

Exeter Borough Council Meeting
March 3, 2020
7:00 PM

Meeting called to order by Council Chairman Joseph Pizano.

Roll Call: Mr. Morgan, Mr. Balent, Mr. Marranta, Mr. Murawski, Mr. Pizano, Ms. DeAngelo, Mayor Adams.
Mr. Esposito via phone

Council was in executive session today at 6:30 PM to discuss a police personnel matter.

Amy Bezek of the Street Art Society gave a presentation to Council concerning painting nature based murals on chosen building in Exeter Borough.

Person of the Month – no person of the month.

Motion to approve the February 4, 2020 Council Meeting Minutes. 1st Mr. Morgan, 2nd Mr. Balent and unanimously carried.

Treasurers Report- Motion to accept the Treasurers Report as read. 1st Mr. Balent, 2nd Mr. Marranta and unanimously carried.

Citizens Input (agenda items only) No public input.

Correspondence – no correspondence

Refuse Report – Lynda Hyzenski – Report on file.

Recycling Report – Report on file.

Reports of committees

Police – John Morgan, David Balent & Carmen Marranta – calls for service in March 207.

Finance & Insurance (Grants) Lori DeAngelo, John Morgan & Richard Murawski
The Liquid Fuel allotment for 2020 is \$170,522.74.

Fire Department – Carmen Marranta, John Morgan & Richard Murawski
Calls year to date 161. Report on file.

Street/Recycling Departments – David Balent & John Morgan
Pothole patching is ongoing.

Parks & Recreation – Lori DeAngelo, Carmen Marranta & Joseph Esposito

Trees need to be cut in the DeRoberto Park. and Musto Park.

WVSA Report – John Morgan – Report on file.

Zoning – David Balent, Richard Murawski & Lori DeAngelo – Report on file.

Building & Grounds – Richard Murawski & Joseph Esposito
Nothing at this time.

Remarks from Mayor Denise Adams, nothing at this time.

Solicitors Report – Ray Hassey, nothing at this time.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Motion to accept the prepaid bills in the amount of \$30,305.61. 1st Mr. Morgan, 2nd Ms. DeAngelo and unanimously carried.

Motion to accept Ordinance #3-2020, to amend the Borough Code of Ordinances by revoking the existing Chapter 97, relating to Peddlers and Vendors, and replace with a new Chapter 97 Vendors, Peddlers and Soliciting Ordinance. 1st Ms. DeAngelo, 2nd Mr. Morgan and unanimously carried.

Motion to accept Resolution #4-2020 setting fees for licenses under Chapter 97, for Vendors, Peddlers and Soliciting in Exeter Borough. 1st Mr. Balent, 2nd Ms. DeAngelo and unanimously carried.

Motion to accept Resolution #5-2020 the leasing of a 2020 Ford Utility Police Interceptor from Fulton Bank of Bethlehem, PA at a cost of \$46,156.00 payable over 4 years. 1st Mr. Morgan, 2nd Mr. Balent and unanimously carried.

Motion to accept the March 1, 2020 resignation of Drew Malvizzi as a full time Exeter Borough Police Officer. 1st Mr. Morgan, 2nd Ms. DeAngelo and unanimously carried.

Motion to accept Pay #2 from Stafurski Paving in the amount of \$30,473.07 as approved by PennEastern Engineering, payable from the Flood 2011 fund. 1st Mr. Murawski, 2nd Mr. Marranca and unanimously carried.

Motion to hire Renee Pizano to fill the position of Recycling Coordinator for Exeter Borough. 1st Ms. DeAngelo, 2nd Mr. Balent and unanimously carried with the exception of Mr. Pizano who abstained.

NEW BUSINESS

Motion to approve the current bills in the amount of \$125,569.15. 1st Mr. Morgan, 2nd Mr. Marranca and unanimously carried.

Motion to place out for bid the Refuse Contract with a one, two and three year option. 1st Mr. Morgan, 2nd Mr. Balent and unanimously carried.

Motion to hire Gina Felker as a full time police patrolman for Exeter Borough. 1st Mr. Morgan, 2nd Mr. Balent, Roll Call; Mr. Morgan – yes, Mr. Balent – yes, Mr. Marranca – yes, Mr. Murawski – yes, Mr. Pizano – yes, Ms. DeAngelo – yes, Mr. Esposito – yes.

Motion to hire Tyler Atherholt as a full time police patrolman for Exeter Borough. 1st Mr. Morgan, 2nd Ms. DeAngelo, Roll Call; Mr. Morgan – yes, Mr. Balent – yes, Mr. Marranca – yes, Mr. Murawski – yes, Mr. Pizano – yes, Ms. DeAngelo – yes, Mr. Esposito – yes.

Open to the Public

Jordon Kuharchik a college student needs to do a litter cleanup for school on Tunkhannock and W. Packer Ave. The Borough will register the cleanup with Pick up Pennsylvania.

Martha Zavada of 110 Jean St. spoke about a community event at Kings College where her brother in law has written a book and will speak.

Adjournment, 1st Mr. Morgan, 2nd Mr. Esposito and unanimously carried.