

WEST GROVE BOROUGH COUNCIL

JUNE 5, 2013

The Regular Meeting of the West Grove Borough Council was held on Wednesday, June 5, 2013, in the West Grove Borough Municipal Building. The President, Richard S. Turkington, called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

ROLL CALL: Mr. Richard S. Turkington, President
Mr. Christopher Freese
Mr. Clyde Jacobs
Mr. Brian Knezek
Mr. David Prosser
Ms. Sharon B. Nesbitt, Secretary

MINUTES:

MAY 1, 2013: Mr. Freese moved to approve the minutes of the May 1, 2013 Borough Council Meeting and was seconded by Mr. Prosser.

Motion Passed

FINANCIAL REPORT:

Mr. Prosser moved and Mr. Jacobs seconded to approve the May Financial Report.

Motion Passed

TRANSFERS:

Mr. Prosser moved and Mr. Freese seconded to approve the June transfers.

Motion Passed

BILLS:

Mr. Jacobs moved and Mr. Prosser seconded to approve the June bills.

Motion Passed

VISITORS:

Judy Keeth, Jackson Avenue resident, requested assistance from Borough Council concerning the large cat population on Jackson Avenue. Ms. Keeth had contacted the SPCA to find out Pennsylvania does not have any cat laws and no enforcement powers. Chief Galloway gave Ms. Keeth some recommendations to get some possible assistance from the SPCA. Bonnie Porter informed Borough Council that she had the same problem at her residence and she contacted Forgotten Cats to help capture the cats.

Victor Manes, Liberty Circle resident, complained about 3 street lights not working in Liberty Court. PECO is saying that the lights are not theirs and changes need to be made to work with their system and that they have no record of anyone paying for the power for the Liberty Court Street lights. The Borough Manager, Sharon Nesbitt, notified PECO to change the lights and add them to the Borough's street light bill. Unfortunately, that did not happen and the Borough Office needs to follow up with PECO.

FINANCE ISSUES:

The Borough Manager, Sharon Nesbitt, informed Borough Council that a financial institution would like to provide the ability to the Borough to receive payments by credit card at no cost to the Borough. The fees would be passed on to the customers using the service. The Borough office is supposed to receive a proposal from the Susquehanna Bank.

PUBLIC WORKS:

PUBLIC SAFETY:

NEW BUSINESS:

Emergency Services Board: Mr. Freese requested permission for the Borough of West Grove to participate in an Emergency Services Board with the other municipalities that are served by the West Grove Fire Company. Borough Council members were in favor of the proposal.

ADJOURNMENT:

Mr. Prosser moved and Mr. Freese seconded to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon B Nesbitt

Sharon B. Nesbitt, Secretary

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