

WYALUSING BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING
Wyalusing Borough Hall
December 4, 2023 @ 7:00pm

The Wyalusing Borough Council held their council meeting at the Wyalusing Borough Hall on Monday December 4, 2023, at 7:00pm. Those in attendance were:

Council Members: Josh Kilmer, Josh VanDeMark, Micah Dietz, Brooks Blemle, Dr Dee Huber

Absent: Susan Burgess, Cynthia Henning

Others: Heather Snyder, WMA Secretary/Treasurer; Bruce Pitts, Public Works, Trooper Joseph Mitchell PA State Police, John Naugle Rotary club.

Public: - Bailey Tessier - Rocket Courier, Erik Berggren-Daily Review

Mayor's Report:

- November police report was submitted by Trooper Mitchell. Trooper Mitchell talked about the Wyalusing borough policing issues. He stated the borough was doing all the right things to keep its residents safe. He suggested that residents be aware of their surroundings and be a "hard target" install cameras, keep house/car doors locked, keep items picked up etc. He felt a community watch was not needed in the borough, because the borough is already a tight knit community. He suggested holding a town hall type meeting where the residents could come and discuss concerns/issues with a trooper.

Citizen's Comments and Concerns:

- None

Approval of Minutes: The Minutes of the November 6, 2023, Council meeting was reviewed by Council members. There were no corrections to the minutes as presented. Deitz made the motion to accept the minutes as presented, seconded by Blemle. The motion was carried unanimously by voice vote.

The minutes from Special Council Meeting on November 20,2023 was reviewed by Council members. There were no corrections to the minutes as presented. VanDeMark made the motion to accept the minutes as presented, seconded by Blemle. The motion was carried unanimously by voice vote.

Treasurer's Report: Dr. Huber made the motion to pay the bills as presented, seconded by Deitz. The motion was carried unanimously by voice vote. The Treasurer's Report was reviewed by Council members. The President accepted the report, and it was filed for audit.

Borough Maintenance/Ordinance Enforcement Officer Report:

- Leaf pick up ended December 1, 2023
- Lights not working on Main St – Hud is aware.
- 2024 truck has arrived.
- Need to work on fallen trees at Creekside Park
- Suggestion for additional parking at Creekside is the left side of road going to kayak launch. Kilmer asked for dimensions of the parking area.
- 2 cars were removed from the borough due to door hangers being sent out.
- Barking dog issue. Bruce is going to speak to the dog owner about the issue.
- Repair radio equipment for the trucks. The council approved.
- Salt shed is starting to lean – needs addressed in the future.
- Kilmer asked if there are some preventive measures to address the rusting of new truck. IE run through car wash after snow event.

Foster Correspondence and Report:

Wyalusing Municipal Authority Liaison Report:

- The council reviewed WMA minutes from the October 10, 2023, meeting.
- Pump down on the hill sections this morning. – problem fixed

Correspondence: The following correspondence was reviewed by Council members:

- (1) Wyalusing Borough Council Minutes November 6, 2023
- (2) Minutes from WMA monthly meeting November 14, 2023.
- (3) Public Works/Code Enforcer Report
- (4) Wyalusing Borough Council Special Meeting minutes November 20, 2023.
- (5) Wyalusing Municipal Authority Special Meeting November 22, 2023

New Business:

- John Naugle – Rotary Club. Asked to have a Disc Golf Tournament to help raise money to fund the port a john for Creekside Park. The council approved this idea. Naugle will present to the Rotary Club to move forward.

Old Business:

- No old business discussed.

Meeting adjourned at 7:34

Submitted by,

Heather Snyder
WMA Secretary/Treasurer