

**GLEN OSBORNE BOROUGH
MINUTES
JUNE 21, 2022
COUNCIL MEETING**

CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting of Glen Osborne Borough Council was held in Osborne Elementary School, on Tuesday, June 21, 2022. Vice President John Orndorff called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

The following individuals were in attendance at the meeting:

Council: Jim Cohen, Bill Monski, Holly Merriman, John Orndorff, Thomas Huddleston (remotely)

Officials: Mayor Barbara Carrier, Solicitor Harlan Stone, Secretary-Treasurer Diane Vierling

VISITORS

Anne Fruehauf, 508 Osborne Lane, Sewickley, PA 15143
Rich Fruehauf, 508 Osborne Lane, Sewickley, PA 15143
Sophia Fruehauf, 508 Osborne Lane, Sewickley, PA 15143

Vice President Orndorff welcomed visitors Rich and Anne Fruehauf and their daughter Sophia. The Fruehaufs have been residents in Glen Osborne Borough for nearly 20 years. Anne Fruehauf expressed her interest in filing the vacancy on Council and reviewed her background, including her experience as an attorney.

APPROVAL OF MAY 17, 2022 COUNCIL MINUTES

A motion was made by Jim Cohen, seconded by Bill Monski, to approve the Council Meeting Minutes. Council voted 5 – 0 to approve the Minutes.

SOLICITOR'S REPORT

Tom Huddleston motioned approval of Resolution No. 2022-01, appointing Anne Fruehauf as a member of Council to fill the vacancy created by the passing of Robert Ryan. Holly Merriman seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken and all voted yes.

Solicitor Stone provided an update on the recent hearing regarding the property code violations at 1528 Railroad Avenue.

Solicitor Stone is in the process of drafting the amended parking ordinance.

MAYORS REPORT

Mayor Carrier reviewed the police report for the month May and commended the Sewickley Police for their outstanding interaction with residents when dropping off and picking up children at school.

Council reviewed a recent request from Waste Management, advising the need to allow their workers to start at 5:00 a.m. **on days when the heat index is above 87.** Holly Merriman will post this message on Facebook and the announcement will be posted on our website.

SECRETARY'S REPORT

A payment of \$124 was received from Magistrate Ford's District Court for the month of May.

The Borough received the June State Police Fines Allocation payment of \$131.

The Borough's 2021 Annual Audit and Financial Report was approved by the Governor's Center for Local Government and published in the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette.

QVCOG added a second location for glass recycling located in Avalon Borough at 629 New Brighton Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15202. This site, along with the first site in Sewickley's Riverfront Park, are open to all QVCOG member communities. This announcement has been posted on the Borough's website, along with additional information pertaining to glass recycling.

All are welcome to attend Leetsdale's 4th of July Parade, beginning at 10:00 a.m.

PUBLIC SAFETY

Jim Cohen reported that Solicitor Stone is in the process of drafting an amendment to the parking ordinance, utilizing information from NIRA. This will be discussed further at upcoming Committee meetings.

Clint Reilly is researching the cost to repaint the crosswalks and center lines.

Notification was sent from our Code Enforcement Officer to a Beaver Road resident advising them to stop putting food in their yard for wild animals.

PUBLIC SERVICES

Bill Monski reported that only 4 orders have been received for military banners. In order to move forward with this program, a minimum of 10 orders need to be received by July 22, 2022. Holly Merriman will post information about this program on Facebook.

PUBLIC WORKS

On motion of John Orndorff, seconded by Jim Cohen, Council voted 5 – 0, to enter into a month-to-month lease agreement, at \$160 per month, with Glen Osborne Self Storage, for a unit to store the items from the maintenance shed that is in disrepair. John Orndorff will notify John Wick to move the items.

John Orndorff reported a very expensive stormwater infrastructure incident at 1468 Beaver Road. Borough Engineer Clint Reilly has obtained an estimate in the amount of \$55,000 to correct this emergency situation. On motion of Bill Monski, seconded by Jim Cohen, Council voted 5 – 0, authorizing an expenditure of \$55,000, to repair this situation, subject to the final opinion of the Borough Engineer regarding cost estimates.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Holly Merriman provided an analysis of the budget and a detailed review of the Borough's current financial reports.

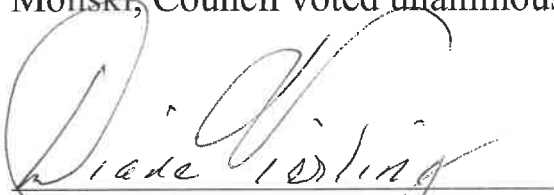
BILLS

A check detail was included in the packet sent to Council, Mayor, and the Solicitor. John Orndorff motioned payment of the bills. Jim Cohen seconded the motion. Council was polled, all voted yes, to approve the motion.

QVCOG

On motion of John Orndorff, seconded by Jim Cohen, Council voted 5 – 0, to adopt Resolution No. 2022-02, entering into a joint glass recycling program with the Quaker Valley Council of Governments, beginning July 1, 2022, at a cost of \$25 per month.

There being no further business, on motion of Jim Cohen, seconded by Bill Monski, Council voted unanimously to adjourn at 8:42 p.m.



Diane Vierling, Borough Secretary