

WRIGHTSVILLE

YORK COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

WRIGHTSVILLE BOROUGH COUNCIL
PLANNING MEETING

APRIL 16, 2018

Borough Chambers * 601 Water Street * Wrightsville

The Planning Meeting of the Borough of Wrightsville governing body convened at 6:33PM on Monday, April 16, 2018. Council President White called the meeting to order and led the salute to the American Flag.

In attendance: Council President White, Vice-President Gromling, Councilman Bair, Councilman McDonald, Councilman Kirkessner, Councilman Smith, Mayor Allbert, Solicitor Fields, Officer in Charge Schaum, Secretary Hoff

Absent: Treasurer Brenner, Engineer Klinedinst

PATRONS:

Mel McDonald:

Mrs. McDonald relayed to council that their is an abundant amount of trash at 339 Walnut St. that needs cleaned up as quickly as possible.

ACTION ITEMS:

Mayor Albert issued an Oath of Office to Fire Police member, Jack Bowers.

Vice President Gromling made a motion to close Hellam St. From 4th St. to Route 462 Bridge and 3rd St. From Hellam St. to Chestnut St. on Saturday, May 26, 2018 from 7:30am to 10:30am for 5K Run hosted by Susquehanna Valley Chamber of Commerce. Councilman Smith seconded the motion. All in favor. The motion carried with a unanimous vote.

Councilman Bair made a motion to approve and adopt Resolution 2018-18, a resolution of the Wrightsville Borough, York County, granting permission to Civil War Trails, Inc. to install a historical marker at The Mifflin House site located at 604 Cherry St. Councilman McDonald seconded the motion. All in favor. The motion carried with an unanimous vote.

BOROUGH COUNCIL COMMITTEE REPORTS:

ADMINISTRATION & FINANCE:

No report

Public Works:

No report

Public Safety:

Councilman Gromling relayed to those in attendance that Advanced Life Services (ALS) provided by Memorial Hospital Medic 1023 has been discontinued. There are discussions being held with other

ambulatory services to provide ALS services to the borough. Costs for these services would require an addendum to current contract with additional costs.

Mayor Albert, Council President White, Vice President Gromling and Councilman McDonald met with Hellam Township Police Department about a possible police merger. Hellam Township Police Chief, Doug Pollock relayed to those in attendance that the three full-time officers would be hired by Hellam Township increasing his staff to 12 officers. Hellam Township would provide coverage to Wrightsville Borough 24 hours day, 7 days per week. The police merger could potentially save the borough approximately \$60-100K. Financial matters still need to be discussed between Hellam Township and Wrightsville Borough. Next meeting will be held on April 26, 2018.

Community & Economic Development:

Councilman Bair expressed his appreciation to Solicitor Fields in his expeditious actions with the Civil War Trails documents required for the placement of an historical marker at The Mifflin House.

Parks & Recreation:

Councilman Gromling relayed to those in attendance that a local Eagle Scout/ Boy Scout troop will be participating in an Earth Day activity on Saturday, April 21, 2018 from 9:00am- 12:00pm building picnic tables and benches to be used in Riverfront Park. Rain date is scheduled for Saturday, April 28, 2018.

Personnel:

No report

ADDITIONAL BUSINESS:

Vice President Gromling relayed to Office in Charge Schaum and Mayor Albert that crossing guard training materials from PennDOT have been received at the Municipal Office. VP Gromling would like training to be conducted by Wrightsville Borough Police to ensure that crossing guards are receiving proper training to perform their job.

President White relayed to those in attendance that during the last Municipal Authority meeting discussion was held about borough sharing in basement repair costs. Municipal Authority members would like feedback from Borough Council. VP Gromling proposed that moving forward a building maintenance fee is paid to Municipal Authority every year to help offset the costs of future building repairs. Further discussion to be held at upcoming meetings.

ADJOURNMENT:

Councilman McDonald made a motion to adjourn the April 16, 2018 Planning Meeting of the governing body of Wrightsville Borough. Vice President Gromling seconded the motion. All in favor. The motion carried with a unanimous vote.

Meeting adjourned at 7:47pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Tammie Hoff
Borough Secretary