

BOROUGH OF EDDYSTONE
BOROUGH COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

April 12, 2021

7:00 P.M.

The Borough of Eddystone Borough Council held the April 12, 2021 Regular Council Meeting via Zoom with the following members present: Council President William Stewart, Vice President Robert Yannuzzi, Councilmembers Chris Sprague, Justin Hartline, Karen Reeves, Beth Gross and Stan Sigda. Also present Engineer Lisa Catania, Solicitor Peter Amuso, Brinker Simpson and Mayor Reeves.

President Stewart called the meeting to order followed by Roll Call and Prayer by Rev. Ethel Guy.

Presentation:

Women's National History Month Eddystone Elementary School 4th Grade Winners presented their essays on their very special people. From Miss. Brooks class Missael Nunez who wrote a very special story about his mom read his story both in Spanish and English. From Mrs. McGovern's class Salma Gaballa read her story about her special person being her Granma, both essays were very nice and all could tell how special these people are to our students. Both Salma & Missael received a bouquet of flowers with a \$50 gift card for their hard work. President Stewart recognized Despo Tatasciore for her commitment for many years to the Women's National History Month and now thanks Councilwoman Karen Reeves for taking over and continuing this well-deserved recognition for Eddystone Elementary students.

Councilwoman Beth Gross shared Eddystone History stories from 100 years ago in town.

Aero Aggregate representative Archi Filshill presented a update on the Aero site providing information for Eddystone to know the large piles are slowly moving. Archie stated how much has been delayed but showed how the piles in the middle/back area are slowly moving to Philadelphia Airport for a major project. Eddystone will soon start to see piles go down in size as they hope to have the piles moving in the next 6 weeks. Archie plans on having new structures to cover the piles in the near future.

Both John Hanna & Drew Hanna from Mingis, Gutowski & Company presented our annual audit update. John Hanna thanked Eddystone Borough and Brinker Simpson on the record time this audit was completed. John Hanna recognized the quick feedback from Eddystone Borough and Brinker Simpson that was provided for Drew Hanna to ensure prompt completion for Eddystone Borough 2020 audit.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Randy Perry shared that he flew his drone during the Eddystone Easter Egg Hunt and noticed problems with LHH roof. Engineer Lisa Catania asked for Randy to send the video and she will send Drew down to look at the roof.

Jesse Coulter requested the Borough to do something about the heavy trucks coming thru town along with the 79 cars running the stop sign at 12 & Ashland Ave, speed bumps and enforcement cameras were requested.

ENGINEERS REPORT:

Lisa Catania's report

RIGHT TO KNOW SUBMISSIONS:

All satisfied

DISCUSSION:

RCAP location and costs discussed and recommended for public meeting for residents to be included once we have better idea of costs.

President Stewart announced Eddystone Community Clean Up Day on behalf of Mayor Reeves for this Saturday, April 17, 2021 from 9 am til noon with 3 free bulk pick-ups per property once called in and scheduled to the Boro office, NO ELECTRONICS will be picked up.

Action Items

Motion: Approval of Minutes from Zoom Regular Council Meeting (03/08/2021) and Zoom Workshop (04/05/2021) Motion made by Beth Gross, 2nd by Chris Sprague, Motion carries 7-0

Motion: To approve the Treasurer's Report for the month of March 2021 as reported by Donna Stilwell of Brinker Simpson, Motion made Chris Sprague, 2nd by Justin Hartline, Motion carries 7-0

Motion: To approve the Cash Receipts & Disbursements Journal for the month of March 2021 as reported by Donna Stilwell of Brinker Simpson, Motion made by Chris Sprague, 2nd by Stan Sigda, Motion carries 7-0

Motion: To approve the Police Report for the month of March 2021 as presented by Chief Mokshefsky Motion made by Beth Gross, 2nd by Karen Reeves, Motion carries 7-0

Motion: To approve the Fire Report for the month of March 2021 as reported by Dawn Jones for Chief Terry Burke, Motion made by Chris Sprague, 2nd by Stan Sigda, Motion carries 7-0

Motion: To approve the BCO's report for the month of March 2021 as presented by BCO Catania Motion made by Chris Sprague, 2nd by Justin Hartline, Motion carries 7-0

Motion: To approve the Health Report for the month of March 2021 as presented by Dawn Jones Motion made by Chris Sprague, 2nd by Stan Sigda, Motion carries 7-0

Motion: To approve the hiring of Matthew Dolente and Cody Lundberg to the position of part time EMS with Eddystone Borough, Motion made by Chris Rob Yannuzzi, 2nd by Chris Sprague, Motion carries 7-0

Motion: To approve the hiring of the two new EMT's Alec Bernes and Malika Tender, Motion made by Chris Sprague, 2nd by Rob Yannuzzi, Motion carries 7-0

Motion: To approve the authorization for BID of the 2021 Roads Program, Motion made by Chris Sprague, 2nd by Stan Sigda, Motion carries 7-0

Motion: To approve authorization to announce the RFP for the 291 Corridor Study, Motion made by Karen Reeves, 2nd by Beth Gross, Motion carries 7-0

Motion: To approve Resolution 2021-6 Eddystone Borough Financial Accounts, Motion made by Chris Sprague, 2nd by Rob Yannuzzi, Motion carries 7-0

Motion: To appoint Charles (Chuck) Cowan as Eddystone History Museum Curator, Motion made by Beth Gross, 2nd by Stan Sigda, Motion carries 7-0

Motion: To approve Chief Mokshefsky to purchase a new Eddystone Police Car thru Costars with New Holland Fleet, Fulton Bank as to waiting any longer with previous dealer taking over 18 months, Motion made by Stan Sigda, 2nd by Beth Gross, Motion carries 7-0

ADJOURNMENT: Motion made by Beth Gross, 2nd by Chris Sprague. Motion carries 7-0.

Submitted by,

Borough Manager,

Borough of Eddystone