

## Borough of Gordon Council Meeting Minutes October 9, 2018

The regular monthly meeting of Gordon Borough Council was held Tuesday, October 9, at 7:00 PM in the Gordon Municipal Building. Council present: Richard Babb, Shannon Dumboski, Tracy Hughes, Richard Korn and Jason Quick. Also, present was Solicitor Christopher Riedlinger. Council members Todd Houser, Jeffrey Hoffman and Mayor George Brocius were not present. Citizens present included: Carol Fetterolf, Leo Rauber and Lynn Korn.

Council Member Jason Quick called the meeting to order, confirmed a quorum by roll call, and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Public Comment** – Carol Fetterolf wanted Council to know that Pumpkin Glow will be held on October 20, 2018 AT 6:00 PM in the Park. Council then decided that Trick or Treat will be on October 31, 2018 from 6:00 PM TO 8:00 PM.

Leo Rauber questioned mold found in the Randy Huber building. Councilman Jason Quick informed him that the Code Enforcement Officer is taking care of it.

**Minutes:** A motion was made to approve the minutes of September 11, 2018 as presented by the secretary.

Motion: Tracy Hughes Second: Richard Korn

**Treasure Report:** The treasurer gave the financial report for the month of September. The Borough received income of \$7,630.89, had expenses of \$21,827.82 which left a deficit of \$14196.93. As of September 30, 2018 the General Account Balance was \$71,628.80 and the Motor Licensing Fund balance was \$69,460.49. Treasurer Moyer also informed the Council that she will be on Jury Duty October 16<sup>th</sup> and on vacation October 29<sup>th</sup> to November 2.

**Payment of Invoices:** A motion was made to pay the invoices for October.

Motion: Richard Babb Seconded: Tracy Hughes

**Mayor's Report:** Councilman Jason Quick gave the police report for September. Butler Township Police handled 21 calls and complaints.

**Code Enforcement Report:** Code Officer Richard Harris was not present and there was no Code Report.

**Fire Company Report:** It was announced that the Borough received the State check for the fireman's Relief Association and in turn gave the Citizen's Fire Company Relief Association a check in the amount of \$2,912.73.

**Solicitor's Report:** Christopher Reidlinger reported that he has not heard anything on our bid for the property on Hobart Street.

**Communications/Committee Reports:** A letter had been received from the Ashland Library requesting a donation. It was agreed to send a \$50.00 donation.

Motion: Tracy Hughes Seconded: Richard Korn

**Old Business:** Jason Quick informed Council that we still have not gotten the street lights in the new development. Also, work in the playground is moving to completion.

**New Business:** Councilman Jason Quick asked for the Council to consider getting pest control for the building. Ehrlich gave a quote of \$45.00 per month – \$540.00 per year for pest control. The Fire Company agreed to pay half and the Borough's cost would be \$270.00 per year. A motion was made to accept.

Motion: Richard Babb Seconded: Richard Korn

Councilman Jason Quick then asked for approval of a price for concrete for the new pole building. He had received three bids of \$5100.00, \$4600.00 and \$3,895.50. The lowest bid consisted of \$2215.50 for concrete and \$1,680.00 for labor by a contractor. A motion was made to accept the lowest bid.

Motion: Shannon Dumboski Seconded: Tracy Hughes

Councilman Jason Quick then requested approval for the purchase of material designed to fill spider cracking and small potholes at the cost of \$499.00 for four buckets. The cost could be covered under Liquid Fuels. He said he would like to try it and see how it works. Also, he stated that next year he is planning on tarring and chipping alleys. A motion was made to approve the purchase.

Motion: Richard Korn Seconded: Richard Babb

Councilman Jason Quick also informed the board that CBDG Grant from the County will no longer include the fishing platform, but will still cover making the pathways, parking lot and bridge handicap accessible. There will be a CBDG hearing on October 17, 2018 on the project.

**Public Comment:** – None

The next meeting will be held on November 13, 2018 at 7:00 pm at the Gordon Borough Municipal Building.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30PM. Motion to Adjourn: Richard Korn Seconded: Shannon Dumboski

\*All motions unanimous unless noted.

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_ Cathy Moyer, Secretary /Treasurer November 13, 2018