

WRIGHTSVILLE BOROUGH  
YORK COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

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WRIGHTSVILLE BOROUGH COUNCIL  
**REGULAR MEETING**  
MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 2017  
JOHN WRIGHT RESTURANT RIVER ROOM

*In attendance:* Council President Bolton, Vice President White, Councilman Gromling, Councilman McDonald, Councilman Loercher, Councilman Kirkessner, Mayor Albert, Solicitor Fields, Treasurer Brenner, Engineer Klinedinst, Officer Schaum ( substituting for Chief Hege ), Secretary Hoff, Assistant Harrison

*Absent:* Chief Hege

Council President Bolton called the Regular Meeting of the Wrightsville Borough governing body to order at 6:32pm and led the salute to the American Flag.

**PATRONS:**

● Ed Sipes:

Mr. Sipes relayed to those in attendance that Eastern York Workcamp Initiative is still accepting applications for hands-on-home repairs to be completed for elderly residents. The workcamp will need 60 applications to complete workshop in 2018. Please contact Ed with any further questions.

● Irv Sholl:

Mr. Sholl expressed his appreciation to Borough Council and those in attendance for the removal of the POD located on Cherry St. Mr. Sholl expressed his concern for the visibility of motorists at the intersection of Locust St. and Cool Creek Rd.

● Blake Staker:

Mr. Staker provided Borough Council with data indicating injuries sustained from the fire siren. Mr. Staker quoted excerpts from Borough Code in relation to fire siren. Mr. Staker would like Borough Council to reach a satisfactory resolution to the fire siren located at 4<sup>th</sup> and Hellam St.

● Mel McDonald:

Mrs. McDonald expressed his dislike that not all applications were considered for the vacant Mayor position several months ago. Mrs. McDonald believes not all applications of interest were reviewed and considered.

Mrs. McDonald stated that she is very happy Mayor Albert is the Mayor and stated that she approves of the job that he is doing so far.

**MINUTE APPROVAL:**

Vice President White made a motion to approve the July 10, 2017 Regular Meeting Minutes. Councilman Loercher seconded the motion. All in favor. The motion carried with a unanimous vote.

Vice President White made a motion to approve the July 17, 2017 Planning Meeting Minutes. Councilman Loercher seconded the motion. All in favor. The motion carried with a unanimous vote.

**ZONING:**

Report was provided with monthly meeting materials

**FIRE DEPARTMENT:**

Report was provided with monthly meeting materials. Chief Livelsberger relayed the highlights of the report to those in attendance. Chief Livelsberger relayed to those in attendance that the York County paging system for 911 calls experienced an outage on July 29, 2017 therefore not allowing York County Emergency Personnel to respond to emergency calls when needed. Chief Livelsberger stated that he informed as of now the paging system is experiencing no issues. Chief Livelsberger expressed that the paging system has been unreliable since 2008.

**AMBULANCE:**

Report was provided with monthly meeting materials

**POLICE:**

Report was provided with the monthly meeting materials. Officer Schaum relayed the highlights of the report to those in attendance. Officer Schaum relayed to those in attendance that Wrightsville Borough Police Department will partner up with the Hellam Township Police Department for National Night Out on August 1, 2017.

**STREETS & PARKS:**

Report was provided with monthly meeting materials. Vice-President White relayed report to those in attendance.

**ENGINEER:**

Report was provided with the monthly meeting materials. Engineer Klinedinst relayed the Engineer and Project Managers report highlights to those in attendance.

**TREASURER:**

Treasurer Brenner relayed to those in attendance the highlights of the check register and financial reports for July 2017.

Vice President White made a motion to approve the July 2017 check register as presented by the treasurer. Councilman Loercher seconded the motion. All in favor. The motion carried with a unanimous vote.

Vice President White made a motion to approve the July 2017 financial report as presented by the treasurer. Councilmand Loercher seconded the motion. All in favor. The motion carried with a unanimous vote.

**MAYOR:**

Mayor Albert relayed to those in attendance that he has received applications for potential new Police Officers for Wrightsville Borough. Mayor Albert and Officer Schaum will be conducting interviews in the upcoming days and hope to report their findings at the August Planning Meeting.

**SOLICITOR:**

No report

## **ACTION ITEMS:**

Councilman Loercher made a motion to approve and adopt Resolution 2017-9, a Resolution establishing a procedure to sell personal property valued at less than one-thousand dollars ( \$1000.00). Vice President White seconded the motion. All in favor. Motion carried with a unanimous vote.

Councilman Loercher made a motion to approve and authorize an amended and reinstated Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement for the implementation of the York County Chesapeake Bay Pollutant Reduction Plan. Councilman McDonald seconded the motion. All in favor. The motion carried with a unanimous vote.

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS-**

### **Administration & Finance:**

Vice President White would like to have additional time to work through General Code Administrative Review as no other members are ready to make their decisions. Council President Bolton indicating that she was prepared with her responses. Vice President White indicated that a work group will be held to discuss administrative review for codification project.

### **Public Works:**

Vice President White made a motion to authorize Engineer Klinedinst to obtain bids for crack sealing and micro surfacing work that needs to be completed on Cherry St. Councilman McDonald seconded the motion. Councilman Loercher was opposed to motion. The motion carried with a vote of 4 to 1.

### **Public Safety:**

Councilman Gromling made a motion to appoint Eliseo Cruz, Street Department employee, as a substitute crossing guard for the Borough of Wrightsville. Vice President White seconded the motion. All in favor. The motion carried with a unanimous vote.

### **Community & Economic Development:**

No report

### **Parks & Recreation:**

Councilman Gromling indicated that the project at Riverfront Park is in full swing and he has been meeting with York Excavating employees on a daily basis.

Councilman Gromling relayed to those in attendance that upon completion of the Riverfront Park he would like to organize a park wide event inviting community members.

### **Personnel:**

No report

## **ADDITIONAL BUSINESS:**

None

## **EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

Solicitor Fields indicated that an executive session was held to discuss personnel and legal matters

Executive session was held from 8:17pm to 10:35pm

Meeting reconvened at 10:36pm

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Vice President White made a motion to adjourn the August 7, 2017 Regular Meeting of the governing body of Wrightsville Borough at 10:36 pm. Councilman Loercher seconded the motion. All in favor. The motion carried with a unanimous vote.

Respectfully Submitted,

Tammie Hoff  
Borough Secretary