BOROUGH OF SLATINGTON

The Water, Sewer/Solid Waste, and Highway Committee Workshop Meetings were held on October 23, 2023 in Municipal Building, 125 South Walnut Street, Slatington, PA.

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

PRESENT

ABSENT Jeralyn Schoch **OTHERS**

VISITORS

Thomas Bartholomew

Daniel Stevens

Kris Burek

Joseph Wechsler-via phone

Justin Gross

Bryon Reed

Jeffrey Hausman

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

A. HIGHWAY

Jeffrey Hausman - Chairman; Members: Joseph Wechsler, Bryon Reed

- 1. Committee Member Discussion:
 - a. Manager Stevens stated that this line will be bored under the roadway without any disturbance to the macadam. The committee approved the Verizon line on Sunrise Lane.
 - b. Request from So. Walnut Street Bridge project for temporary parking along Factory Street. PennDOT did not send a representative to the meeting. Justin Gross stated that temporary parking cannot be done on Factory Street. Manager Stevens provided a map marked with all the properties that will get a temporary construction easement, except for the one where they are taking the property. These residents will temporarily lose their parking. The committee discussed possible parking locations for these residents.
 - c. Discussion and update on South Street CDBG. Justin Gross informed the committee that on South Street, between Main and Second Street, the north side will be done this week; south side was done last week. Justin added that it will all be cleaned up and the binder will be down in time for the parade.
 - d. Update on two H₂O and Small Water and Sewer grants. Manager Stevens stated that he had spoken with State Senator Coleman and their office is trying to prioritize them. There is no new information on the status of the 3 grants.

Being no further questions from the committee members, and so the Highway Committee Meeting was adjourned.

B. SEWER

Joseph Wechsler - Chairman; Members: Bryon Reed, Jeffrey Hausman

- 1. Committee Member Discussion:
 - a. The committee reviewed a quote from Parkson for brush subassembly and stainless screen for the Helsieve in the amount of \$11,331.00 (less 10% discount if ordered before Thanksgiving) This will be billed in 2024. The committee agreed to place this on the next regular council agenda.

Being no further questions from the committee members, the Sewer Committee meeting was adjourned.

C. WATER/SPECIAL SEWER COMMITTEE

Bryon Reed - Chairman; Members: Jeffrey Hausman, Joseph Wechsler

- 1. Committee Member Discussion:
 - a. Discuss water at fireman's statue. Manager Stevens informed the committee that they will have to dig up the shutoff to repair it. Councilor Hausman had suggested scheduling the work at night because the water to the area must be shut off for a couple of hours. Plans will be discussed over the winter to be ready for the spring.
 - b. Update on the control panel project. Councilor Reed does not have any new information.

Councilor Reed suggested purchasing our own shoring. President Bartholomew requested Manager Stevens to obtain quotes. Manager Stevens said he is already checking on it.

Being no further questions from the committee members, and so the Water/Special Sewer Committee Meeting was adjourned.

D. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS: None

E. COURTESY TO THE FLOOR: None

Councilor Reed made a motion, duly seconded by Councilor Hausman, to adjourn. All in favor. President Bartholomew adjourned the meeting at 7:02 PM.

Daniel L. Stevens Borough Secretary