will be available for public viewing on the Borough's website.

Ms. Twiford made a motion to approve Peter K. Eshelman's Eagle Scout Bat Project. Mr. Guerin seconded the motion and it passed with all in favor.

PLANNING AND ZONING

Mr. Guerin reported, with Chris Miller's input, that the amount of new construction in June was over 2 million dollars and that the Ordinance Fee schedule was updated and fees were raised.

Mr. Guerin made a motion to approve the advertisement of a public hearing concerning the petition to vacate the alley at 2919 Market Street and 15 South 30th Street. This was conditioned upon receipt of a fully executed petition prior to the advertising deadline for the August meeting. It was seconded by Mr. Schultz and passed with all in favor.

PUBLIC WORKS

The Borough Engineer reported that the final inspection by Farhat for the 2017 Sewer Project is coming up, the sewer repairs done by USG continues and the Pump Station Improvement Project goes out for bid on August 22nd.

Mr. Robbins updated the council on the Borough of Camp Hill's Compost Facility Improvements and the grant and budget options. A copy of Mr. Robbin's Power Point presentation is available at Camp Hill Borough's office for residents who would be interested.

Ms. Snell-Zarccone made a motion to approve the request Penn Waste made to change the garbage collection routes in certain Borough alleys. Ms. Twiford seconded the motion and it passed with all in favor.

BOROUGH/SCHOOL DISTRICT

No report.

COMMENTS FROM COUNCIL

Ms. Twiford ask that the residents come out and enjoy the pool.

Ms. Snell-Zarccone would like to see a 2nd Ga-Ga Pit built in Seibert Park, believes that sidewalks are important and would like an assessment and plan of what to do about all of the missing sidewalks around the borough.

Mr. Williard wanted to be sure that more notice would be given about replacing sidewalks and curbs in the future. He also said Capital Improvement Plan dates will come soon and would like to see presentations at council meetings done in the beginning of the meetings so people can leave right afterward if they so choose.

Mr. Schultz would like to see sidewalk repair done on some of the worst sidewalks in the borough rather than wait until a paving project comes up in those areas. He also asked that crosswalks be addressed in the Streetscape Plan.

Mr. Berney was impressed and appreciative of the hard work put in by borough employees during meetings. He reported that the Camp Hill Challengers are participating in the festivities at Fenway Park in Boston before the Red Sox game on July 27th. He would also like to see Bocce Ball courts in some of the plans for Beverly, Siebert or Schaeffer Parks.

PUBLIC COMMENT

- 1. Bonnie Bentz, 3015 Columbia Ave.**-Ms. Bentz wanted to make sure the compost facility would be able to be entered on both sides, thought it was a great idea to use a card system to enter the facility and is opposed to opening up the facility to outside non-residents and boroughs.

ADJOURNMENT

Ms. Snell-Zarccone motioned to adjourn and Ms. Twiford seconded.