

**THE BOROUGH OF NEW EAGLE
157 MAIN STREET
NEW EAGLE, PA 15067**

New Eagle Borough Council met on Tuesday, December 15, 2020 by Zoom teleconference due to the COVID-19 Pandemic restrictions.

The meeting was called to order by Council President, J. Fine, the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Roll call was taken by Kimberly Koontz, Borough Secretary, there being a quorum present the meeting was called to order.

Present: J. Fine, B. Williams, D. Walters, S. Bobnar, T. Chaney

Others present: Solicitor T. Berggren, Mayor C. Fine, Police Chief K. Harris

Minutes from the November 24, 2020 was presented to Council for approval. A correction to the November minutes was made by T. Chaney. CR Electric was to be added to the minutes for installing cameras at the Maple Avenue ball field. Motion to approve the minutes with the correction was made by B. Williams and seconded by T. Chaney. Motion carried by unanimous call of the roll by the Secretary.

Motion to approve bills in the amount of \$78,240.23 (Bill list A \$71,752.14, Bill list B \$6488.09) was made by T. Chaney and seconded by S. Bobnar. Motion carried by unanimous call of the roll by the Secretary.

S. Bobnar reported on the Public Works Dept. The salt shed was repaired, a large tarp was purchased. The bucket truck was utilized from Mon City Road Dept. Work continues on the pond with dredging and hauling material. A drainpipe will need replaced once the mud is hauled away, seeding will have to wait until spring. Public Works was called out one time after hours for road treatment due to snow.

Motion to approve the tentative agreement reached between the Teamsters Union and the Borough for a period of one year, January 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021 was made by D. Walters and seconded by S. Bobnar. T. Chaney voted to approve the agreement. J. Fine and B. Williams voted not to approve. Motion was carried with three yes votes and two no votes.

Motion to approve the 2021 Budget with millage continuing to be the same 2.58 was made by D. Walters and seconded by B. Williams. Motion was carried by unanimous call of the roll by the Secretary.

S. Bobnar reported on the Ambulance. Report from January 1st, 2020 ending September 31st, 2020 average call time was three minutes for New Eagle, minimum response time was one minute and maximum response time was ten minutes due to turning over a rig from a COVID patient. Total calls for the nine-month period was 193.

Police Chief K. Harris reported that patrols continue with the Maple Avenue ball field.

Unfinished Business: Motion to accept the garbage bid received from Big's Sanitation for collection of refuse in the Borough, subject to final review and approval by Solicitor T. Berggren. Motion was made S. Bobnar and seconded by D. Walters. Motion was carried by unanimous call of the roll by the Secretary.

New Business: Motion was made by B. Williams and seconded by D. Walters to purchase a memorial bench in honor of Archie Casebar to be placed at the War Memorial not to exceed \$1100.00, the cost to

is to be shared with the New Eagle Municipal Sewage Authority. Motion was carried by unanimous call of the roll by Secretary.

Other Business: Motion was made by S. Bobnar and seconded by B. Williams to appoint Chas Fine to another five years to the New Eagle Municipal Sewage Authority Board. Motion was carried with the unanimous call of the roll by the Secretary.

Motion was made by S. Bobnar and seconded by B. Williams to approve \$250.00 for the New Eagle Fire Department Santa donation for 2021. This year was covered by the Pizza Station with a donation of \$700.00. Motion was carried by unanimous call of the roll by the Secretary.

Motion to approve the following 2021 meeting dates for Council.

January 12th

February 9th

March 9th

April 13th

May 11th

June 8th

July 13th

August 10th

September 14th

October 12th

November 9th

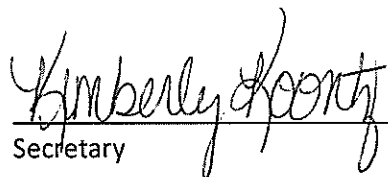
December 14th

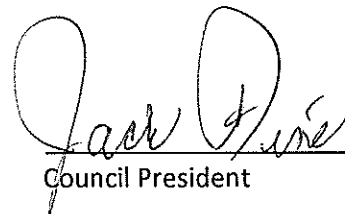
Motion was made by B. Williams and seconded by T. Chaney; motion was carried by unanimous call of the roll by the Secretary.

Motion was made by S. Bobnar and seconded by T. Chaney to have workshops at 5 pm the Wednesday prior to each Council meeting. Motion was carried by unanimous call of the roll by the Secretary.

No further business was discussed, motion adjourn at 7:30 was made by S. Bobnar and seconded by T. Chaney. Motion was carried by unanimous call of the roll by the Secretary.

Attest:


Secretary


Council President