

MINUTES OF THE BIG BEAVER BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING October 1, 2024.
Held at the Big Beaver Volunteer Fire Company, 621 Friendship RD, Darlington, PA 16115
President Michelle Joy called the meeting to order at 6:00pm
followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and the Lord's Prayer.

Roll Call:

Council President: Michelle Joy

Secretary/Treasurer: Jennifer Gasser

Vice President: Kim Wagner

Public Works Director Chad Crawford

Council Member: Garrett Schriver

Jessica Chaney

Jeff Magee

Bart Carr

Erin Walter

Approval of Agenda:

Erin Walter made a motion, seconded by Kim Wagner to approve the agenda. All in favor, the agenda is approved as submitted.

Public Comment: NA

Bob Weir and Council discussed the Mayor position in the Borough.

Approval of Minutes:

Jeff Magee made a motion, seconded by Garrett Schriver to approve the Minutes of September 17, 2024. All in favor, the minutes of September 17, 2024, are approved.

Administrative Reports:

Mayors: No report.

President Report: No Report

Public Works Director: Chad Crawford advised Mark Laderer has completed the rehab of the Bridge at the Park and inquired if Council wanted to recognize the work completed. Chad Crawford provided an update on the Wallace Run Lift Station and has reached out to Zack Dalton for an estimate on a fence.

Secretary/Treasurer: Jennifer Gasser reported on Liquid Fuels funding for 2025, Big Beaver Gas Mart, and Pittsburgh International Racetrack.

Committee Reports:

Zoning – Garrett Schriver and Council discussed the proposed Property Maintenance Code.

Parks and Recreation – Erin Walter advised the Committee meeting will be after the council meeting to discuss the Budget, prizes for Trunk or Treat, and this Saturday is the Fall Festival. Michelle Joy advised the Borough is sponsoring the Bounce House. Council discussed Trick or Treating will be October 31st from 6-7:30pm. Michelle Joy and Chad Crawford discussed memorial benches for the park.

Finance, Personnel and Policy– Kim Wagner advised they are meeting Thursday October 10, to review the budget.

Public Health and Safety – Michelle Joy advised the Finance Committee will be meeting with Beaver Falls on October 8th to discuss finances with Fire Regionalization.

Public Works – Chad Crawford advised he spoke with Mr. Youngblood regarding the cost for Aley Hill.

New Business:

A. Jeff Magee made a motion, seconded by Bart Carr to ratify the phone call vote to accept Jamie Marshall's resignation effective August 18, 2024. All in favor.

B. Kim Wagner made a motion, seconded by Jessica Chaney to approve the hiring of Elijah Seaburn for the Public Works Operator position at the advertised rate. Roll Call Vote Yes: Garrett Schriver, Bart Carr, Jeff Magee, Kim Wagner, Erin Walter, Jessica Chaney, and Michelle Joy. Motion approved.

Workshop Discussion: No Discussion

Meeting Adjourned 6:48pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jennifer Gasser
Secretary/Treasurer