

WYALUSING BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING
Wyalusing Borough Hall
September 11, 2023 @ 7:00pm

The Wyalusing Borough Council held their council meeting at the Wyalusing Borough Hall on Monday September 11, 2023, at 7:00pm. Those in attendance were:

Council Members: Josh Kilmer, Josh VanDeMark, Brooks Blemle, Dee Huber

Absent: Susan Burgess, Micah Dietz

Others: Cynthia Henning, Secretary/Treasurer; Bruce Pitts, Public Works,

Public: Tessier Bailey - Rocket Courier, Jeff Smith, Bruce Ashley, Melissa Harsch, Mr. Harsch

Mayor's Report:

- Police report for August 2023 was submitted.

Citizen's Comments and Concerns:

- Jeff Smith – complaint about barking dogs on the corner of State St. and John St. Code enforcer will follow up with solicitor on next step.
- Melissa Harsch – Complaint about neighbor Chuck Howard, property line dispute. Not a borough issue. Needs to talk to lawyer, surveyor, etc. civil suit.
- Bruce Ashley – requesting more money for excessive clean up at Creekside Park. Bruce will submit a invoice for extra work and the council will review at October's meeting. Bruce Ashley also requested that borough park be rolled, where the carnival put ruts in the ground. Bruce Ashley will follow up with Fire Company to have completed.

Approval of Minutes: The Minutes of the August 7, 2023, Council meeting were reviewed by Council members. There were no corrections to the Minutes as presented. Hueber made the motion to accept the minutes as presented, seconded by Blemle. The motion was carried unanimously by voice vote.

Treasurer's Report: VanDeMark made the motion to pay the bills as presented seconded by Hueber. 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:

- Contacting companies to do crack sealing this fall.
- Creekside cleaned up flood debris and railroad tie. Someone ran over dog station. Need to add rocks/boulders to keep cars out of certain areas.
- Added wood chips to playground at borough park.

- Brewer Hollow creek crossing blocked – will contact Conner’s excavating to remove debris.
- EMC suggested to share with Wyalusing township Nancy Conner – Bruce will reach out to Nancy.
- Bruce Pitts vacation approved for October 23-27, 2023.

Foster Correspondence and Report:

Wyalusing Municipal Authority Liaison Report:

- The council reviewed WMA minutes from the last meeting.
- Headworks project going out for bid within the month.
- WMA secretary hours changed to 8:30 – 3:00 with a review in 3 mths

Correspondence: The following correspondence was reviewed by Council members:

- (1) Wyalusing Borough Council Minutes August 7, 2023
- (2) Minutes from WMA monthly meeting August 8,2023.
- (3) Public Works/Code Enforcer Report
- (4) August 2023 Police Report
- (5) Guardian Greenspace Drawing & Cost Quote

New Business:

- E-recycle is scheduled for May 4, 2023

A motion was made by VanDeMark to approve Selective Insurance for 2023/2024 and seconded by Hueber. The motion was carried unanimously by voice vote.

- Police presence in the borough – Trooper Mitchell will be attending December meeting for further discussion.

Old Business:

- (1) Update on Creekside Park.
- (2) Basketball court- MR Dirt came to clean up rocks left from grading.
- (3) Guardian Greenspace – Drawing and Quote will vote at October’s Meeting

Meeting adjourned at 7:50

Submitted by,

Cynthia Henning
Secretary/Treasurer