

BOROUGH OF SLATINGTON

The Public Safety, Finance/Planning/Zoning, and Human/Community Services Committee Workshop Meeting was held on June 23, 2014 in Council Room, 125 South Walnut Street, Slatington, PA.

The meeting was called to order by Vice President Neff at 6:30 PM with the following in attendance:

PRESENT

Gwyneth Neff
David Schnaars
Jon Rinker

ABSENT

OTHERS

VISITORS

Carol Gildner George Moyer
Robert Hertzog Jr. Melvin Gildner
Patrice Huntsicker Amanda Trelease
Kris Burek

VISITORS-

George Moyer, 231 Main Street- stated that it was addressed at today’s Slatington Borough Authority Meeting, why the minutes aren’t being posted on the Borough’s website. Vice President Neff stated that she will look into it and let him know.

Patrice Huntsicker, Mint Construction- addressed the Committee; and stated that she was asked to give a quote for the three roofs, Springside, Borough Hall and the Vigilant. She asked if the Committee received the estimates; Vice President Neff stated yes. Ms. Huntsicker noted that if they had any questions please don’t hesitate to ask.

Robert Stettner, 44 S. Walnut Street- was at the meeting on behalf of, Slatington Parks and Recreation and the Walnut Street Playground Association. He gave the Committee 3 estimates for bleachers for the West End Playground. Mr. Stettner explained that before Bill Stein passed away he secured a grant for \$500.00 from the Slatington Rotary Club. He would like to use that money to purchase bleachers for the park. Councilor Rinker recommended that we purchase the cheapest set and use the remainder of the funds to secure them to the ground. Mr. Stettner agreed that was a good idea.

Robert Stettner noted that on August 9, 2014 Parks and Recreation will be sponsoring a 5k race. He said they will be using the trailhead for parking and the opening ceremony. He is asking for this to be on the agenda for the next Council Meeting.

Mr. Stettner noted that he knows the Borough crew is shorthanded. However, they haven’t begun the work on the leak at the Walnut Street playground. He asked the Committee if they know an approximate date on when the work will begin. Councilor Schnaars asked if anyone put in a work order for the repairs, he stated that he will follow up on it and let him know.

PUBLIC SAFETY-

Jon Rinker – Chairman; Members: Gwyneth Neff, David Schnaars

Nothing at this time

There were no further questions from the committee members, other Council members and so the Public Safety Committee Meeting was adjourned

FINANCE/PLANNING/ZONING

Gwyneth Neff – Chairman; Members: Jon Rinker, David Schnaars

Vice President Neff stated that we received two quotes for the 3 roofs. The Committee is requesting for this to be placed on the agenda for the next Council Meeting.

There were no questions from the committee members, other Council members and so the Finance/Planning/Zoning Committee Meeting was adjourned.

HUMAN COMMUNITY SERVICES-

David Schnaars– Chairman; Members: Jon Rinker, Gwyneth Neff

1. Request for the annual Halloween Parade–Councilor Schnaars the Parade Committee would like to hold their annual Halloween Parade on Saturday, October 25, 2014, at 6:00 p.m. It will be taking place on the regular route, with the same requests as last year. The Committee is requesting for this to be placed on the agenda for the next Council Meeting.
2. Bleachers for West End Playground- Councilor Schnaars noted that he likes Councilor Rinkers idea to secure the bleachers to the ground. The Committee is requesting for this to be placed on the agenda for the next Council Meeting.

There were no questions from the committee members, other Council members and so the Human Community Services Committee Meeting was adjourned.

SLATINGTON SESQUICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE-

David Schnaars– Chairman; Members: Gwyneth Neff, Jon Rinker

Councilor Schnaars stated that they have received the fliers that will be hung all around town with the different events listed.

There were no further questions from the committee members, and so the Sesquicentennial Committee Meeting was adjourned.

Councilor Schnaars adjourned the meeting at 6:41 P.M.

Karen Gill
Assistant Borough Secretary