

**BOROUGH OF MARYSVILLE**  
**Council Meeting Minutes**  
**April 9, 2018**  
**7:00 PM**

President, Lance Barthel called the council meeting to order at 7:00pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and invocation given by Pastor Brian Peters.

Roll call

Lance Barthel - Present	Mayor Troutman - Absent
Ronda Kennedy-Rowe - Present	Boro. Mgr. Scott Weaver - Present
Stephen Copp - Present	Sec. Connie Zitsch - Present
Larry Little – Present	Treas. John Tennant – Present
Dave Magee – Present	Sol Dan Altland - Absent
Alexandria Snyder - Present	Eng. Greg Ragolski – Absent
Charles Wentzel - Present	Alex Gasdaska, Junior Council – Absent

**Consent Items**

A motion was made by Alexandria Snyder, seconded by Ronda Kennedy-Rowe and approved unanimously to approve the minutes and approve the financial statements for March 2018.

A motion was made by Alexandria Snyder, seconded by Ronda Kennedy-Rowe and approved with one nay vote to pay the bills. Dave Magee did not want the Borough Engineer to be paid.

**Junior Council**

Absent - No Report

**Public Comment**

John Fasnacht of 21 North Main Street requested the jiffy john be placed at Heritage Park earlier than May 1, 2018 every year. He suggested setting the jiffy johns at Heritage Park from March 1st through December 1st every year for people using the park have facilities to use when using the park.

John Fasnacht requested a barrier similar to the one on the South Main Street side of the park, down by the river. This would prevent anyone from driving onto his property and doing damage to his yard.

John Fasnacht has an issue with the flood debris still not being cleaned up. This gives fuel for the illegal burning some fishermen have used in the past for fires after dark.

John Edkin of 337 Valley Street asked for sewer hookup for 409 / 419 South State Road and he was told he was not being hooked up. He is requesting in writing a letter giving the reason why he is not being hooked up and will not have to ever be hooked up to the sewer,

## **Engineer's Report**

### **Sewer Separation**

This week the trucks will be bringing stones and equipment in for the project. The contractors should be at Cassel Street and Church Street by the end of this week.

### **Street Project**

The street project will not be starting until April 30, 2018 which will help out with the amount of roads being closed at one time.

## **Old Business**

### **Curbing Repair/Replacement of for Sewer Separation and Paving**

#### **Driver Feedback Sign**

Chris Still is working on a grant for the driver feedback sign.

#### **Bid Refuse Contract**

Scott continues working on the bid refuse contract with Dan Altland.

#### **Comcast – Commencement of Renewal Process (info only at this time)**

Scott stated West Mooreland is not with Comcast and was not interested helping Marysville Borough with the process.

Scott indicated it would be better working as a group for the renewal process.

#### **Zoning Code Enforcement**

Scott said he contacted three (3) people, two of them were firms (Light and Heigel) and no one returned his phone calls. Council directed Scott to call the three people back.

John Edkin said they go away from Light and Heigel due to the cost doubling.

Dave Magee suggested Larry Little send in a proposal for Zoning Code Enforcement since he showed interest.

Scott said he has been looking into Zoning Code Enforcement as well.

## **New Business**

### **Resolution for the DCNR 2018 Grant**

A motion made by Dave Magee, seconded by Alexandria Snyder and approved unanimously to adopt the Resolution for the DCNR 2018 Grant.

### **Reinvest CD Bond Money**

A motion made by David Magee, seconded by Charles Wentzel and approved unanimously to have Scott reinvest \$600,000.00 for one (1) year.

Lance Barthel asked what happens with the interest made on the CD bond and if the interest affects the borough's taxes.

Scott answered it rolls over in the CD bond and the borough would reinvest the interest made and it does not affect the borough's taxes.

#### Envirep TLC Annual Preventative Maintenance Agreement (\$2,180.00)

A motion made by Dave Magee, seconded by Stephen Copp and approved unanimously to approve the Envirep TLC annual preventative maintenance agreement for \$2,180.00.

#### Home Business Occupancies

A motion made by Dave Magee, seconded by Charles Wentzel and approved unanimously for Home Businesses, if no clients come into the home, sewer and trash will be reduced to residential rates effective July billing.

#### Commission Reports on File

Brian Webster of the Marysville Fire Company announced the Marysville Fire Company is done with the dinners until later in the year.

Wednesday prior to Mother's Day tent will be back up to sell flowers and Chicken barbeque will be held on Saturday.

Chicken barbeques will be held the second Saturday of the month.

#### Committee Reports On file

Dave Magee said the Marysville Borough was supposed to be part of the meeting for the natural gas. Dave asked Scott to e-mail SEDA COG to ask when the natural gas meetings are.

#### Correspondence

Marysville Fire Company invited the Marysville Borough to attend the Marysville Fire Company banquet being held on May 5, 2018.

#### Public Comment

Brian Webster announced Election Day will be at Wesley United Methodist Church this year.

Louise Zimmerman of 204 Ridgeview Drive asked if the borough is going to set-up payment plans and attach the cost to the sewer and garbage billing for the residents needing to repair or replace their curbs.

Alexandria Snyder asked if we offered financing for the previous sewer project.

Scott asked if this could be done through the billing system. Connie answered it could be added. Charles Wentzel asked what the borough did with previous projects.

Scott said if you have your own contractor it would be cheaper due to prevailing wage if the borough gets involved.

Scott will notify Solicitor, Dan Altland to set up a meeting for discussion regarding financing the repair or replacement of curbs.

Ronda Kennedy-Rowe suggested sending out another letter with specification, time frame and numbers of some contractors for residence to contact for the repair or replacement of their sidewalks.

#### Executive Session

Dave Magee requested to enter into executive session at 7:55pm for legal issues. Council exited executive session at 8:43pm with no action taken.

#### Media Questions

None

Respectfully Submitted,

*Connie Zitsch*

A motion made by Alexandria Snyder, seconded by Lance Barthel and approved unanimously to reconvene this meeting April 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

*Scott Weaver*