Regular Council Meeting December 10, 2018 7:00 PM

The Regular monthly meeting of Shamokin City Council was held this evening with Mayor John J. Brown presiding.

CALL TO ORDER:

PLEDGE TO THE FLAG: All

PRAYER: Silent

ROLL CALL: McGaw, Verano, Moyer Roughton, Brown

Absent: None

CITIZEN COMMENTS:

MINUTES:

A Motion by Verano to approve previous Council Meeting Minutes of:

November 14, 2018 (Regular Council Meeting)

Second by: McGaw

ROLL CALL: Ayes: McGaw, Verano, Moyer, Roughton, Brown

Nays: None Absent: None

BILL LIST:

MOTION BY: Moyer to approve the bill list for November 2018.

Second by: Verano

ROLL CALL: Ayes: McGaw, Verano, Moyer, Roughton, Brown

Nays: None Absent: None

DIRECTORS REPORT:

ACCOUNTS & FINANCE:

General Fund \$ 309,033.35 Motor License \$ 151,013.78 Library \$ 2,934.72 Debt Service \$ 249,021.12 Recreation \$ 253,638.92 Capital Projects \$ 2,379.51 Street Lights \$ 687.69 Total All Accounts \$ 968,709.09

Fund balances as of December 1, 2018 submitted by Brenda Scandle, City Treasurer.

PARKS & PUBLIC BUILDINGS:

The Legion roof is patched for winter, we still have not heard back on the grant, hoping to hear something soon. Bill and Judy Allen donated \$200 towards the Christmas trees and lights.

STREET & PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS:

PPL Street Lighting LED lights are moving along and will be done in a couple of weeks. The Shroyer building is moving along, please make sure all vehicles are moved out of the area.

PUBLIC SAFETY:

Police Department reported 957 calls for the month of November 2018.

Fire Report for the Month of November 2018, no report.

Code office report for the month of September reported 73 Complaints, which the office revenue collected, was \$2,513.00

BIDS:

MOTION BY: Verano to accept the bid for 28-32 N. Market Street from the highest bidder Kathy and Sam Vetovich in the amount of \$10,100.

Second by: McGaw

ROLL CALL: Ayes: McGaw, Moyer, Verano, Roughton, Brown

Nays: None Absent: None

CORRESPONDENCE:

NEW BUSINESS:

MOTION BY: Verano to grant authorization to advertise the 2019 Public Meeting Schedule.

Second by: McGaw

ROLL CALL: Ayes: McGaw, Verano, Moyer, Roughton, Brown

Nays: None Absent: None

MOTION BY: Verano to accept the first reading of the 2019 City of Shamokin Budget.

Second by: Moyer

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: McGaw, Verano, Moyer, Roughton, Brown

Nays: None Absent: None

MOTION BY: Verano to authorize the 1.3% COLA as provided by Univest Pension Services.

Second by: McGaw

ROLL CALL:

Ayes: McGaw, Verano, Moyer, Roughton, Brown

Nays: None Absent: None

MOTION BY: McGaw to make a donation to start a scholarship fund at Shamokin Area High School in honor of the late Cpl. David Witmer.

Second by: Moyer

ROLL CALL:

Ayes:McGaw, Verano, Moyer, Roughton, Brown

Nays: None Absent: None

BOARD & COMMITTIES: NONE

SOLICITORS REPORT:

MOTION BY: Verano to accept the first reading of Ordinance 18-08 (Snow Ordinance)

SECOND BY: Moyer

ROLL CALL: Ayes: McGaw, Verano, Moyer, Roughton, Brown,

Nays: None Absent:

MOTION BY: Verano to accept the first reading of Ordinance 18-09 (Tax Levy 2019)

SECOND BY: Moyer

ROLL CALL: Ayes: McGaw, Verano, Moyer, Roughton Brown,

Nays: None Absent: None

 Citizens Comments contingent upon new business being added to the agenda at this part of the meeting.

ADJORN:

Minutes taken by Doreen Annis, Administrative Accountant Meeting ended at 7:23 PM