

BOROUGH OF ELIZABETH

MEETING OF COUNCIL

MARCH 23, 2021

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER – President Rager called the March 23, 2021 meeting to order at 7 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE- President Rager led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL- Present for the meeting were Mr. Rager, Mr. Miklos, Mr. Guffey, Ms. Smrdel, Mrs. Morris, and Ms. Gephart. Also present for the meeting were Solicitor DiMascio and Secretary Lauren Zang. Absent from the meeting was Mr. Shaner. Mayor Boucher was present.

VISITORS:

Larry Ross -

Chuck Smith, VFC discussed certifications and stated three council members are needed to sign before sending into the fire academy.

Jason Berman -

PUBLIC COMMENT- None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion to accept the minutes of the February 23, 2021 meeting:

- Motion – Mrs. Morris
- Second – Ms. Smrdel
- Roll Call Vote - All in Favor

PAYMENT OF BILLS

Motion to pay the bills as presented:

- Roll Call Vote – All in Favor

REPORTS

Mayor

Treasurer

Solicitor

Building Inspector

Animal Control

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

Budget & Finance

Mrs. Morris inquired about a payment for paving and STMP.

Public Safety

Discussion regarding sign-ups for walks.

Public Works

Motion to approve \$300 for parking meter repairs:

- Roll Call Vote – All in Favor

Motion to accept \$676 bid from Weeds, Inc.:

- Roll Call Vote - All in Favor

Parks & Recreation

Ordinance

Personnel

Motion to accept the resignation of Lauren Zang, Secretary:

- Roll Call Vote – All in Favor

Motion to advertise for a secretary/treasurer for 15-20 hours per week with salary commensurate to experience:

- Roll Call Vote - All in Favor

Planning

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Motion to accept and enter into agreement with Keystone Collection Services for delinquent tax collection:

- Roll Call Vote – All in Favor

Motion to have the Water Works property, Lot & Block 1133-P-179, appraised with the cost of appraisal not to exceed \$2,500:

- Roll Call Vote – All in Favor

Motion to pay the 2021 police uniform allowance to eligible officers totaling \$3,300:

- Roll Call Vote – All in Favor

Motion to install the charge guard on both police vehicles at a cost not to exceed \$150 per vehicle:

- Roll Call Vote – All in Favor

Motion to place a privacy partition for Council at the Borough Building/Police Station:

- TABLED

Motion to accept the winning bid in the amount of \$3,800 for the 2014 Ford Explorer as auctioned on Muncibid website:

- Roll Call Vote – All in Favor

Motion to accept the proposal from Bookminders Accounting Solutions with final review meeting scheduled for March 31:

- Roll Call Vote – All in Favor

Motion to approve moving service from Sprint to First Net Provider for internet car service:

- Roll Call Vote – All in Favor

PUBLIC COMMENTS

GOOD OF THE ORDER

ADJOURNMENT

- Voice Vote – All in Favor