

WILSON BOROUGH  
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY  
PENNSYLVANIA  
June 24, 2024

The second meeting of June of the Council of The Borough of Wilson was held in the Guy B. Tomaino Public Safety Building at 2040 Hay Terrace, Easton, PA. Council President John Burke called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm. Roll call followed.

PRESENT:

Susan Allen	Kimberlee Muzac	Justin Woodring
Jeffrey Bracken	Charlie Wacik	Shaun Gable
John Burke	Russell Lipari	

ABSENT:

Scott Palinkas

Also present were Solicitor Stanley Margle, Borough Manager Jill Garcia, Fire Chief Joseph Sipel, and Police Chief Christian Meehan.

READING OF THE MINUTES:

A motion by Mr. Wacik to approve the minutes from the June 10, 2024, meeting. Second by Mr. Bracken. A roll call vote followed. Yes votes cast by Ms. Allen, Mr. Bracken, Mr. Burke, Ms. Gable, Mr. Lipari, Ms. Muzac, Mr. Wacik and Mr. Woodring. Motion passed with an 8-0 vote.

GUEST:

NONE

COMMUNICATIONS AND PETITIONS:

Avona Volunteer Fire Company requested to hold their annual picnic on September 14, 2024, from 11am to 5 pm. A motion to approve was made by Mr. Lipari. Seconded by Mr. Wacik. A roll call vote followed. Yes votes cast by Ms. Allen, Mr. Bracken, Mr. Burke, Ms. Gable, Mr. Lipari, Ms. Muzac, Mr. Wacik and Mr. Woodring. Motion passed with an 8-0 vote.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT:

Handicap application for 2329 Forest St., meets all requirements. A motion to approve was made by Mr. Lipari. Seconded by Mr. Woodring. A roll call vote followed. Yes votes cast by Ms. Allen, Mr. Bracken, Mr. Burke, Ms. Gable, Mr. Lipari, Ms. Muzac, Mr. Wacik and Mr. Woodring. Motion passed with an 8-0 vote.

Handicap application for 2125 Hay St., meets all requirements. A motion to approve was made by Mr. Woodring. Seconded by Mr. Lipari. A roll call vote followed. Yes votes cast by Ms. Allen, Mr. Bracken, Mr. Burke, Ms. Gable, Mr. Lipari, Ms. Muzac, Mr. Wacik and Mr. Woodring. Motion passed with an 8-0 vote.

Handicap application for 1532 Washington St., meets all requirements. A motion to approve was made by Mr. Woodring. Seconded by Ms. Gable. A roll call vote followed. Yes votes cast by Ms. Allen, Mr. Bracken, Mr. Burke, Ms. Gable, Mr. Lipari, Ms. Muzac, and Mr. Woodring. Motion passed with a 7-0 vote. Mr. Wacik abstained.

Handicap application for 825 S 24<sup>th</sup> St., meets all requirements. A motion to approve was made by Mr. Woodring. Seconded by Mr. Wacik. A roll call vote followed. Yes votes cast by Ms. Allen, Mr. Bracken, Mr. Burke, Ms. Gable, Mr. Lipari, Ms. Muzac, Mr. Wacik and Mr. Woodring. Motion passed with an 8-0 vote.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR:

NONE

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE BOROUGH MANAGER:

NONE

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES:

GENERAL GOVERNMENT:

NONE

PROTECTION TO PERSONS & PROPERTY

NONE

POLICE:

NONE

FIRE:

Ms. Garcia asked Council's permission to hire Mr. Anthony DiCosta as a part-time call fire fighter. A motion to approve was made by Mr. Wacik. Seconded by Mr. Woodring. A roll call vote followed. Yes votes cast by Ms. Allen, Mr. Bracken, Mr. Burke, Ms. Gable, Mr. Lipari, Ms. Muzac, Mr. Wacik and Mr. Woodring. Motion passed with an 8-0 vote.

PUBLIC WORKS:

NONE

PARKS:

NONE

CODE COMMITTEE:

NONE

CELEBRATION COMMITTEE:

Movies in the park will be held on July 20, 2024.

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN:

NONE

CODE DEPARTMENT/ZONING/LAND DEVELOPMENT:

NONE

ATTORNEY:

Solicitor Margle will be drafting the proposed TIF Ordinance for Council to read at a July Council meeting.

MECAB:

NONE

OLD BUSINESS:

Mr. Lipari asked what the status of the pickle ball courts is? Ms. Garcia advised work could begin as early as this summer.

NEW BUSINESS:

NONE

ORDINANCES:

NONE

RESOLUTIONS:

A motion to approve Resolution # 1289-Police and Accident Report Fees made by Mr. Lipari. Seconded by Mr. Wacik. A roll call vote followed. Yes votes cast by Ms. Allen, Mr. Bracken, Mr. Burke, Ms. Gable, Mr. Lipari, Ms. Muzac, Mr. Wacik and Mr. Woodring. Motion passed with an 8-0 vote.

BILLS AND ACCOUNTS:

Bills were in the amount of \$122,782.67 A motion to approve was made by Mr. Wacik. Seconded by Ms. Gable. A roll call vote followed. Yes votes cast by Ms. Allen, Mr. Bracken, Mr. Burke, Ms. Gable, Mr. Lipari, Ms. Muzac, Mr. Wacik and Mr. Woodring. Motion passed with an 8-0 vote.

PRESENTATION OF MATTERS BY RESIDENTS AND TAXPAYERS:

Mr. Sal Pugliese owner of 1500 Spring Garden St. expressed concerns with water in his basement since the road was repaved. Council advised the Borough Engineer will be in contact with him.

CAUCUS:

NONE

ADJOURNMENT:

Mr. Wacik made a Motion to adjourn at 7:36 pm. Seconded by Mr. Lipari and Council concurred.

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STEPHANIE N. JONES  
CLERK/TREASURER