

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m. by President Bodish

In attendance were President Bodish, Mayor Burkner, Eisenhauer, Luckenbach, Molitoris, Dreisbach, Sodl, Kern and Solicitor -Preston

President Bodish led pledge of allegiance.

Minutes from workshop meeting of April 4,2023 were approved as presented to council.

All in favor **7; Carried**

Hearing of persons present:

Anne Killeen- Resident questioned: Yard Waste, New Proposed Truck Route and UGI repaving Front & 2nd Street after repairs.

Benson- Nothing to report.

Mayor's Report: Mayor Burkner read a letter written by Chief Emerich, regarding new station location, technology and functions of the Police Department.

Solicitors Report: Nothing to report.

Reports of Officers and Standing committees:

Dreisbach: Will be meeting with Police, finance on topics of technology and changing cell phone plan.

Kern: Nothing to report.

Eisenhauer: New council member employee get booklet/handbook & sign. Coplay Library is not over budget. Vince's food truck 5/9 upper parking lot of Pool.

Luckenbach: Nothing to report.

Molitoris: Craft Fair 4/1 & The Fire Dept moved Egg Hunt indoors due to weather. \$562.60 funds raised from table fees towards pool fund. 50/50 & Basket Raffle raised \$220.00 for Library.

Sodl: Nothing to report.

Bodish: President Bodish reported Public Works yard waste up starts 5/5; 5/13 tire drop off, and 5/18, 5/19 street sweeping.

Unfinished Business:

New Business:

Motion by Luckenbach, second by, Dreisbach to approve police, fire, health and building inspector reports.

All in favor 7; Opposed _____ Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Motion by Eisenhauer, second by, Kern to approve March 2023 Treasurers report.

All in favor 7; Opposed _____ Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Motion by Molitoris, second by, Eisenhower to approve all bills as submitted to members of council.
All in favor 7; Opposed _____ Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Motion by Dreisbach, second by, Luckenbach to approve IRT to use bathrooms at Saylor Park for May 14th Mother's Day Run.
All in favor 7; Opposed _____ Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Motion by Luckenbach, second by, Molitoris to approve Lehigh County to use 165 Cherry Street as a polling Facility on May 16, 2023, for Primary Municipal Election and November 7, 2023 for General Municipal Election.
All in favor 7; Opposed _____ Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Motion by Dreisbach, second by, Kern to approve request from Joe Bundra for Annual \$500.00 check for IRT.
All in favor 7; Opposed _____ Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Motion by Eisenhower, second by, Molitoris to approve for Coplay Garden Club to use the Pavilion on June 9th for rock painting.
All in favor 7; Opposed _____ Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Motion by Luckenbach, second by, Sodl to accept Joe Britt's resignation from Coplay Fire Chief.
All in favor 7; Opposed _____ Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Motion by Luckenbach, second by, Sodl to approve Mark Schuster as Interim Fire Chief.
All in favor 7; Opposed _____ Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Motion by Eisenhower, second by, Kern to approve Kurious Kids Learning center to use Pavilion from 5-8PM on Tuesday April 13, 2023, for Pre-K Graduation with fee waived.
All in favor 7; Opposed _____ Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Motion by Sodl, second by Eisenhower to approve hiring a second Cadet for Police Academy. All in favor 7; Opposed _____ Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Motion by Kern, second by, Eisenhower to reject \$887,000.00 bid for lights & installation at Balliet Stadium.
All in favor 7; Opposed _____ Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Motion by Sodl, second by, Kern to approve bid in the amount of \$100,146.60 for 2nd & Keefer truck route road widening project.
All in favor 7; Opposed _____ Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Motion by Eisenhower, second by Molitoris to approve the parade route as drawn and received for the tot lot dedication May 6th.
All in favor 7; Opposed _____ Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Motion by Luckenbach, second by, Molitoris to approve to close pool every Monday and close at 7 PM in June, July & August to reduce cost of operation.
All in favor 6; Opposed 1, Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Motion by, Molitoris, second by Luckenbach to approve Pool opening date of June 17, 2023 and closing August 27, 2023.
All in favor 6; Opposed 1, Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Motion by Sodl, second by Kern to approve Chief Emerich's written request to be paid out 40 hours of comp time for next pay period as agreed to in Collective Bargaining Agreement.
All in favor 7; Opposed _____ Abstain _____ **Carried/Denied**

Any other items for Discussion:

Next Meetings

May 2, 2023 Workshop Meeting at 7:00 PM

May 9, 2023 Regular Meeting at 7:00 PM

Motion by Kern, second by Molitoris to adjourn meeting 7:43 PM.