

Exeter Borough Council
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
November 7, 2017
7:00 P.M.

Meeting called to order by Council Chairman Thomas Shannon. The meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call: Present: Mr. Shannon, Mr. Morgan, Ms. DeRoberto, Mr. Dellegrotto, Mr. Esposito
Absent: Mr. Turner, Mr. Pizano, Mayor Castellani

Motion to approve the October 3, 2017 Council Meeting Minutes. 1st Mr. Dellegrotto, 2nd Mr. DeRoberto and unanimously carried.

Treasurer Report provided by Debra Serbin

Motion to accept the Treasurers Report. 1st Mr. Morgan, 2nd Mr. Dellegrotto and unanimously carried.

Citizens Input (agenda items only) No public input.

Correspondence – No correspondence.

Refuse Report– Lynda Hyzenski, report on file.

Recycling Report – Karen Szwast, absent, no report.

Reports of Committees

Police – Joseph Esposito, Larry Dellegrotto & Betty Ann DeRoberto. Report on file.

Finance & Insurance (Grants) Larry Dellegrotto, Joseph Esposito and Betty Ann DeRoberto. The 2017 budget is in balance. A budget meeting is scheduled for November 9th at 6PM.

Fire Department – Betty Ann DeRoberto & Joseph Pizano – Report on file. Calls, year to date 369.

Zoning – Joseph Pizano & Larry Dellegrotto – Nothing at this time.

Street/Recycling – Richard Turner & Betty Ann DeRoberto – Nothing at this time.

Hicks Creek – Joseph Pizano & John Morgan – Nothing at this time.

Parks & Recreation – Betty Ann DeRoberto & Joseph Pizano – The parks are closed for the season.

Remarks from Mayor Herman Castellani – Police Commissioner William Harden introduced himself to the public.

Solicitors Report – Attorney Hassey, nothing at this time.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Motion to accept the prepaid bills in the amount of \$33,867.25. 1st Mr. Esposito, 2nd Mr. Dellegrotto and unanimously carried.

Motion to accept Ordinance #5- 2017 a Zoning Ordinance Modification to Section 315-1 as advertised by Attorney Hassey. 1st Mr. Dellegrotto, 2nd Mr. Esposito, Roll Call: Mr. Morgan – no, Mr. Shannon – yes, Mr. Dellegrotto – yes, Ms. DeRoberto – yes, Mr. Esposito – yes.

Motion to accept pay request #1 from Spotts Brother in the amount of \$56,700.00 for the Recycling Roof Replacement Project as approved by PennEastern Engineering. 1st Mr. Morgan, 2nd Ms. DeRoberto and unanimously carried.

Motion to accept pay request #1 from Leeward Construction in the amount of \$217,219.68 for the Bennett and Jesse St. Sewer Project as approved by PennEastern Engineering. 1st Mr. Morgan, 2nd Mr. Dellegrotto and unanimously carried.

Motion for Jo Ellen Turner to serve on the Exeter Borough Civil Service Board. 1st Mr. Morgan, 2nd Mr. Dellegrotto, Roll Call: Mr. Morgan – yes, Mr. Shannon – yes, Mr. Dellegrotto – yes, Ms. DeRoberto – yes, Mr. Esposito – yes.

Motion for JoAnne Shiner to serve on the Exeter Borough Civil Service Board. 1st Mr. Esposito, 2nd Ms. DeRoberto, Roll Call: Mr. Morgan – no, Mr. Shannon – yes, Mr. Dellegrotto – yes, Ms. DeRoberto – yes, Mr. Esposito – yes.

Motion for Stacie Gula to serve an alternate on the Exeter Borough Civil Service Board. 1st Mr. Morgan, 2nd Mr. Dellegrotto, Roll Call: Mr. Morgan – yes, Mr. Shannon – yes, Mr. Dellegrotto – yes, Ms. DeRoberto – yes, Mr. Esposito – yes.

NEW BUSINESS

Motion to accept the current bills in the amount of \$135,583.49. 1st Mr. Esposito, 2nd Mr. Dellegrotto, Roll Call: Mr. Morgan – yes, with the exception of the Clark Hill invoice, Mr. Shannon – yes, Mr. Dellegrotto – yes, Ms. DeRoberto – yes, Mr. Esposito – yes.

Motion to explore the need for a street light at Penn Ave and Cherrywood Estates. 1st Mr. Morgan, 2nd Mr. Esposito and unanimously carried.

Open to the Public:

Patricia Morgan of 139 Lincoln St. spoke about the railroad tracks on Grants Street, the sign is faded and the sidewalks are in bad shape.

Stacy Gula of 29 Orchard St. wants more police patrols at Lincoln and Cedar St. Commissioner Harden addressed the matter.

John Petrochko of 327 Cherry Drive spoke about quads driving on private property.
Commissioner Harden will visit the site for a possible solution.
John Morgan of 139 Lincoln St. asked for more traffic patrols for Lincoln St. and Cedar St.
Martha Zavada of 101 Jean St. updated the Council on the plaque for her father.
Charles Adonizio of Atlas Realty offered his property on Cedar St. for sale to the Borough.

Adjournment, Mr. Morgan

Prepared and submitted by Debra Serbin