FAWN GROVE BOROUGH COUNCIL MINUTES
September 3, 2024

CALL TO ORDER:
The Fawn Grove Borough Council Meeting was called to order by Council President Compher, at CVFC @ 7:30 p.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL:
Mayor: Cathy Testerman
Council President: Shon Compher
Council Vice President: Adam Absher
Secretary/Treasurer: Terri Marsteller
Solicitor: Absent
SEO/BPO/ZO: Absent
Council Members: K. Scott Booth, Susan Miller, Anna Colvin, Elizabeth Morris Absent : Kenneth Zimmerman

APPROVAL OF AUGUST 2024 MINUTES:
Mr. Absher made motion to approve August 2024 minutes and was seconded by Mr. Booth
Motion carried 5-0
APPROVAL OF BOROUGH INVOICES FOR PAYMENT FOR AUGUST 2024:
Mrs. Morris made motion to authorize payment of invoices for August 2024 and it was seconded by Mr. Booth
Motion Carried 5-0
APPROVAL OF AUGUST 2024 BOROUGH TREASURER'S REPORT:
Mr. Absher made motion to approve the Treasurer's Report with date change for August 2024 and was seconded by Mrs. Colvin
Motion carried 5-0
APPROVAL OF REC INVOICES FOR PAYMENT FOR AUGUST 2024:
Mrs. Colvin made motion to authorize payment of invoices for August 2024 it was seconded by Mr. Booth
Motion Carried 5-0
APPROVAL OF AUGUST 2024 REC TREASURER'S REPORT:
Mr. Absher made motion to approve the Treasurer's Report for August 2024 and was seconded by Mrs. Miller
Motion carried 5-0
MAYOR'S REPORT: CVFC Meeting 8/2/24
APPROVAL OF CITIZENS VOL. FIRE COMPANY CALENDAR OF EVENTS
Mr. Booth moved to approve September 2024 monthly CVFC Calendar of events and was seconded by Mrs. Morris
Motion carried 5-0
APPROVAL OF CITIZENS VOL. FIRE COMPANY FIRE POLICE MUTUAL AID REQUESTS
None
SEO/BUILDING PERMIT OFFICIAL/ZONING OFFICER REPORT: No report
CITIZENS VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY REPORT: Total Calls: 25 Calls in Borough:4 Type: 1 Dwelling fire 1 Control Burn 2 Automatic Fire Alarms
SYCEMS MONTHLY REPORT: Total Calls: 162 Municipal Total: 4 MA received 0 Mutual Aid Received Total: 11 Mutual Aid Given: 36 times (to Life Team/Eureka 4, Wellspan/Red Lion 5, Harford DES 16, Lancaster EMSA 8, Wakefield 0 and Life Team/Canadochly 1 First Capital/Yoe 2 Uncovered Calls: 0 Number of Pre-Scheduled Transports: 0 Number of Times Relocated Due to Non-Call: 0

APPROVED

VISITOR/PUBLIC COMMENTS:

- Mike Krechel-1. Complaining that under SEO/BUILDING PERMIT OFFICIAL/ZONING OFFICER REPORT on Agenda is always "No Report" President Compher replied that when there is something to report on we get a report but there is not much going on in the Borough 2. Feels we need to clean up Public Notice Ordinance 3. Feels Keith Hunnings is overstepping his boundaries as Zoning permit official. President Compher replied that we hire him to handle the Zoning/SEO issues because no one on council is certified or educated to do that job. 4. Reported that the minutes for Planning Commission were not given to Zoning Board until 5 minutes before meeting. Terri stated for the record that she is NOT the secretary for the Planning Commission or the Zoning Board.
- Dave Lowe reported on 8/20 Zoning Hearing he will forward their minutes to Borough so that we can accurately report the conditions of approval. PLEASE SEE ATTACHMENT 1 to these minutes.

OPEN DISCUSSION OF COUNCIL PRESIDENT AND COUNCIL MEMBERS:

- Mr. Booth – Dave Lipinski from Holley Engineering will be here to give report on roads next month
- Mrs. Miller said their community group will be meeting this month and will decide if they can do something for Kindness Week. She also requested that meeting minutes be emailed to council members before meeting. Terri will email a draft copy prior to meeting.
- Mrs. Colvin presented more details on having a mural painted on the Rec building and also Hometown Hero banners. She was given permission to work on these projects if there was no cost to the Borough.
- Mrs. Morris asked what could be done to slow traffic down in front of the Community Church. The Borough cannot install anything unless a costly traffic study was done. Church can put out removable devices to assist with pedestrian crossings
- Terri presented a quote to replace 8 lights in the VFW from Harris Electric. After much discussion a motion was made by Mrs. Morris to go with the Harris Electric Quote of $320 and to have Mr. Booth purchase fixtures at home depot it was seconded by Mrs. Colvin. **Motion carried 4-1**

OLD BUSINESS:

- Kevin Ritz is going to give Borough a quote on New door for REC building
- Clock Project: Mike Miller & Larry Heaps are going to take clock to Shrewsbury for a quote on repairing it.

NEW BUSINESS:

- NONE

SOLICITOR'S REPORT: Solicitor Sharnetzka was absent. 8 Mill Street-Easement Agreement and repair of Stormwater Pipe and Facilities was tabled until next meeting so that solicitor can explain them.

ADJOURMENT:

A motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:36 pm was made by Mr. Absher and seconded by Mrs. Colvin .
Motion carried 5-0

Respectfully Submitted,

Terri C. Marsteller
Secretary/Treasurer

NEXT MEETING OCTOBER 1, 2024 at 7:30 PM

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ATTACHMENT 1

Freedom Fence & Supply Zoning Decision 8.20.24
No. 2024-01
4 pages- Attached

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