

CARMICHAELS BOROUGH

March 9, 2022

5:00 P.M.

Pledge of Allegiance

PRESENT: Marianne Gideon, Mark Hanley, Ralph Ewart, Allen Anderson, David Antonini, Solicitor Dennis Makel, Chief Bryan Smith, Officer Craig Miller

BY PHONE: Code Enforcement Officer Mark Gordon

VISITOR: Robert Miller

ABSENT: Mayor Melodie Berardi

Minutes: Motion made by Mark Hanley to approve the minutes of the last meeting. Seconded by Allen Anderson. Motion carried.

Bills: Motion made by Ralph Ewart to pay the current bills. Seconded by Mark Hanley. Motion carried.

Code Enforcement: Report emailed to Council. Triple M Garage is currently under citation, as well as Mr. Miller himself and the owner of the property with an upcoming hearing on March 31st.

Discussion with Robert Miller of Triple M Garage regarding condition of the property and ongoing line of sight issues blocking vision of motor vehicles entering Vine Street from South Street. Engine blocks and other equipment that is sitting outside the building needs to be secured for the safety of the community.

Property needs to be brought into compliance with clean-up of the property. Code Enforcement will work with Mr. Miller to resolve the situation. Borough will see if there is a One-Way sign to the exit from the garage onto South Street, which is a One-Way Street.

Police – Report emailed to Council

The police department was commended on their handling of the incident at Circle K. Craig Miller reported on safety protocols in place at the school.

Motion made by Mark Hanley to allow Cumberland Township Police Chief, Bryan Smith, access to the security cameras at the Borough building. Seconded by Marianne Gideon. Motion carried with 4 voting yes and 1 voting no.

Correspondence - None

Administration

Motion made by Mark Hanley to increase the limit of the credit card issued to the Borough Secretary/Treasurer, Shelley Anderson, to \$1,200. Seconded by David Antonini. Motion carried.

Discussion regarding the increased charges on the electric bill which are due to the HVAC system, the colder weather, and the increased charge of kilowatts.

Renewal registration with S.A.M (System for Award Management) was completed free of charge. The office received numerous emails from individuals attempting to collect money to complete the registration for the Borough, which were not affiliated in any way with the government.

Streets

Purchase of replacement signs – tabled.

Motion made by Mark Hanley to pay the invoice of \$1,683.38 to BB&T for repair and replacement of the gas tank for the borough truck. Seconded by Marianne Gideon. Motion carried.

Solicitor – nothing new to report

Engineer – Report emailed to Council

Motion made by Mark Hanley to approve the paving project of Cranberry Alley by Ten Mile Paving in the amount of \$7,826.00. Seconded by Marianne Gideon. Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Resolution to participate in the Jr. Council Person Program – tabled.

Resolution to appoint Zoning Board Members – tabled.

Resolutions to update the Emergency Operations Plan – tabled

Motion made by Mark Hanley to advertise Ordinance 1, 2 & 3 from the County. Seconded by David Antonini. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS - None

Motion made by Mark Hanley to continue the meeting at President's Call. Seconded by Ralph Ewart. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Shelley Anderson, Secretary/Treasurer