



Borough of Mount Joy
Public Works Committee
Meeting Minutes for February 8, 2021
Meeting time: 6:30 PM

Meeting conducted virtually via Zoom

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT: Councilor Deering, Councilor Ginder, Councilor Ruschke

STAFF PRESENT: Public Works Director Dennis Nissley, Borough Manager Casey Kraus, Stormwater Officer Dave Salley

OTHERS PRESENT: Brian Youngerman, Dave Christian, Joanne Pinkerton, Jody Carroll, Ron Grose

Councilor Deering called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM.

I. APPROVAL OF FEBRUARY 8, 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 January 11, 2021 meeting - Approved

IV. ITEMS OF BUSINESS

1. Parks

A. Rotary Park workday and Movies in the Park – Dave Christian, Joanne Pinkerton and Jody Carroll presented their ideas for Movies in the Park at Rotary Park. The Committee was in favor of forwarding this concept to Council for consideration and approval. Dave Christian outlined the plans for the Rotary Park workday scheduled for April 10, 2021.

2. Stormwater

A. Stormwater pipe replacement on SR 772 – Salley presented material and cost estimates for stormwater pipe replacement along SR772 from Old Market Street to the borough boundary. This project needs to be done in 2021 prior to repaving of SR772 by PennDOT.

3. Streets and Alleys

A. PennDOT 772 Resurfacing - Nissley reported that he has been in contact with PennDOT about which ADA ramps will be included in the project by PennDOT. PennDOT is developing plans for the project. Nissley inquired about a HOP and PennDOT suggested that a HOP will be necessary for any ramps, curbs and sidewalks that the borough or property owners need to replace. Nissley suggested that the Borough should apply for all of the repairs.

- B. SR 772 Rerouting – Nissley reported that from recent communication with PennDOT, they have plans to reconfigure Manheim Street at Main Street. PennDOT will send plans to the borough for input on the design.
- C. Paula's 5K run – Councilor Deering reported that Paula's is working on plans for a 5K run on April 24, 2021. They are requesting that S. Market Street be closed from Main Street to Marietta Street. The Committee moved to have this request presented to Council, upon finding out the length of time that the street would need to be closed.
- D. Pinkerton Rd planning – Nissley reported on planning that is ongoing, involving location of water and gas lines to eliminate conflicts during construction. Nissley reported that he and Stacie Gibbs met with the new owner of 170 New Haven Street business to discuss plans to install curbs and sidewalks along Pinkerton Road. Nissley is suggesting that Council should allow the curbs to radius into the driveways, with ADA detectable warning pads at each entrance, This would be consistent with other business entrances throughout the borough. Nissley also reported that all utilities have been notified about plans for the reconstruction of Pinkerton Rd.
- E. N. Angle St planning – Nissley reported that ARRO has redesigned slopes at the Church Street intersection to lessen impact to property. Utilities have been notified about reconstruction plans for N. Angle Street. A stormwater inlet will be added at W. Main Street and N. Angle Street.
- F. Donegal Springs Rd turnback/Market Street bridge swap – Nissley reported that PennDOT has enlisted the services of Michael Baker Int. to develop a maintenance cost comparison for Market Street bridge and Donegal Springs Road

4. Grants update

- A. DEP 902 – Nissley reported that the leaf truck is still waiting for parts to be completed
- B. ARLE Grant – Nissley reported that ROW easements are in the process at four locations in the project. After this is completed the plan is to put the project out for bid this spring.
- C. Complete Streets/Active Transportation Guide – Nissley reported that staff met virtually with Michael Baker Int to review the 75% completed guide. A meeting will be planned to introduce the guide to Council and the public.

5. Marietta Avenue Paving and Pedestrian Project – No report

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

VI. ANY OTHER MATTER TO COME BEFORE THE COMMITTEE

- 1. Councilor Deering asked about the status of the Kiwanis MOU for Old Standby Park, Nissley reported that the suggested changes will be made and sent out for review and signatures.

2. Councilor Deering asked if anything is happening regarding the Bruce Ave inlet and piping, Nissley reported that due to weather, staff has not been able to check grades at the low area on Bruce Ave.
3. Councilor Deering asked about the Locust Lane basin and if the borough should be moving forward with acquiring the basin. Nissley and Salley replied that it is not urgent to own the facility, but emergency repairs to protect the infrastructure may need to be done if more sinkholes develop.
4. Councilor Deering mentioned the funds budgeted for sidewalks on park properties.
5. Councilor Deering opened a discussion regarding the train station maintenance and parking enforcement on borough properties that were improved as part of the train station project.

VII. ADJOURN – Meeting was adjourned at 8:23 PM.