

Borough of Beaver, PA  
Work Session Meeting  
February 26, 2019  
Minutes

- A public meeting was held at 6:30pm for the purpose of taking public comment on the proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance for medical marijuana.
- A regular scheduled work session meeting of Beaver Borough Council was held in the Community Room and called to order on February 26, 2019 at 7:00PM by President, Sean Snowden.
- Pledge of Allegiance

**Moment of silence for Bob King, former police officer of Beaver.**

- Council Representatives in attendance: Chris King, Margaret McKean, Jim Perini, Sean Snowden, Jarrod Thomas. Borough officials in attendance: Mayor Tom Hamilton, Chief Dan Madgar, Solicitor Fedeles. Absent: Alexander Andres, Michael Deelo, Alex Sebastian, Adam Rathbun
- Visitors in attendance (signed in): George Kauffman

**Public Participation –**

- George Kauffman, 100 Oak Street –
  - Concerned about traffic driving too fast through Beaver and residents cleaning up after pets outside.
  - Mr. Snowden stated that something can be posted in the newsletter reminding drivers to drive safely and to clean up after pets.

**Council Committee:**

**Public Safety/Code Enforcement –**

- Mr. Thomas – Questioned the status of the School Resource Officer
  - Chief Madgar and Mayor Hamilton met with Carrie Rowe to discuss the School Resource Officer program. The school is reevaluating their needs and budget for a School Resource Officer and will update council when a decision is made.

**Finance –**

- Mr. Perini – Questioned status of the Trinity Anglican Church located at 370 Beaver Street.
  - Mr. Snowden stated that after a proposal was submitted by Solicitor Fedeles, a counter proposal was made by the Trinity Anglican Church that required more hand money and the purchase be finalized within 60 days. The new requirements did not provide the borough enough time to work with an architect and vote on a decision, therefore the borough did not go through with a deal.

**Highway – No report**

**General Government – No report**

**Recreation –**

- Ms. King – Working on a Free Skate event for the borough at Brady’s Run. The event will occur in March of 2019.
- Mr. Thomas asked about the possibility of a basketball court being added in town.
  - Chief Madgar stated that the court would cost approximately \$40,000 to install.
  - Possible locations were discussed amongst council.

**President – No report**

**Borough Manager –**

- Dan Martone is currently preparing 2 bids to pave the access road, bid includes a guardrail coming down the road
- Columbia Gas – received payment from the last invoice
- Jet Jack’s invoice was issued
- Park Street, Laura Street and Turnpike invoices totaling \$139,664 face value have been mailed
- Paving letters for Second Street are to go out soon, Dan Martone is currently working on them
- Highway Department
  - Need new hire in the spring
  - Pay increase for Chris Trent and Brian Grove in April or May
- The Municipal Authority will split the cost of a License Plate Recognition Camera to be installed by the railroad tracks

Adjourned at 8:01 p.m.

Submitted by Rebecca Roberts