

Muncy Borough Council Minutes
Council Minutes
July 18, 2024

The meeting of the Muncy Borough Council was called to order in the Library/Media Center of the Muncy High School by President Scott Delany followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence for our Armed Forces, First Responders & Frontline Workers.

Council Members Present: George Henry, Ryan Scruggs, Vice President Richard Sutton and Council President Scott Delany.

Council Members Absent: Bill Scott, Thad Martin and Steve Shank
Mayor Jon Ort and Solicitor Chris Kenyon were also present.

Borough Employees present were Borough Manager Charley Hall, Secretary/Treasurer Katie Hakes and Police Chief Jim Dorman.

Council immediately went into Executive Session due to a personnel matter. Council reconvened a few minutes after.

Public Participation on agenda items only: None

Dick Sutton made a motion to approve the June 4, 2024 council minutes. George Henry 2nd the motion. All were in favor.

Dick Sutton made a motion to approve the check disbursements and bank balances. George Henry 2nd the motion. All were in favor.

Dick Sutton made a motion to approve the library land swap agreement contingent upon review and comment from the library solicitor. George Henry 2nd the motion. All were in favor.

President Delany made a motion to approve the Audit 2023. Ryan Scruggs 2nd the motion. All were in favor.

Dick Sutton made a motion to transfer the remaining ARPA Funds to the Muncy Fire Department to purchase Air packs. George Henry 2nd the motion. Motion carried. Delany let everyone know the remaining \$875.29 left over after purchasing the air packs will be used to purchase smoke detectors for the fire department to hand out at National Night Out to families who are in need of them.

The president/treasurer of the pool board, Hannah Peachy, spoke to council about needs the pool has that they could use donations for. After discussion, council seems very interested in doing something more for the pool next season. No motion was taken.

Orlando Rodriguez was unable to make the meeting. The Clever Energy Renewal was motioned to table by George and 2nd by Dick.

Dick Sutton made a motion to approve the Dental Reimbursement for Chris and Katie. Ryan 2nd the motion. Motion carried

George Henry made a motion to hire Ellen Dincher as a new part time crossing guard. Ryan 2nd the motion. Motion carried.

Ryan Scruggs made a motion for Chris Kenyon to draft up a parking Ordinance Proposal. Dick Sutton 2nd the motion. Motion carried.

Consolidated Sportsmen of Muncy Creek request a yearly donation. Dick Sutton made a motion to table. Ryan 2nd the motion. Someone from the Consolidated Sportsmen of Muncy Creek will come speak more about it at the next meeting.

President Delany called for a motion to renew the Williamsport/Lycoming Chamber of Commerce Membership. No motion was made.

Charley Hall made council aware of a few things. Big Rock will be correcting paving issues they ran into. They will not be invoicing for the corrections. Charley would like council to consider the borough pay Big Rock for the paving project out of the general fund rather than the liquid fuels fund because there may be two projects that will seriously need looked at in the future. No motion can be made tonight and will be on the next agenda.

Charley would also like to discuss abandoning alleys at the next meeting.

Charley showed council Brian Aumans pre-final phase for Crossroads Park.

Charley gave a brief update on the annexation.

Greg Delany briefly updated council on the rise of calls and the strain on volunteers. National Night out is August 6th at the Fire Hall.

Bill Lyons questioned why a borough employee would trim a few bushes along his property. Bill Lyons believes it is considered trespassing and a 3rd class misdemeanor. Solicitor Chris Kenyon explained to Mr. Lyons that because it is a personnel matter, we are not permitted to discuss by law personnel matters.

Dick Sutton made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Ryan 2nd the motion. All were in favor

Meeting adjourned at 7:55pm

Respectfully Submitted by:



Katie Hakes