

BOROUGH OF MARYSVILLE
Council Meeting Minutes
January 14, 2019
7:00 PM

President, Lance Barthel called the council meeting to order at 7:00pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and innovation given by Mayor Deborah Troutman.

Roll call

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

Council entered into executive session at 7:04pm and exited at 7:34pm for personnel reasons.

VFW Commanders of Perry County

Jim Scott, Director of Perry County Veterans Affairs expressed from all Commanders of Perry County great appreciation for the plot of land donated from the Marysville Borough to have a place for the Veterans Memorial wall. This is our life blood of our nations. We enjoy our freedom of speech freedom and respect. It is so important to have a group of citizens of our history.

The commanders of Perry County presented council with a plaque from the Perry County Veterans Affairs office and Perry County Veterans organizations. Steve Thompson, VFW Post 882 recited what was on the plaque.

A Certificate of Appreciation dated November 3, 2018 to the Marysville Borough. Awarded in recognition of your contribution of the plot of land and your willingness to assist, support and give residence to the Perry County Memorial wall.

The Boroughs spirit of Patriotism. Love of Country and respect for our Veterans will preserve the memory of those who fought and died to keep America as a Great Nation.

The certificate of appreciation was signed by Robert Snook, Commander of VFW, New Bloomfield, Terry Tibbs, Commander VFW, Landisburg, Dale Goodling, Commander American Legion, Liverpool, James Snyder, Commander VFW, Newport, Dion Denault, Commander DAV, Chapter 49, Kenneth Huss, Commander American Legion, Duncannon, Christopher Gross, Commander American Legion, Newport, James Scott, Director Perry County Veterans Affairs, Doug McConnell, Commander VFW, Duncannon and Steve Thompson, Commander VFW, Marysville.

Lance Barthel stated Richard Stees played a large part of the Veterans Memorial Wall being built.

Consent Items

A motion was made by Stephen Copp, seconded by Charles Wentzel and approved with one nay vote to approve the minutes, approve the financial statements for December 2018 and to pay the bills.

Junior Council – no report

Public Comment - None

Engineer's Report

Sewer Separation & Streets Projects

Scott has a meeting scheduled on Wednesday with Greg and Bill from Pennoni to finalize items with the project.

They will be heading to the plant to discuss ways to make the sewer plant run even better.

Old Business

Driver Feedback Sign – Council asked for this to be removed from the agenda.

Comcast – Commencement of Renewal Process

New Business

Yingst Homes, Inc. Phasing Schedule

A motion made by Dave Magee, seconded by Alexandria Snyder and approved unanimously to approve Yingst Homes, Inc. phasing schedule.

Certificate for Payment #3 PSI Pumping Solutions, Inc. (\$5,252.36)

A motion made by Stephen Copp, seconded by Larry Little and approved with one nay vote to pay the certificate of payment #3 to PSI Pumping Solutions, Inc.

Employee's Annual Salary Increase

A motion made by Lance Barthel, seconded by Charles Wentzel and approved unanimously to accept the percentages as stated for the employee's annual salary increase.

Pennoni's Rate Schedule for Fiscal Year 2019

This was informational for council to review.

Commission Reports on File

Brian Webster announced there was no change for officers; however there is a new fire police captain.

Brian Webster stated if there is a fire hydrant near please make sure when snow arrives we dig out the fire hydrants.

Scott said the fire, police and ambulance reports are available but they are incorrect. Lance Barthel requested Scott to send the report out once corrected to council.

Committee Reports On File

Richard Stees announced the DCNR grant project manager is putting together a teleconference which Scott Weaver, Rich Stees and Kim Charles will attend.

Richard Stees said they had the 3rd Annual Bridge drop, 75 to 100 people attended. He thanked the Marysville Moose and Specialty Bakers for their generous donation of lady fingers.

Richard Stees announced this would be the last year for Roger Barrick and himself to run the Annual Bridge drop. Someone else will need to take charge for the next Annual Bridge drop.

Ronda Kennedy-Rowe thanked Rich Stees and Roger Barrick for running the Annual Bridge drop.

Correspondence

Scott reminded council to let him know if they are interested in attending the Perry County Association of Township Annual County Convention. Dave Magee was interested in attending the convention.

In 2019, West Shore Advanced Life Support Services, Inc. will be doing business as Geisinger Emergency Medical Services (EMS).

Public Comment

Charles Wentzel asked if there was anything in place not to except gifts from vendors. He feels council should not except anything from vendors.

Lance Barthel said there is something in place regarding excepting gifts.

Media Questions

Jim Ryan asked about the annual salaries, what was the percentage?

Scott replied the annual salaries are a percentage.

A motion made by Alexandria Snyder, seconded by Lance Barthel and approved unanimously to adjourn the meeting at 7:56pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Connie Zitsch