



CONNOQUENESSING BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING

March 7, 2023

The public meeting of the Borough Council of Connoquenessing was called to order.

Present were Council members Lloyd Leslie, Chris Logan, Francis Smith, Dave Hilliard, and Mayor Ray Betz.

Also present were Nathan Leslie, Lou Zimmerman, David Cottington, Matt McConnell, Dave Bocci and Vickie Forbes.

SEWAGE PLANT UPDATE

Bocci reported on several minor repairs made to plastic pipes. There has been an increase in sludge volume but hydraulic volume still below plant capacity. Normal operations.

Lou Zimmerman of the CVFC introduced the new President of the Fire Department, David Cottington. Matt McConnell stated the plans for the new fire department property were still in design, engineering and site development stages.

BUSINESS

Hilliard motioned, Smith seconded, to approve the meeting minutes of February 7, 2023. Motion passed.

Hilliard motioned, Logan seconded, to approve the submitted January 2023 Treasurer's Report. Motion passed.

Smith motioned, Hilliard seconded, to approve the bills as submitted. Motion passed.

OLD BUSINESS:

Leslie Farms Phase 2 Ordinances

Hilliard motioned, Smith seconded to adopt Ordinances 21-2 Phase 2 Streets, Ordinance 15-3 Amended Phase 2 Stop Signs, and 17-2 Phase 2 Stormwater Systems. Motion passed.

Leslie Farms Phase 2 Deed of Dedication

Hilliard motioned, Logan seconded to approve the Leslie Farms Phase 2 Deed of Dedication. Motion passed.

Leslie Farms Phase 2 – Set-A-Side Agreement

Smith motioned, Hilliard seconded to approve the Leslie Farms Phase 2 Set-A-Side Agreement bonding the Phase 2 streets for 18 months. Motion passed.

NEW BUSINESS:

Constitution Avenue/Connoq Main Street Repairs

Council reviewed the worksheet totals for repairs to Connoq Main Street and Constitution Avenue. Hilliard motioned, Smith seconded to contact the PennDOT representative to meet with the Street Committee to mark the areas to be repaired and to create a bid package. Motion passed.

Leslie Farms Phase 2 Signage

Mayor Betz reviewed information he had received regarding a concern for the lack of speed limit signs and stop signs in Phase 2. Hilliard motioned, Logan seconded to approve the purchase of signage as per the Borough Engineer's recommendation. Motion passed. Council approved \$20 labor cost to install each sign.

116 Dogwood Lane Industrial Site

Council reviewed information regarding inquiries and issues regarding the site.



COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- Emergency Management:** Logan state that Cox would like an updated list of Borough officials. Butler County is working on a new EMA plan. Cox is working on a bid for a transfer switch for the generator.
- Fire:** The Fire Department will be holding its officer installation meeting on Saturday.
- Law and Order:** No Report
- Streets:** Council approved scheduling street sweeping.
- Zoning/Planning:** No Report
- Borough Building:** No Report
- Park:** Request for classes in the Park was not acted on.
Hilliard motioned, Smith seconded to approve the purchase of a pickle ball net in the amount up to \$200 plus shipping. Motion passed.
- Sewage Financial:** No Report

Nathan Leslie obtained permission to repair a family bench as a Scout project.

MISCELLANEOUS:

Hilliard motioned, Smith seconded to adjourn the meeting at 8:30 pm. Motion passed.

Respectfully submitted,

Vickie Forbes

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