

**BURGETTSTOWN BOROUGH COUNCIL
WORK SESSION MINUTES**

May 23, 2022

Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Public comments and questions not pertaining to the agenda items will be held to the end of the meeting.

Attending: Council Members: Annie Hull
Susan Reynolds
Ken McKinney (absent)
James Smith II (absent)
Ross Johnson

Mayor: Luke Snatchko
Solicitor: Falco A. Muscante (Absent)
Secretary: Debbie Resnik
Treasurer: Debbie Resnik

Visitors: Mary Oddi James Oddi
Richard Oddi Officer Trent Zank

Roll Call Absent:
Ken McKinney
James Smith II
Falco Muscate

Susan Reynolds made the Motion to pass the April 25th,2022 Work Session Agenda
Second by-Ross Johnson

Questions/Comments:

None

Motion carried-None Opposed

Persons to be Heard: Nick Tasz

- PA Connecting Communities-Community Assessment Program
- Non-Profit Organization helps individuals gain on-the-job training experience
- No costs to the borough
- Individuals are paid through PA Connecting Communities
- Leader on site with employee always helping develop his /her skills
- Borough agreed program is great and will be a participant

1. Financials:

- By-Pass Street Lighting reimbursement process discussed
- PC Whip invoice was brought to councils' attention
 - a. add on items brought invoice above \$3,500.00
 - b. will address by motion on June 6th Regular Scheduled meeting

2. Council Reports:

a. Street Department -Ross Johnson

Blue Property-

- Ross, Keith Straight (Borough's engineer) and Phil Esno will hold a meeting to gather information on that area
- Produce solutions on resolving the water run-off problem
- Resnik will set up meeting

Scout Hut –

- Sump Pump installed (donation by J D Waterproofing)

b. Park and Recreation-Susan Reynolds

- flagpole at park does not have a light illuminating at night
- Council will check into lighting options

POW Flag

- Council will address party who is interested in placing a new POW flag at the park
 - a. Borough will contact resident, and ask if they will attend the next Regular Scheduled Meeting
- Discussed flower planting
 - a. Time- frame
 - b. Susan Reynolds will pay for flower planting at the Main Island
 - c. Council was all in agreement

Veteran's Park

- Received no costs yet for park benches

c. Special Projects-Ken McKinney (absent)

- Scout Hut sump pump discussed earlier in the street department report

3. Mayor Report-Police/Fire Department-

- July 15th Fireman's Fest
- Fire Department in getting new facing
- Police contract is up for renewal
 - a. Spoke with Smith Township
 - b. Meeting with McDonald Police June 1st
 - c. Spoke with State Police services and what they they would provide

Comments/Questions:

None

4. Solicitor's Report-None
5. New Business- None
6. Old Business- None
7. Correspondence- None
8. Council Remarks-
Ross Johnson, "Boy Scouts will go going to 14 cemeteries around the area to Honor Veterans."
9. Public Comments/Questions-
Rick Oddi asked for an update on the Scout Hut
 - He asked if the painting discussed previously was associated with the mold removal also.Ross, "Yes, that is pretty much the same trying to get rid of that mold."
Ross, "Deal with the water removal first then deal with the mold."
Renovations are being completed, but a slow process.
10. Council entered executive session at @ 7:18 PM
 - No action will be taken
11. Council intervened back into session @ 7:30 PM
Ross Johnson made the Motion to adjourn
Second by-Susan Reynolds
Motion carried-None Opposed