

Special Meeting Minutes

May 13th, 2024

The May 13th, 2024 Special Meeting was called to order at 5:00p.m. by President Bruce Markovich. The meeting was attended by President Pro Tempore Michele Bartek, Council Man Joesph Butrie, Council Woman Gwyneth Collevechio, Vice President Jay Doyle, President Bruce Markovich, Council man Jack Soberick, Council Woman Jennifer Staines, and Solicitor Robert Yurchak. Mayor Hugh Vrablic was absent.

Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Public Courtesy-

Tommy Vadyak of 334 West Abbott Street stated that he is opposed to the street sweeper because it is only used once a year thus is not worth the cost.

Tommy Vadyak spoke about the condition of the property behind his home and how he feels the council needs to be more involved in resolving issues with quality-of-life violations in the borough.

Tommy Vadyak spoke about the garbage can near the pool filled with garbage and that they are visible from Route 209.

Meeting with Pennsylvania Local Government Investment Trust (PLGIT) to discuss investment opportunities-

Senior Managing Consultant Paul M Robinson from The Pennsylvania Local Government Investment Trust PLGIT spoke about investment opportunities for the Lansford Borough. The Pennsylvania Local Government Investment Trust (PLGIT) is a financial service organization created and run by local government officials exclusively for Pennsylvania’s municipalities, authorities, schools and other local and regional governmental type entities and endorsed by The Pennsylvania Municipal League. Its Board of Directors is comprised of representatives from each of the local government associations.

Final Signatures on Idle Subdivision Property-

Bruce Markovich states that this was taken care of at the county earlier today.

Bruce Markovich stated that county informed them that only one signature was needed for the document.

Motion to purchase a 2016 Freightliner Street Sweeper-

Motion to approve the purchase of a 2016 Freightliner Street Sweeper from Commercial Vehicle Center in the amount of \$95,000.00. The \$95,000 to come out of the general account.

Motioned by Gwyneth Collevechio and seconded by Jay Doyle.

Motion was favored by Gwyneth Collevechio, Jay Doyle, Bruce Markovich, Joesph Butrie, Jack Soberick, and Michele Bartek. The motion was opposed by Jennifer Staines.

Motion passed by the majority.

Motion for council to approve Portnoff to proceed with a Write of Execution for sale of properties for unpaid bills owed to the borough-

Portnoff wants to proceed with Write of Execution for sale of 18 total properties for unpaid bills owed to the borough.

Motioned by Jack Soberick and seconded by Joesph Butrie. Motion passed unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned by President Bruce Markovich at 5:53p.m.

Executive session began at 5:54p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



Ashley McLaughlin

Assistant Secretary/Treasurer