GLEN OSBORNE BOROUGH

COMMITTEE MEETINGS MINUTES

April 4, 2022

CALL TO ORDER

The regular committee meeting of Glen Osborne Borough was held in Osborne Elementary School, on Monday April 4, 2022, at 7:00 p.m.

The following council members were in attendance at the meeting:

Bill Monski, John Orndorff, Jim Cohen, Holly Merriman, Mary Scalercio and Tom Huddleston

Officials: Mayor Barbara Carrier

VISTIORS

Mari Hertzberg

PUBLIC COMMENT

Mari Hertzberg

Mrs. Hertzberg inquired as to who is responsible for the gravel area on Glen Mitchel Road. Her concern was the maintenance and safety of this area. In addition, she also raised concern of an abandon property next to hers. Council will have the Borough Engineer inspect and report back.

PUBLIC SAFETY

JIM COHEN presented an amendment to language within our Borough code surrounding sidewalks. Specifically, the language eliminates requiring sidewalks by all homes within the Borough. It was agreed that this language is acceptable. Jim will work with Diane to advertise and with the solicitor to present a finalized version of the code for vote at the April meeting. In addition, Jim discussed the current parking ordinance and our inability due to lack of infrastructure to distribute parking permits, monitor violations, and enforcement. Jim will review the roads within the Borough to identify those where a safety concern exists due to parking on a narrow street, causing it to prohibit an emergency vehicle to enter. Once this is completed, parking ordinances will be created along with necessary signage.

Lastly, during this committee review, it was discussed to initiate a comprehensive review of the Borough's ordinances. The mayor provided Huddleston with Carolyn Yagle of EDP contact information. Tom will reach out and begin the process to set up meetings to review our code/ordinances as it's been over ten years since the last review.

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PUBLIC WORKS

John Orndorff discussed emails between Clint Reilly (NIRA engineer) and the Mayor of Haysville, Mike Kerr, regarding the cleaning out of the Haysville catch basin. Clint Reilly assured Mike Kerr that Glen Osborne would dispose of all material clogging our storm sewer to prevent clogging the lower portion of the culvert. PennDot is to schedule this process.

Huddleston updated the council regarding the situation on Center Ave and the recent hearing in front of the Magistrate. The hearing was held although the primary resident was not in attendance asking for a rescheduling of the hearing. It was rescheduled for March.

PUBLIC SERVICE

Mary presented a revised communication to be sent to the residents regarding interest in participating in the military banner program. Bill Monski informed council he has acquired the rights to the web address: Osbornebanner@gmail.com. Mary will formalize the letter and order form and present that to council for a vote at our next meeting. In addition, Mary is working to establish a date at the Edgeworth club for a Christmas in July event.

FINANCE

No Report

MAYOR/COG

Barbara announced she is working with the mayor of Sewickley to schedule a Mayor's & Presidents breakfast. In addition she reminded council of the glass re-cycling currently being held at Riverfront Park. Lastly, the Mayor mentioned the Rte 65 Corridor project is getting started with COG.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 8:20 PM

Tom Huddleston