

MINUTES OF SEVEN VALLEYS BOROUGH
COUNCIL MEETING
Monday, June 6, 2011

Council Vice-President John A. McDonald called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm with the Salute to the Flag. Those in attendance in addition to Mr. McDonald were Council members Larry E. Garland, Gregory W. Kinard and Robin L. Venable, Mayor Steven A. Venable, Secretary Cheryl D. Bahn and Solicitor D. Michael Craley. Lynn W. Krebs, Edwin E. Zeigler and Rebecca Kinard were absent from the meeting. The meeting was held at the Seven Valleys Fire Company, 35 Main St, in Seven Valleys Borough.

Hearing no corrections, Vice-President McDonald declared the minutes of the May 2, 2011 meeting approved as circulated.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Mr. John McDonald reported that the locks were broken on the Old Jail. He presented the Borough with the State Police Report.

Mr. McDonald also forwarded Mr. Lynn Krebs concern that the driveway access to the Rail Trail Parking be paved. Secretary Bahn and Wayne Smith have been looking at this situation and Mr. Smith is in the process of contacting the owner, Mr. Glenn Eyster.

ENGINEER'S REPORT

The CDBGrant Application has been submitted to YCPC.

SOLICITOR'S PORTION OF THE MEETING

Mr. Craley reported on four items.

1. Penn Waste has contacted the Borough to ask that the Seven Valleys Borough Ordinance regarding Refuse Collection and fees to be updated to include provisions for the collection of their fees when they file a civil complaint against residents after they have not responded to requests for payment.
Motion made by Garland/G. Kinard to authorize Mr. Craley to draft changes to the Refuse Collection Ordinance including provisions that would allow the collection of fees incurred by the Contractor to collect delinquent accounts. Motion carried unanimously.
2. The Storm Water Ordinance will need to be updated according to State Mandate. Mr. Craley advises waiting until closer to the October 1, 2011 deadline to make the necessary changes.
3. York County's Department of Emergency Services and Vendor from Harris Corporation have been given authority to bring public safety agencies such as local governments onto the County-wide radio system. This is for those that feel it necessary for their agencies, and feel they want to purchase the equipment and pay an annual licensing fee. Since the Borough has no public works department, these radios are not needed.
4. GWM Land Development Status- They will need to apply for a Special Exception for any expansion of anon- conformity as well as an application for a variance for an expansion of more that 35%. A Seven Valleys Borough Planning Commission Meeting will be schedule when those applications are received by the Borough.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

No unfinished Business

NEW BUSINESS

Motion made by G. Kinard/Garland to authorize the Secretary to write a letter of acknowledgement regarding the Rail Trail 10-Miler to be held August 27, 2011, by the Arc of York County. Motion carried unanimously.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT - Period Ending 5/31/2011

PLGIT	\$ 3,077.75
Peoples Bank	\$ 110,949.45
York Federal Tax Collector Account	\$ 50.00
	\$ 114,077.20
PLGIT Balance State Liquid Fuels Fund	\$ 8,737.48

Motion made by R. Venable/G. Kinard to pay the bills as listed on the Financial Report as well as \$100.00 to Robert Whitmore and \$813.25 to Holley Associates and to approve the financial statement and place it on file for audit. Motion carried unanimously.

CORRESPONDENCE/REPORTS/AROUND THE TABLE

- Concerns that will be forwarded to Wayne Smith:
 - ❖ When will the driveway access to the Rail Trail Parking, on Glenn Eyster's property be paved?
 - ❖ Chickens on Maple Street Livestock must be kept 100' from any lot line.
 - ❖ Continued junk at 42 Main Street
- Property at 58 Church will be mowed Tuesday, June 7, 2011 by Forbes Services. A Municipal Lien will be placed on the property for the cost of the mowing and fees.
- The Handicapped Parking sign has been removed from Church Street as the person with the handicap has moved.
- York County Boroughs Association Meeting to be held June 23, 2011. RSVP by 6/6/2011.
- A letter was received from the West Nile Virus Program – York County reminding all of York County that mosquito surveillance has started in York County. If high adult mosquito populations are collected, spraying may be performed to reduce the human risk of West Nile Virus or for nuisance control. They are also creating a protocol to perform tick surveillance in York County. The survey can be found at <http://www.yorkpalyme.org/> Information can be found at www.extension.psu.edu/york.

With no further business to come before council Vice - President McDonald adjourned the meeting at 7:40 p.m. Next Borough Council Meeting will be Wednesday, July 6, 2011 at 7:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Cheryl D. Bahn, Secretary