

REGULAR MEETING OF LAUREL RUN BOROUGH COUNCIL JULY 21, 2020 - 7:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL

Cynthia Russo p Left at 7:23 p.m.
Dennis Hooper P
Shandra Kisailus P
Mayor Justin Correll p

The meeting was called to order by the President, Shandra Kisailus with The Pledge to The Flag, followed by a moment of silence. Roll was taken.

Timothy Potavin of 60 Oliver Lane asked Council of plans for resurfacing Oliver Lane.

ROADS AND STREETS: Cynthia explained that application for a low interest loan (1.62%) from the State has been submitted. Other documents are required and they are being worked on. It could take up to a year before monies are received. If it takes that long, the Community Block Grant may be earmarked for resurfacing Oliver Lane and Dupont Drive. Repairs in the meantime will be sought.

A motion to accept the report was made by Cynthia Russo, seconded by Dennis Hooper.

MINUTES: A motion to accept the minutes from the June regular meeting was made by Dennis Hooper, seconded by Cynthia Russo. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT: A motion to accept the report for the month of July was made by Cynthia Russo, seconded by Dennis Hooper. Motion carried.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT: A motion to accept the Tax Collector's report for the month of July and pay her commission on the same was made by Dennis Hooper, seconded by Cynthia Russo.

RECEIPTS: A motion to accept the receipts from June 17, 2020 to July 21, 2020 and interest earned on the accounts was made by Dennis Hooper, seconded by Cynthia Russo. Motion carried.

EXPENSES: A motion to accept and authorize payment of the expenses from June 17, 2020 to July 21, 2020 was made by Cynthia Russo, seconded by Dennis Hooper. Motion carried.

FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT: Jolene reported that the Department responded to 2 calls this past month.

A motion to accept the report was made by Dennis Hooper, seconded by Cynthia Russo.

BUILDING AND GROUNDS: Dennis received a quote to take down the dead tree. It was \$1,200.00. He will get another quote.

A motion to accept the report was made by Dennis Hooper, seconded by Cynthia Russo.

PLANNING AND ZONING: A motion to accept the written Planning and Zoning report was made by Cynthia Russo, seconded by Dennis Hooper.

RECREATION REPORT: No report, Justin said that the Recreation Board has to decide whether to hold the Ice Cream Social or not.

SOLICITOR'S REPORT: No report. Shandra asked if meetings can be held indoors once the weather gets bad, if needed to do so with the pandemic. Atty. Menn said yes, with proper rules in place.

NEW BUSINESS: A discussion was held regarding rescinding the Per Capita Tax, as The Borough does not receive a large stipend from it. The Solicitor suggested negotiating a reduction of fees that Berkheimer takes for its collection. Shandra will pursue that. Atty Menn will look into the procedure if Council decides to rescind it.

Shandra asked Joe and Jolene if the bags of trash that were dumped on Dickerson Street were picked up. Jolene said no because of the pandemic. Joe will try to use the skidster to pick them up and ask Randy Miller if they can be put in his dumpster.

A motion to adjourn was made by Dennis Hooper, seconded by Shandra Kisailus.

Respectfully submitted,

Cathy Pockevich
Borough Manager