

Special Council Meeting  
January 26, 2021  
6:00 PM

The Special 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, Please Keep Norm and his family in your thoughts.

**ROLL CALL:** Moyer, Roughton, Seidel, Verano, Brown  
Absent: None

Brenda spoke about a Fire Escrow Check issue, regarding permits and inspections.

**CITIZENS COMMENTS:**

**Joe Leschinskie**

By enacting this ordinance, does this mean that the city failed to obtain the required signatures to have enough public interest to make this a ballot question? Please be transparent as to why this action is taking place.

*No, we are still collecting signatures. This is just a back up. The State recommended that we submit both.*

**Larry Deklinski**

How many signatures did the city receive on its government study commission question petition?

*We are currently at 65-66 at this time.*

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**SOLICITORS REPORT:**

MOTION BY: Moyer to approve the first reading of Ordinance 21-01, Government Study Commission.

Second by: Seidel

ROLL CALL: Ayes: Moyer Seidel, Verano Roughton, Brown  
Nays: None  
Absent: None

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

**Joe Leschinskie**

Norm and his family are in all of our thoughts and prayers. Please donate if you can to a GoFundMe account created on Facebook by Tammy Rhode

**Andrew Hepler**

Thank you mayor jon brownie for keeping us in your guys thoughts

Mayor Brown: We are still collecting signatures for the petition, If you see us and would like to sign please let us know.

**Tonya Alexis**

Will February meeting be open to the public?

*We will be making a decision at the February meeting to open back up the meetings or not.*

**Andrew Hepler**

Thank you guys from the police department school and firefighters council people and jon brown

**ADJOURN:**

Minutes taken by Doreen Annis, Administrative Accountant  
Meeting ended at 6:23 PM