

BOROUGH OF SLATINGTON

The Public Safety, Finance/Planning/Zoning, and Human/Community Services Committee Workshop Meetings were held on February 2, 2015 in Council Room, 125 South Walnut Street, Slatington, PA 18080.

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

PRESENT

Gwyneth Neff
Jon Rinker
David Schnaars
Joseph Wechsler

ABSENT

VISITORS

Bob Steets

Visitors - None

FINANCE/PLANNING/ZONING

Joseph Wechsler – Chairman; Members: David Schnaars, Jon Rinker

1. Inspection service options-Councilman Wesler would like to modify resolution 2004-13 or 1304, Section 2 – list of inspectors. There have been a lot of complaints having only one (1) inspection service. An option was suggested to have a choice. Duane Dellecker was asked what would be involved. Duane stated Council would have to instruct the solicitor to review and come up with a modified resolution. Authorization would also have to be given for an additional two (2) inspection agencies.

The committee is requesting for this to be placed on the agenda for the next council meeting.

2. Vice President Neff suggested further discussion on the clarification of inspection and permit fees due to confusion on fees. Committee is seeking to obtain a flat fee: \$25.00 for residence and \$75.00 for business.

The committee is requesting for this to be placed on the agenda for the next council meeting.

3. Leases for State Rep. Julie Harhart, Steckel & Stopp, and Florists Insurance

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; the Finance Committee Meeting was adjourned.

PUBLIC SAFETY

Jon Rinker-Chairman; Members: Joseph Wechsler, David Schnaars

1. Dash camera for police car - The committee is asking this be put on the agenda for the next council meeting.
2. Oracle – The committee members is asking this to be put on the agenda for the next council meeting.
3. Emergency Generator – Councilor Jon Rinker has received two (2) quotes and is waiting for a third quote. The committee is asking this to be put on the agenda for the next council meeting.
4. Bicycle License - Councilor Jon Rinker recommended to reinstate a \$2.00 bicycle fee. The committee is asking this to be put on the agenda for the next council meeting.

There were no questions from the committee members; the Public Safety Committee Meeting was adjourned.

HUMAN/COMMUNITY SERVICES

David Schnaars – Chairman; Members: Joseph Wechsler, Jon Rinker

1. Peer to Peer Study- Councilor Schnaars is seeking to change the agreement with Washington Township to have Slatington Borough and Washington Township have more of an equal representation.
2. Community Yard Sale-Councilor Rinker suggested to have a community yard sale. Details will have to be looked into, i.e, waive registration fee, whole weekend or just one day.

3. Councilman Jon Rinker looking into organizing the local farmers to sell their produce. Looking into locations for event.
4. Councilman Rinker continues to work with the Heritage and Historical societies in order to work together.
5. Electronic Recycling-Councilor Schnaars is researching the possibility of a certified recycle company come to be available for the Borough for recycling periodically.
6. Running of the Dogs - The committee is asking this to be put on the agenda for the next council meeting

There were no questions from the committee members; the Human Community Services Committee Meeting was adjourned.

SLATINGTON SESQUICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE

David Schnaars – Chairman; Members: Joseph Wechsler, Jon Rinker

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

Chairman Schnaars made a motion to adjourn at 7:14 P.M.

Karen Gill
Assistant Borough Secretary