

SHICKSHINNY BOROUGH
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
February 2, 2021

The General Meeting of the Borough of Shickshinny Council was held on Tuesday, February 2, 2021 in the council room of the Shickshinny Municipal Building. President Rosalie Whitebread called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

Per roll call, the following members of council were present: Candy Kruczek, Rosalie Whitebread and Jim Wido. Joe Buchalski & Kevin Kruczek was absent.

There were no comments on the agenda items.

ENGINEER'S REPORT

None

MAYOR'S REPORT

None

ZONING OFFICER'S REPORT

None

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Rosalie Whitebread stated that she contacted some people regarding the blighted property on Parker Hill, she sent all the paper work to them that was needed, Tom Reilly will advertise for bids for this to be demolished.

Rosalie talked to the Solicitor about Bartoli Lane, it is still posted as a one-way road, however, back in 2016 the resolution to make it a one way never passed; therefore, the signs can be taken down so that it is a two-way road. Motion to remove the one-way signs and place a stop sign on Bartoli Lane was made by Jim Wido and Seconded by Candice Kruczek. All Council Members voted yes.

The Estimates for the Street improvement Grant from Emmett Mancinelli were discussed. These estimates are above the Grant funds and two Streets were added on and should not have been. Lori is going to get in touch with the Penn Dot Municipal Services Rep and ask him to come and look at each of these roads, tell us what needs to be done and give us an estimate of what the cost will be.

Rosalie is going to have the Attorney send a letter to Waste Management about the roads they are destroying with their truck.

Larry Frace is interested in buying the refrigerator, stove and all the cabinets to be used in his new building for \$750 and the sink for \$400. He will have them removed as well. Motion to sell these items to Larry Frace was made by Kim Wido and seconded by Candice Kruczek. All Council members voted yes.

Rosalie asked the members of council what they wanted to do about the SPCA Bill. A Motion was made to end the agreement with SPCA. Motion made by Candice and seconded by Jim Wido. All council member voted yes.

SECRETARY/TREASURER'S REPORT

Motion to accept the meeting minutes of January 5, 2021 was made by Candice Kruczek and seconded by Jim Wido. All Council member voted yes.

Motion to accept the work session minutes of 01/28/2021 was made by Jim Wido and seconded by Candice Kruczek. All council members voted yes.

Motion to accept the Financial report was made by Jim Wido and seconded by Candice Kruczek. All council members voted yes.

Motion to approve the payment of Bills was made by Candice Kruczek and seconded by Jim Wido. All Council Member voted yes.

Resolution authorizing Lori Ragazzo to be the designated signer for the loan agreements with First Keystone Bank. Motion to accept was made by Candice Kruczek and seconded by Jim Wido. All Council Members voted yes.

Old Business:

Rosalie stated that the Borough needs to hire a Supervisor for the Street Department and suggested that they give that position to Mike Shoemaker. Motion was made by Jim Wido to give Mike Shoemaker this position at a rate of \$15/per hour. Motion was seconded by Candice Kruczek. All council Members voted yes.

CORRESPONDENCE: None

Business owner Melissa Humm addressed the council members about some parking issues that might occur once their business opens. Council informed her that one of the lots near them might be for sale and maybe they should contact the owner.

Meeting adjourned