

BOROUGH OF CONSHOHOCKEN BOROUGH COUNCIL  
MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC MEETING

Wednesday, April 17, 2019

PUBLIC MEETING

PRESENT: Colleen Leonard, Council President  
Jane Flanagan, Council Vice-President  
Anita Barton, Council Member  
Tina Sokolowski, Council Member  
James Griffin, Council Member  
Yaniv Aronson, Mayor

ALSO PRESENT: Stephanie Cecco, Borough Manager  
Michael E. Peters, Borough Solicitor

**CALL TO ORDER**

The Public Meeting of the Conshohocken Borough Council duly advertised, was held at the Conshohocken Borough Hall, 400 Fayette Street, Conshohocken, PA. Ms. Leonard, Council President, called the meeting to order at 7:02 PM.

**PRAYER FOR COUNCIL**

Ms. Flanagan read a Prayer for Council.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Ms. Leonard announced that there was an Executive Session held immediately prior to the meeting regarding legal matters.

**PRESENTATIONS**

There were no presentations.

**CONSENT AGENDA**

Ms. Leonard read and reviewed the items included on the consent agenda.

**a.) Approve and adopt the March 6 and March 20 Meeting Minutes**

**Ms. Barton made a motion to approve and adopt the March 6 and March 20 meeting minutes, seconded by Mr. Griffin. The motion carried 5-0.**

**b.) Accept the March-ending Treasurer's Report and Accounts Payable in the amount of \$601,373.50.**

**Ms. Sokolowski made a motion to accept the March-ending Treasurer's Report and Accounts Payable in the amount of \$601,373.50, seconded by Ms. Barton. The motion carried 5-0.**

**NEW BUSINESS**

**a.) Consider approving an event request for the Dog Park Advisory Committee**

Ms. Cecco introduced Marissa Buck, Chair of the Dog Park Advisory Committee. Ms. Buck discussed the success of the Committee's recent fundraising events and provided an update on improvements to the Riverside Dog Park, such as the installation of new lighting and updated signage. She mentioned that the park has been closed for the installation of a new safety surface. Ms. Buck requested the approval of Council for the Dog Park Advisory Committee to host a fundraising event on May 11, 2019 to celebrate the re-opening of the park and to raise awareness for Committee initiatives and dog park operations. She added that the event would include a walk around Riverwalk and Londonbury.

**Ms. Sokolowski made a motion to approve an event request for the Dog Park Advisory Committee, seconded by Ms. Flanagan. The motion carried 5-0.**

**b.) Consider approving a request for the sale and consumption of alcohol at Fight Rugby games at the A-Field**

Ms. Cecco explained that this is an annual request for the sale and consumption of alcohol at the A-Field during Fight Rugby games. Ms. Cecco confirmed that the applicant has submitted all required licenses and permits.

**Ms. Barton made a motion to approve the request for the sale and consumption of alcohol at Fight Rugby games at the A-Field, seconded by Ms. Flanagan. The motion carried 5-0.**

**c.) Consider approving the tuition reimbursement for Sergeant Shane Murray**

Ms. Cecco confirmed that education reimbursement is an approved expense per the Collective Bargaining Agreement.

**Mr. Griffin made a motion to approve the tuition reimbursement for Sergeant Shane Murray, seconded by Ms. Leonard. The motion carried 5-0.**

**d.) Introduction of the Hispanic Heritage Committee, Council Member Barton**

This item was tabled.

**e.) Borough Hall Display Update, Council Member Flanagan**

Ms. Flanagan requested the approval of Council to keep two display cases from the Conshohocken History Exhibition at Borough Hall.

**Mr. Griffin made a motion to approve the request to keep two display cases from the Conshohocken History Exhibition at Borough Hall, seconded by Ms. Leonard. The motion carried 5-0.**

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

There was no unfinished business.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

Mayor Aronson shared that the EAC Streets Cleanup was a success and thanked Public Services and Administration for their support.

Ms. Barton spoke about the success of the Conshohocken Little League Opening Day.

Ms. Sokolowski announced that the first meeting of the Parking Task Force is April 24, 2019 at 6:00pm at Borough Hall.

Ms. Leonard shared that the Easter Egg Hunt is April 20, 2019 at 10:00am at the Community Center.

Mr. Griffin announced that PennDOT resurfaced West Elm Street between Fayette Street and Colwell Lane.

Superintendent Metz reminded everyone that the Police Department offers Active Shooter Training.

**ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:14 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Stephanie Cecco,  
Borough Secretary