



MINUTES

Rimersburg Borough Council Meeting

Date | time Dec. 19, 2022 | 7:00 p.m. | Meeting called by Regularly Scheduled

In Attendance

Council: Jonathan Best (J. B.), Roger Crick, Pamela Curry, Mark Deeter, Karina Libecco, Joshua Meeker, K. Scott Myers, Tim Yeany/ Mayor

Also Present: Josh Walzak/ Leader Vindicator; Frank McNaughton, Boro. Maint. Sup.

Call to Order

The Dec. 19, 2022 regularly scheduled meeting of the Rimersburg Borough Council was called to order by Council President, Scott at 7:00 p.m. with all present standing for the Pledge of Allegiance and a prayer led by Mark.

Persons to Be Heard

Frank recommended Council extend permanent employment to the new Borough Maintenance employee beyond his probation period ending 01/11/2023. He also asked that the Borough purchase muck boots for the new employee. Pam made a motion to hire the new employee permanently and purchase his muck boots. Roger offered a second and the motion received a unanimous vote in favor.

General consensus was in favor of holding the shut off list until the January 2023 cycle and combine the two.

Approval of Minutes

The Dec. 5, 2022 minutes were read and approved with correction by a motion from Roger, second by Mark, and a unanimous vote.

Projects

J. B. made a motion, and Pam seconded, to rescind rejection of bids for CDBG Community Bldg. Project and award the project to the lowest bidder, Terraworks, pending additional unused CDBG funds from Clarion County. The motion was approved by a unanimous vote. Terraworks will honor the bid offer made previously and is able to complete the work by the 03/20/2023 deadline if necessary. Knox bid opening is 12/21/2022. Kristi/ Clarion County plans to request an extension to assist the process.

Committee Reports

Mayor:

Public Safety & Police: None

Personnel Committee:

Building Committee: Joey Switzer told Mark that he will complete the Community Building roof repair.

Streets Committee: J. B. stated that Alicia/ Dirt & Gravel Grant Program has never come to review Route 68 storm drains and has ceased to respond.

New Business

Scott made a motion, seconded by Mark, to adopt 2023 Budget which includes specified raises for Rimersburg Borough full time staff, half in 2023 and half in 2024. The 2023 Budget was adopted by a unanimous vote in favor.

J. B. motion, Pam seconded, and a unanimous vote approved the adoption of Tax Ordinance 01-2023 adding half mill tax for the Southern Clarion County Ambulance, the maximum allowed by PA Borough Code.

Roger motion, Mark seconded, and a unanimous vote approved the adoption of Fee Resolution 01-2023 adding Capital Improvement rates per RBMA request of \$5 base rate to each Water and Sewer svcs. for projects.

Adjournment

Monday, Jan. 16, 2023 | 7:00 p.m., is the next regularly scheduled meeting of the Rimersburg Borough Council at the Rimersburg Borough Building.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:40 p.m. by general consensus.

Respectfully Submitted,

Dana L. Solida

Borough Secretary