



Borough of Mount Joy
Public Works Committee
Meeting Minutes for June 14, 2021
Meeting time: 6:30 PM

Meeting Conducted virtually via Zoom

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT: Councilor Deering, Councilor Ruschke

STAFF PRESENT: Public Works Director Dennis Nissley, Borough Manager Mark Pugliesi, Stormwater Officer Dave Salley

OTHERS PRESENT: Dave Schell, Eric Roering, 717-426-1090, Brian Youngerman

I. APPROVAL OF JUNE 14, 2021 PUBLIC WORKS MEETING AGENDA, Approved

II. HEARING OF ANY CITIZEN CONCERNS – Time limit of three minutes per individual. - None

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES from the May 10, 2021 meeting- With the removal of some extra text the minutes were approved.

IV. ITEMS OF BUSINESS

1. Parks

- A. Park Rules – The park rules were reviewed with new items added. Deering asked if fishing is considered wildlife in item #9. Suggested to add #17 to allow fishing with a proper license. Deering also asked to have the phrase “without written permission of the Borough” removed from specific items and one blanket statement added at the end. The rules are to be sent to Public Safety Committee for their review.
- B. Church of God request for Memorial Park – The Committee discussed the Church of God request and was not in favor of moving this to Council as proposed but will support this activity at any other park in the borough.

2. Stormwater

- A. NFWF Grant – Salley reported on the status of the NFWF planning grant for streambank restoration.

3. Streets and Alleys

- A. Street Project updates - Nissley reported on numerous street projects that are in the planning stages and current projects for 2021.

4. Grants update

- A. DEP 902 Grant – Nissley reported that final reimbursement for the 2019 grant is expected soon. And DEP has opened a new grant round for 2021 has a September 24, 2021 deadline for application.
- B. ARLE Grant – Nissley reported that the final ROW easement is expected soon.

C. Flood Mitigation Grant – Borough Basin – Nissley reported that the work at the basin is planned for late August into September.

5. Marietta Avenue Paving and Pedestrian Project – Nissley reported that PennDOT is evaluating some of the handicap ramps that have ponding issues.

6. Discuss starting wages for Parks/Public Works Department – The Committee discussed starting wage for Public Works and will plan to continue to discuss it further .

V. HEARING OF ANY CITIZEN CONCERNS – Time limit of three minutes per individual.

1. Brian Youngerman expressed his desire to see meetings continue on line after in person meetings are reinstated.

VI. ANY OTHER MATTER TO COME BEFORE THE COMMITTEE - None

VII. EXECUTIVE SESSION – to discuss personnel matters – Executive session was held to discuss personnel matters.

VIII. The Committee came out of Executive Session at 7:49 PM and a motion was made by Ruschke seconded by Deering for staff to create a job description for the position of Assistant Public Works Director

IX. ADJOURN – 7:50 PM