

## WEST GROVE BOROUGH COUNCIL

November 4, 2009

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The Regular Meeting of the West Grove Borough Council was held on Wednesday, October 7, 2009 in the West Grove Borough Municipal Building. The President, Richard S. Turkington, called the meeting to order at 7:35 p.m.

**ROLL CALL:**

- Mr. Stephen B. Black, Mayor
- Mr. Richard S. Turkington, President
- Mrs. Barbara Wood, Vice President
- Mr. Joe Colon
- Mr. Chris Ferrier
- Mr. Clyde Jacobs
- Mr. Curtis Barr
- Ms. Sharon B. Nesbitt, Secretary
- Mr. Timothy R Nichols, Superintendent

### **MINUTES:**

**October 7, 2009:** Mr. Ferrier moved to approve the minutes of the October 7, 2009 Borough Council Meeting and was seconded by Mr. Barr.

Motion Passed

### **FINANCIAL REPORT:**

Mrs. Wood moved and Mr. Barr seconded to approve the October Financial Report.

Motion Passed

### **TRANSFERS:**

Mr. Barr moved and Mr. Ferrier seconded to approve the November transfers.

Motion Passed

### **BILLS:**

Mrs. Wood moved and Mr. Barr seconded to approve the November bills.

Motion Passed

### **VISITORS:**

Suzanne Tretowicz discussed her proposal for 30 Prospect Avenue of putting her business, Pet Dynamix, a natural pet food store in the location. Mrs. Tretowicz asked for Borough Council's support of her zoning hearing application. After a general discussion, Borough Council informed her that they would support her Zoning Hearing Application.

Jeanne Thompson, 216 West Summit Avenue, complained about the noise in the library with the staff and patrons. President Turkington directed her to speak to Mr. Draper and Mrs. Franklin, Avon Grove Library Board Members, who were attending the Borough Council Meeting.

Rich Draper, Avon Grove Library Board Member, discussed with Borough Council the financial issues the library was having due to the decrease in funding from the state and county. Due to the decrease, the Avon Grove Library will be closed every Friday starting January 8, 2010 until further notice. Mr. Draper asked Borough Council to increase their contribution to the Avon

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Grove Library by \$1000 for 2010. President Turkington informed them they Council would take it into consideration.

Joyce O'Brien, 119 Hillside Avenue, asked Borough Council for some help with issues that she was having on Hillside Avenue. Mrs. O'Brien's car was spray painted last weekend. Mrs. O'Brien asked for more police presence on here street. Mayor Black will discuss the matter with Chief Galloway.

Bonnie Porter, asked when the lights would be replaced in the street lights that have been out. Mr. Nichols, Superintendent, informed Ms. Porter that the Borough is working with the vendor to try and troubleshoot the issues with the lights only working a few days after they are replaced and hopefully it will be resolved in the near future.

**FINANCE ISSUES:**

**Regional Household Hazardous Waste Collection Program:** Borough Council wanted to get additional information before they sign the commitment form.

**PUBLIC WORKS:**

**PUBLIC SAFETY:**

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

**METRO PCS CONDITIONAL Use Hearing Approval Resolution No. 2009-05:**

Mr. Ferrier moved and Mr. Barr seconded to approve Resolution No. 2005-05, the Resolution approving the Conditional Use Application of Metro PCS Pennsylvania, LLC as subject to certain conditions listed in the Resolution.

Motion Passed

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING & PARTY:** The annual Christmas Tree Lighting and Party will be held on Thursday, December 3, 2009.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION CALLED:**

President Turkington called an Executive Session at 8:25 p.m. to discuss a real estate matter. The Executive Session ended at 8:50 p.m. and President Turkington called the meeting back to order.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Mr. Colon moved and Mrs. Wood seconded to adjourn the meeting. Meeting adjourned at 8:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon B. Nesbitt, Secretary

