

Minutes
Berrysburg Borough Council
April 14, 2014

Meeting was called to order at 7:00 with the Pledge of Allegiance with the following members present – Deb Libby, Crystal Scheib, Jody Boyer, Lahn Kopp, Marlin Troutman, Mayor - Michael Ward, President – Robin Snyder, Vice President – Timothy Weaver, and Secretary/Treasurer - Diane Kennedy.

Also present were Allen Shiro, Robin Straub, Bob Savidge, Jr., Doug Kahler, and Tom Billow.

Minutes for the March meeting were approved with a motion by Marlin Troutman, second by Deb Libby, all in favor.

Treasurer Report for March was approved with a motion by Timothy Weaver, second by Lahn Kopp, all in favor.

Correspondence received was read.

Public Comments – none.

Old Business:

Robin Straub from Deibler, Straub & Troutman reviewed the insurance renewal policies with council members. The insurance policies include the municipal authority and the community center. The policies are written on a replacement cost basis except for the community center which is written on a functional value basis. Robin divides the premium among Mifflin Township and the Municipal Authority for their portion of the insurance. Act 46 has passed and cancer is now an occupational hazard for firefighters on the workers compensation policies.

Street signs were discussed including looking at other avenues regarding pricing and color of street signs. Sign inventory will be completed by next month meeting.

Jerry Straub has agreed to mow the square for the same price as last year. Jody Boyer made a motion to have Jerry Straub continue to mow the square, second by Marlin Troutman, all in favor.

Deb Libby advised council that she almost pulled out in front of a car at the square. The line of sight at the square was discussed and Deb Libby made a motion to do a line of sight study, second by Timothy Weaver, all in favor. A request was made for the secretary to research the prior motions made regarding line of sight at the square for the next meeting.

New Business:

2014 road project – tabled until next month.

Owen Holtzman requested the lines at the fire lane at the Community Center be painted.

A motion to approve Dennis Henninger as the alternate for Berrysburg Borough on the Dauphin County Tax Committee was made by Jody Boyer, second by Timothy Weaver, all in favor.

The roof over the kitchen at the Community Center needs replaced. Deb Libby reported that the next Community Center meeting will be held on April 23rd.

Deb Libby advised council members that various burglaries have occurred in the borough recently.

A motion to pay borough bills was made by Jody Boyer, second by Crystal Scheib, all in favor.

Tom Billow from Mifflin Township discussed the snow removal this past winter in the borough with council members.

A motion to adjourn was made by Lahn Kopp, second by Timothy Weaver, all in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Kennedy
Borough Secretary