

Howard Borough Council

Minutes of June 13, 2022, Meeting

Howard Borough Council met June 13, 2022.

Council Members Present: Philip Winchell, Andrew Kotzur, John Gribble, Bobby Yearick, Donna Benner, Diana Goodyear, Mayor Deb Simoncek

Council members absent: Lydia Watters

Guests present: Steve Nyman, Cody Strouse, Paul Takac, Louise Lose

Philip Winchell called the meeting to order.

Moved by Andy Kotzur, John seconded, approving minutes from the May 9, 2022, Council Meeting with change of Diana's roll call vote to yes on the May 9 minutes. Motion passed.

Citizen/Guests

Phil reminded Citizens and guest about the time limit on comments.
(TIME LIMIT OF 4 MINUTES-Citizens present at any Borough Council Meeting or Committee Meetings have the option to speak at this time unless otherwise recognized by the presiding officer.)

Paul Takac, State Representative, was in attendance to introduce himself and to offer any future help if needed.

Mayor

Mayor Simoncek-Deb Simoncek reported that she will write up a letter about sidewalk repair options to be included with the next water bills.

Treasurer's Report

Moved by Andy Kotzur seconded by John Gribble, to approve the May Treasurer Reports as presented. Motion Passed.

Correspondences

Outgoing –

Incoming –

Committee Reports

Water-Andy Kotzur reported that the water usage was up. PA Rural Water found one leak down by the ballfield. A price for moving the water bills to another company will be looked at. The current arrangement with Beech Creek Borough will increase 49%.

Streets –Nothing to report.

Streetlights –Lydia Watters had nothing to report.

Refuse–Diana Goodyear had nothing to report.

Property-Donna Benner reported that a new laptop was purchased. An estimate from Wayne Township to grind the brush pile was looked at. Donna presented an estimate from Tru Green for treating trees for Sponge Moths. This will be looked at next year.

Zoning Officer – Steve Nyman had nothing to report.

Operations and Maintenance Report – Steve reported that they mowed, sprayed lines and removed a stump.

Old Business

(Nancy reported that the credit card issue is now at Terry William’s office being reviewed.)

New Business

President Philip Winchell called for an Executive session of Council.
President Philip Winchell reconvened regular meeting.

Moved by Andy Kotzur to adjourn.

Meeting adjourned

Nancy Fishburn
Secretary-Treasurer