

BOROUGH OF EDDYSTONE
BOROUGH COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

October 15, 2024

7:00 P.M.

The Borough of Eddystone Borough Council held the July 8, 2024 Regular Council Meeting with the following members present: President Bannon, Vice President Stewart, Council members Bill Bolton, Beth Gross+, Mandy Hall, Randy Perry and Rachael Walker. Mayor Ron Hughes, Professional Services present Borough Solicitor Tim Possenti, and Brinker Simpson, Marcy Delorenzo.

President Bannon called the meeting to order followed by Roll Call and then Prayer.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

11/4/2024 Work Shop 6 PM

11/12/2024 Council Executive Session 6PM

11/12/2024 Council Regular Meeting 7pm

Announcements:

Trunk or Treat on the 26th and a rain date of the 27th of October

Presentation:

None

Discussion/Behind the scene

Borough Manager - An update of the past month's happenings

Refuse Truck – Bid came in at 133k. Voting on accepting the bid will be in November.

Coastal Zone Management Grant (CZM) – used for the 10 acre park on the Delaware River was going to be the fishing pier but pier needs too much work. Still working on finding a way to access the waterfront that would fall within the 150k budget.

Phase 1 Environmental – Phase 2 Environmental – JP Kelly explained the process of the different phases of the environmental study. There is a motion to approve up to 20k for the phase 2 study.

Local Share Account funding Grant given by the casinos in PA. Up to \$1,000,000 in funds available with zero match. Working on the actual costs with JP Engineering. Looking at a possible 500K grant.

RACP funding – 450k was applied for.

Green Ways Grant (Pocket Park) A 100K grant was awarded in 2022 – for the 10th St park. Will be going in front of the Delaware County Council on Wednesday.

PROFESSIONAL REPORTS:

Brinker Simpson Financial reports

Code report

Engineers report

Fire/EMS report

Health report

Police report

Health report

Solicitor report

RIGHT TO KNOW SUBMISSIONS:

All satisfied as of now

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Resident from Leiper Street asked about parking

Action Items

Motion: Approval of Minutes from the September 0, 2024 Regular Council Meeting Motion was by Councilwoman Hall to approve the minutes second by Councilwoman Gross. Motion passes 7/0

Motion: To approve the Treasurer's Report, including bank reconciliations for the month of September 2024 as presented by Brinker Simpson. Motioned by Councilwoman Gross, seconded by Councilwoman Hall. Motion passes 7/0

Motion: To accept the BCO report for the month of September 2024 as presented by Code. Motion by Councilwoman Walker, seconded by Councilwoman Hall Motion passes 6/0

Motion: To accept the Engineers report as presented by Dr. Moler for the month of September 2024. Motioned by Councilwoman Hall, seconded by Councilman Bolton. Motion passes 7/0

Motion: To accept the Fire Report for the month of September 2024 as presented by Chief Mokshefsky for Fire Chief Allen Reeves III. Motioned by Councilman Perry, seconded by Councilwoman Walker. Motion passes 7/0

Motion: To accept Police Report for the month of September 2024 as presented by Chief Mokshefsky. Motioned by Councilwoman Hall, seconded by Councilwoman Gross. Motion Passes 7/0

Motion: To accept Health Report for the month of September 2024 as presented by Dr. Moler. Motioned by Councilwoman Hall, seconded by Councilwoman Walker. Motion Passes 7/0

Motion: To advertise for Bids for a new NON-CDL Refuse truck. Motioned by Councilwoman Hall, seconded by Councilman Perry. Motion passes 6/0

Motion: To approve hire Allison Berkman as per diem Crossing Guard. Motioned by Councilwoman Walker, seconded by Councilwoman Gross. Passes 7/0

Motion: To hire Jess Banas as Borough Manager. Motion Tabled by Councilman Bolton, seconded by Councilwoman Hall. Motion passes to table 6/1

Motion: To purchase a new Dodge Charger. Motioned by Councilman Perry, seconded by Councilman Bolton. Motion passes 7/0

Motion: To remove Kathy Krisac as a check signer and add Elizabeth Morales Rosa. Motioned by Councilwoman Hall, seconded by Councilman Perry. Passes 7/0

1. **Motion to Adjourn** Motion made by Councilwoman Hall and seconded by Councilwoman Walker. Motion passes 7/0

