

WEST GROVE BOROUGH COUNCIL

MAY 7, 2014

PUBLIC HEARING – Traffic & Parking Ordinance Amendment: President Johnson opened the public hearing to discuss prohibiting parking on the south side of West Hillcrest Avenue between Prospect Avenue and West 90 feet. After inviting Borough Council and the public for input; President Johnson announced that the Public Hearing was concluded.

The Regular Meeting of the West Grove Borough Council was held on Wednesday, May 7, 2014, in the West Grove Borough Municipal Building. The President, Mark Johnson, called the meeting to order at 7:35 p.m.

ROLL CALL: Mayor Stephen Black
Mr. Mark Johnson, President
Mr. Richard S Turkington, Vice President
Mr. Christopher Freese
Mr. Clyde Jacobs
Mr. Brian Knezek
Mr. David Prosser
Mr. Michael Ranieri
Ms. Sharon B. Nesbitt, Secretary

MINUTES:

April 2, 2014: Mr. Prosser moved to approve the minutes of the April 2, 2014 Borough Council Meeting and was seconded by Mr. Knezek.

Motion Passed

FINANCIAL REPORT:

Mr. Turkington moved and Mr. Ranieri seconded to approve the April Financial Report.

Motion Passed

TRANSFERS:

Mr. Turkington moved and Mr. Freese seconded to approve the May transfers.

Motion Passed

BILLS:

Mr. Prosser moved and Mr. Turkington seconded to approve the May bills.

Motion Passed

FINANCE ISSUES:

ZONING REPORT:

Residential Occupancy Review Board Resolution No. 2014-01: Mr. Turkington moved and Mr. Prosser seconded to adopt Resolution No. 2014-01, which authorizes the

West Grove Borough Council to appoint a Residential Occupancy Review Board and set fees for application to the Review Board.

Motion Passed

PUBLIC WORKS:

Traffic and Parking Ordinance Amendment No. 2014-04: Mr. Prosser moved and Mr. Freese seconded to adopt Ordinance No. 2014-04, which regulates Traffic and Parking in the Borough of West Grove by adding to Section 5, Parking Prohibited at all times at West Hillcrest Avenue, south side, between Prospect Avenue and West 90 feet.

Motion Passed

Borough of West Grove – Street Sweeping: Mr. Nichols, Superintendent, announced that the subcontractor to sweep the streets in Borough of West Grove will start on Monday, May 19th for one week. Borough residents should sweep the gravel from their sidewalks and yards into the roadway and remove vehicles from the streets from 7:00 am to 4:30 p.m. until their roadway had been swept.

PUBLIC SAFETY:

Chief Galloway discussed his position of keeping the Police Department in its present state and not reducing it to Borough Council. President Johnson informed everyone that Mr. Turkington will give a presentation at the June Borough Council Meeting concerning the committee's findings.

West Grove Borough Junior Council Person Resolution No. 2014-02: Mr. Freese moved and Mr. Jacobs seconded to adopt Resolution No. 2014-02, which authorizes participation in the Pennsylvania State Association of Boroughs Junior Council Person Program.

Motion Passed

The members of the Junior Council Person Selection Committee are: Mr. Knezek, Chairman, Mr. Jacobs, Mr. Ranieri, Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Miller.

HOMETOWN STREET GRANT UPDATE:

PennDOT Construction Observation Selection Agreement: Mr. Ranieri moved and Mr. Prosser seconded to authorize President Johnson to sign the PennDOT Construction Observation Selection Agreement as required by the Hometown Streets Grant.

Motion Passed

PennDOT Transportation Enhancement Federal Aid Reimbursement Agreement Resolution No. 2014-03: Mr. Prosser moved and Mr. Ranieri seconded to adopt Resolution No. 2014-03, which authorizes the Borough of West Grove to enter into a Transportation Enhancements Program Federal Aid Reimbursement Agreement for the West Grove Community Streetscape (TE) Project.

Motion Passed

Zoning Ordinance Amendment – Parking in the R-3F Residential Zoning District:

The Borough of West Grove received the comments of the proposed Zoning Ordinance Amendment concerning the parking in the R-3F Residential Zoning District from the Chester County Planning Commission. Mr. Prosser moved and Mr. Freese seconded to authorize the advertisement of the proposed Zoning Ordinance Amendment – Parking in the R-3F Residential Zoning District.

Motion Passed

Stormwater Management Ordinance Fee Schedule Resolution No. 2014-04: Mr.

Turkington moved and Mr. Freese seconded to adopt Resolution No. 2014-04, which authorizes the fee schedule for the Borough of West Grove’s Stormwater Management Ordinance.

Motion Passed

West Grove Memorial Parade: The West Grove Memorial Parade will be held on Saturday, May 24, 2014 and start at the Avon Grove High School and 9:00 am.

Chief Galloway gave President Johnson a letter concerning the February Borough Council Minutes.

ADJOURNMENT:

Mr. Ranieri moved and Mr. Jacobs seconded to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon B. Nesbitt, Secretary

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