

Borough of Beaver, PA
Work Session Meeting
September 27, 2022
Minutes

- A regular scheduled work session meeting of Beaver Borough Council was held in the Community Room and called to order on Tuesday, September 27, 2022 at 7:00PM by Council President, Alexander Andres.
- Council Representatives in attendance: Alexander Andres, Michael Deelo, Roberta Good, Whitney Learn-Conjeski, Margaret McKean, Jim Perini, and Amy Stettler (via Zoom until 8:55PM). Borough officials in attendance: Mayor Tom Hamilton, Chief of Police/Borough Manager Dan Madgar, Rebecca Phillips, and Debbie Hindman. Absent: Alex Sebastian and Sean Snowden.
- Public in attendance (signed in): Rick Sprecker and Robert Snider.

Public Participation – None

Stormwater Management and Water Conservation Presentation – Dan Martone

- Reviewed the following items:
 - Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4)
 - Ways that Beaver Borough and Municipal Authority manages and sustains stormwater
 - Types of stormwater pollution and ways to reduce pollution
 - Types of water conservation

Council Committee Reports

Shaw Park / Pool – No report

Public Safety / Code Enforcement – No report

Highways – Reported by Mr. Deelo

- Paving bid approved at the last meeting.
- Mr. Martone – Paving is expected to begin at the end of October.

General Government –

- Ms. McKean – Asked that information and resources be put out for residents regarding spotted lanternfly.
 - Mr. Madgar – Information will be posted to the Borough social media.

Recreation – No report

Reports

Manager/Secretary Report – Reported by Mr. Madgar

- Halloween Trick or Treat will be held in Beaver Borough on Monday, October 31, 2022 from 6:00PM – 8:00PM.

- Liquid Fuels 2023 amount will be \$133,681.88. Payment is expected in March of next year.
- Police Department received \$23,447 through an ARP Public Safety Grant. This will assist with the change in police radios.
- Robert Applegarth accepted the full-time police officer employment offer with a start date of January 15, 2023.
- Recommendations from Civil Service expected by the end of the year.
- Contracts with Western Beaver School District and Beaver Area School District for School Resource Officers expected at the October Council Meeting.
- MRM (worker's comp insurance) came in for an annual visit today, minor corrections need to be made and will be addressed.
- Letter from Library included in the Council Packet. Library is asking for an increase in the donation from the Borough. The Borough has donated \$26,500 since 2019.
- Ms. Phillips met with a Recreation Planner regarding Bouquet Park to apply for a DCNR grant to update and make ADA compliant. The application is due at the end of October.
- Presented initial schematic design of bathhouse from Moshier Studios.

Mayor Hamilton –

- Reviewed event with the Beaver County Corporation of Economic Development (CED)
- Ms. McKean – Asked why Beaver Borough is not part of Rivertown
 - Mr. Madgar – Will reach out and get more information.

Police Chief Madgar – No report

Fire Department – No report

Emergency Management Coordinator – No report

Engineer – No report

President – No report

Finance – Reported by Mr. Perini

- Review and discussion of 2023 draft budget

Adjourned at 9:05 PM

Submitted by Rebecca Phillips