

THE MOUNT WOLF BOROUGH NON-VOTING MEETING

SEPTEMBER 24, 2024

The Mount Wolf Council conducted a non-voting meeting on Tuesday September 24, 2024. The meeting was called to order by President Darryl Main at 7:25 pm.

ATTENDANCE:

Pat Poet, Josh Parish, President Darryl Main, Vice President Dennis Naylor, Dan Schlegel, Michael Barlett and Brian McKenna

Officials: Mayor: Maureen Starner, Treasurer: Jennifer Reiner, Secretary: Bonnie Bentzel

ABSENT:

None

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

Darryl Main stated that the agenda will be amended due to the fact of the recent storm and damages to the Borough.

VISITORS:

No Visitors

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

No Public Comments

MAYOR'S REPORT:

Mayor Starner did contact both construction companies to ask them not to arrive to the Borough on Monday due to the fact of all the storm damage from the weekend. Both construction companies agreed.

Mayor Starner reported that she was very thankful to all the citizens of Mount Wolf and everyone else that came to aid in the cleanup of the Borough.

STREET REPORT:

Dennis Naylor reported that a car or truck hit and knocked down the internet wires to the Borough office sometime on Thursday September 19th. Bonnie Bentzel contacted comcast and an employee from Comcast came out and fixed the wires leading to the Borough building on Friday September 20th.

PARKS AND RECREATION REPORT:

No Report

PROPERTY AND SERVICES REPORT:

Darryl Main reported that the borough needs more cones in case of another natural disaster.

BUDGET AND FINANCES REPORT:

Michael Barlett reported that things are looking good with the budget for 2025 with not a lot of change. We will need to designate the ARPA fund. Mayor Starner reported the police budget for 2025. Michael Barlett that he will have a copy of the 2025 budget ready for review the next Council meeting.

HEALTH AND SAFETY REPORT:

Josh Parish recommended that the Borough do something special for the Fire Company for all help that they did with the storm clean-up. Mayor Starner offered to make them dinner for their next meeting.

PERSONNEL REPORT:

No Report

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

Darryl Main reported the mayor of Mount Wolf issued a Declaration of Disaster for the Borough of Mount Wolf. On September 21st and 22nd, 2024 severe thunderstorms came through the Borough of Mount Wolf causing severe damages to the Borough and its residents. Mayor Starner issued this declaration for the safety, health and welfare of the citizens of Mount Wolf Borough. This declaration will be in effective immediately and will be extended until the next Borough Council Meeting on October 8th, 2024.

A motion was made by Michael Barlett and seconded by Dan Schleig to accept that the declaration of disaster emergency for the event on September 21st & 22nd, 2024. The motion was passed unanimously.

A motion was made by Michael Barlett and seconded by Pat Poet to approve resolution 2024-06 Declaration of Disaster Emergency. The motion was passed unanimously.

A motion was made by Michael Barlett and seconded Brian McKenna to approve the Declaration of Disaster Emergency with York County. The motion was passed unanimously.

A motion was made by Dan Schleig and seconded by Michael Barlett to approve the payment to "Travis Outdoors" for \$2400.00 for the cleanup in the Borough from the storm. The motion was passed unanimously.

Darryl Main reported due to no electricity in the Borough, the maintenance crew were unable to open the garage door to the maintenance building. Darryl Main reported that he did reach out to East Manchester Township, and they offered their assistance. Our maintenance building does not have a manual override.

A motion was made by Pat Poet and seconded by Michael Barlett to approve Drake Reed Door Company to install a manual override to the garage door at the maintenance building not to exceed \$1000.00. The motion was passed unanimously.

Darryl Main reported that he did contact the maintenance crew at 3 am to inform them of the cleanup in the Borough. The maintenance crew worked all day Sunday in the cleanup of the borough.

A motion was made by Michael Barlett and seconded Dan Schleig to pay the maintenance crew double time for their time worked on Sunday. The motion was passed unanimously.

OLD BUSINESS:

Mayor Starner reported that Northeastern High School's Homecoming Parade will still happen on Thursday September 26th.

NEW BUSINESS:

Jennifer Reiner reported that she has been in contact with the insurance company. Jennifer Reiner asked any council members that have photographs of any damages within borough limits to forward them to her so she can forward them to the insurance company.

The meeting was adjourned at: 9:05 pm.

An executive session was held after the regular meeting. The executive session began at 9:10 pm ended at: 9:41 pm.

Next Council Meeting will be held on Tuesday October 8, 2024, at 7pm

Next Non-Voting Meeting will be held on Tuesday October 22, 2024, at 7pm