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The Borough of New Eagle Council met on Tuesday August 6, 2019 at 7 pm in the Council Chambers, Municipal Building 157 Main Street, New Eagle, PA 15067>

The meeting was called to order by President J. Fine, the Pledge of Allegiance was recited, roll call was taken by Secretary Kimberly Koontz.

Present: J. Fine, A. Casebar, B. Williams, G. Tirpak

Absent: B. Boyd

Others Present: Solicitor T. Berggren

Visitor Keith Richardson of 905 Vine Street addressed Council regarding the water problem that is flooding his shed, basement and yard. Water is running around a mound of dirt; the water is running down the paper street. Solicitor T. Bergeron explained to Mr. Richardson the Borough has no obligation to maintain the paper street. The ponding is located in the lowest spot of the area. KLH Engineers will be notified to come out and evaluate the problem.

Visitor Debbie Penza of 435 Birch Avenue addressed Council regarding the vacant lot next to her deceased fathers' property. The lot is severely overgrown and has not been maintained for several years. The property owner is Richard McBurney. The Borough did attempt to notify Mr. McBurney last year by certified mail, the letter was returned. Public Works department will cut the property and the Borough will lien it for the cost.

Motion to approve the Minutes from the July 2, 2019 meeting was made by B. Williams and seconded by A. Casebar. Motion was carried by unanimous call of the roll by the Secretary.

Motion to approve the bills in the amount of \$88,309.65 (bill list A \$577,763.59, bill list B \$10,546.06) was made by A. Casebar and seconded by B. Williams. Motion was carried by unanimous call of the roll by the Secretary.

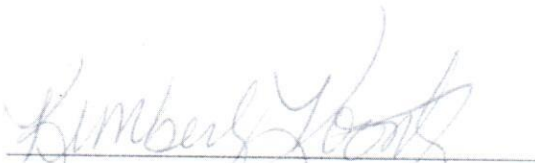
J. Miller Public Works foreman gave the report for the month of July. Guiderails were extended on Maderia Street. In the 400 block of 4<sup>th</sup> Ave the catch basin was replaced. Grass continues to be cut on a weekly basis. Potholes were patched.

Unfinished Business: Motion was made by A. Casebar and seconded by B. Williams to purchase a 2019 Ford F-350 truck from Woltz & Wind Ford through the COSTARS program for the cost of \$42,416.00. Motion was carried by unanimous call of the roll by the Secretary.

Motion was made by A. Casebar and seconded by B. Williams to approve Resolution No. 4-2019. Due to repeated failures of the owners of rental properties in the Borough of New Eagle to bring their properties into compliance with the Code of Ordinances, it is necessary to impose a \$25 fee for reinspection of rental properties. Motion was carried by unanimous call of the roll by Secretary.

No further business was discussed, motion to adjourn meeting at 7:34 was made by B. Williams and seconded by A. Casebar. Motion was carried by unanimous call of the roll by the Secretary.

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Kimberly Koontz                      Secretary