Archbald Borough Council Meeting Wednesday, May 3, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by President Maria Tomassoni. A moment of Silence was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. Roll Call: Owen, Mancuso, Munley Shnipes, Jr., Grandinetti and Hart present. Mayor Barrett was in attendance.

Mayor Barrett - Presentation of Proclamation Honoring Brett Uhrin

Public Input

David Lamereaux from KBA spoke on the MS4 storm water permit. Must be filed by September 2017.

Brian and Maria Wrightson from Hampton Drive stated the pavement in front of their property is wrong after the project. Mr. Wrightson stated there is a puddle by landscaping and asked if Site Service can be contacted.

Robby Turlip gave an update on the banner Program. Mr. Turlip state there are 46 banners in Archbald and 10 banners in Eynon.

Charles Wazniak, president of the Homeowners Association in Cloverleaf Development spoke about an ongoing problem with the noise coming from P&R Grocery Store on Route 6. He stated the trucks are running all day and are violation the nuisance ordinance.

Margaret and Tony Freda are residents in Cloverleaf Development and are also concerns about the ongoing noise coming from P&R.

Renee Field 122 Handley Street Eynon spoke about plowing the rear of her property which is the alley by the school. Mr. Shnipes, Jr. stated this alley will be plowed.

Lisa Thomas and Stanley Kucharski spoke about cracks in front of their homes which may be from water running down from Pierce Street. Mr. Shnipes, Jr. stated that he and Mr. Zielinski will look at it Thursday.

New Business

Owen stated she would like to work on getting Forestry Grant.

Munley discussed reducing grass cutting time on Staback Park by purchasing new equipment and lessoning areas to mow. Mr. Munley stated DCNR will allow the borough to sell ads which can be placed on certain fences at the park.

Mancuso stated the flags in Memorial Park will be replaced by Memorial Day.

Shnipes, Jr. had nothing at this time.

Grandinetti had nothing t this time

Hart wished everyone a happy and safe Memorial Day.

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Motions

Motion by Shnipes, Jr., second by Owen to approve the minutes of the April 12, 2017 regular Council Meeting. All in favor, motion carried.

Motion by Munley, second by Shnipes, Jr. to accept Reports – Treasurer, Building Inspector and Mayor's Report. All in favor, motion carried.

Motion by Hart, second by Shnipes, Jr. authorizing payment of December General Fund bills totaling \$133,638.13, Memorial Park Fund bill totaling \$75.00, LSA Phase 1 Access Road Grant totaling \$50.00, 902 Recycling Grant Fund totaling \$10.00 and LSA American Legion Post 869 Grant totaling \$17.00. Roll call vote, all in favor. Motion carried.

Motion by Owen, second by Shnipes, Jr. to approve a Resolution to enter into a Cooperation Agreement with County of Lackawanna for the Joyce Street Storm Water Improvement Project. Roll call vote, all in favor. Motion carried.

Motion by Grandinetti, second by Owen to engage the services of the Scranton Music Association band for Memorial Day for a cost of \$750.00. Roll call vote. Owen, Mancuso, Shnipes, Jr., Grandinetti, Hart and Tomassoni for it, Munley against. 6-1 for, Motion carried.

Motion by Munley, second by Owen to allow the Hero Banner Program to use 5 lamp posts in High School Plaza Memorial Park. All in favor. Motion carried.

Motion by Shnipes, Jr., second by Owen to adjourn. All in favor, motion carried.

Attest:

Archbald Borough

Dawn Rudalavage

Borough Secretary-Treasurer

Maria Tomassoni

President of Council

Minutes prepared by Dawn M. Rudalavage, Borough Secretary-Treasurer