

Public Meeting
April 15th, 2019

Meeting was opened by G. Gilbert at 6:30pm. Those present were M. Mevoli, P. McConnell, J. Granstrom, and P. Moses. J. McCleary and T. Branella were absent. The Solicitor was Timothy Higgins, Esq..

This Meeting was advertised in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act, and complies with all the laws therein.

MEETING MINUTES: Regular and Executive March 18th, 2019 Meeting

Motion - P. McConnell

2nd - P. Moses

All In Favor: Carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Motion - P. Moses

2nd - M. Mevoli

All in Favor: Carried.

ENGINEER'S REPORT

Greg Fusco, Kei Engineering, gave a brief review of the engineer report. He recommended that council approve a resolution for the award of the bid for USDA Sliplining project. The borough and contractor negotiated a price that was acceptable on both sides. Administrator Giles said they will be adding the approval to the meeting. Everyone thanked Mr. Fusco for his time.

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Nothing noted from the public.

RESOLUTION No. 86-2019 - Appointment of Provisional Police Officer - Joshua Blackiston

Motion - J. Granstrom

2nd - P. Moses

Approved through Roll Call Vote: 5-0.

Swearing In of New Full Time Police Officer Joshua Blackiston by Solicitor Higgins

OLD BUSINESS

Ordinance:

Public Hearing

(Introduced March 18th, 2019)

ORDINANCE No. 4-2019 - Ordinance of the Borough of Brooklawn, County of Camden, Amending Chapter 114, Property Maintenance, in the Code of the Borough of Brooklawn

Public Hearing – Nothing Noted from the Public.

Motion – M. Mevoli

2nd – P. Moses

Approved through Roll Call Vote: 5-0.

Public Hearing

(Introduced March 18th, 2019)

ORDINANCE No. 5-2019 - Ordinance of the Borough of Brooklawn, County of Camden, Amending Chapter 60, Brush, Grass and Weeds, of the Code of the Borough of Brooklawn

Public Hearing – Nothing Noted from the Public.

Motion – M. Mevoli

2nd – P. McConnell

Approved through Roll Call Vote: 5-0.

Municipal Budget:

RESOLUTION No. 85-2019 - Authorization to Read 2019 Municipal Budget by Title Only (Roll Call Vote)

Motion – M. Mevoli

2nd – J. Granstrom

Approved through Roll Call vote: 5-0.

Public Hearing

(Introduced March 18th, 2019)

2019 Municipal Budget by Title Only

Motion – M. Mevoli

2nd – P. Moses

Approved through Roll Call vote: 5-0.

Resolutions:

The items listed below are considered to be routine by the Borough of Brooklawn and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no formal discussion of these items. If discussion is desired, this item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and will be considered separately. (Motion to approve/deny all Resolutions listed under the Consent Agenda by Roll Call Vote)

RESOLUTION No. 87-2019 - Authorize the Support of the Distracted Driving Crackdown Grant, UDrive, UText, UPay for 2019

RESOLUTION No. 88-2019 – Authorization to Execute Contract Agreement the Cooper Health System for Employee Assistance Program (EAP)

RESOLUTION No. 89-2019 – Awarding AC Shultes, Inc. for Redevelopment of Wells No.1 and No.3 under the USDA Water Project with the Low Bid of \$63,200

RESOLUTION No. 90-2019 – Appointment of Fire sub Code Inspector – David Munoz

Motion – M. Mevoli

2nd – P. Moses

Approved through Roll Call vote: 5-0.

Approval of payment of bills: \$ 266,165.86

Motion – P. McConnell

2nd – M. Mevoli

Approved through Roll Call vote: 5-0.

Communications:

- Easter Egg Hunt – Sunday, April 20, 2019 (beginning at noon) Memorial Park
- Arbor Day Festivities with Alice Costello School – Monday, April 29, 2019 (9 am)
- Spring Fair & Paper Shred Event - Community Center Saturday, May 11, 2019
Noon – 4 pm

Open to Council:

Councilman Granstrom talked about speeding on Timber Avenue. After a brief discussion, DPW Superintendent was asked to put up temporary speed bumps on Timber Boulevard. Councilman Granstrom also talked about out of towners parking on the number streets during baseball games at the American Legion field or Harry Boulden field. After a long discussion, the governing body asked that signs be placed at the street entrance of Fourth, Fifth, and Sixth Street that say “Resident Parking Only.” Everyone feels that this may be a deterrent to the people looking for parking. Councilman Mevoli asked the Administrator to contact the coaches of the teams and direct them to park at the church parking lot.

Councilwoman McConnell had some questions about our swift 911 program. Chief Ellis and Administrator Giles answered all her questions.

Motion to Adjourn – P. Moses

2nd – J. Granstrom

All in Favor: Adjourned.

Ryan Giles

Borough Clerk