

Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM by Pres. Bodish.

In attendance were Bodish, Mayor Burkner, Hermany, Kern, Luckenbach, Sodl, Boyle, Santoroski, Chief Emerich and Fire Chief Britt  
EMA Grim was absent

Pres. Bodish led pledge of allegiance:

Hearing of person:

Kathy Kidd spoke on a nuisance with her neighboring property, asking if the Borough could look into a disruptive tenant conduct reports ordinance where it would charge the Homeowner or landlord if many complaints are called multiple times about the same property.

Heather and Dan Repp asked the council what can be done about the flooding on Tapler that runs through their yard. They inquired about putting up a small barrier wall on their property to divert the water away from their pool area if the borough would grant a variance. They thanked President Bodish, PWD Boyle and Ron Helman for coming out to look at their property and let them know what can be done.

PWD Boyle- reported Tire Drop Saturday May 11<sup>th</sup> 10-2Pm. Street sweeping will be Wednesday & Thursday May 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>. Painting the pool will start next week, handicap benches have been put together and have been relocated to their spots, recreation will have to meet to see where they will be placed, both at town square and tot lot and permanently affixed to keep in compliance with grant.

BCO Helman- report will be submitted before the next meeting.

Chief Emerich- reported 183 calls, 3 arrests. Jan-April – totals calls down by 50. Chief Emerich thanked Mr.

Santoroski and Police Coordinator Humanick for helping with the interview process, he thanked Melissa Hudak and Dennis Wehr for Joining the Police Civil Service Commission.

Fire Chief Britt -reported 14 calls. 3 fire 88 total to date. Completed Trainings - 5 members -hazmat - 2 members -Bucks Fire Academy -1 member -water rescue and 1 member -Emerg Driver Training. In June Coplay will be hosting a Water rescue class. Fire Chief Britt thanked all the Borough residents who donated to their fund drive.

EMA Grim- Absent

Benson – Read request to join Civil Service Commission from Dennis, read letter from Juvenile Probation expressing thanks and appreciation for them being able to use the room upstairs and the gymnasium.

Discussion of any problems/matters:

Mayor- Thanked Dean and Tiffany for progressing with hiring lifeguards and gate guards.

Hermany – reported Park and Rec has been really busy, interviews for Pool manager, lifeguards and gate guards is continuing and going well, Dean thanked Tiffany for all her help with applications and paperwork and hopes council will approve all that is going on. New Pumps were put in at the pool and benches with a grant.

Mr. Hermany thanked Pwd Boyle and his Public works team for all their help with the pool, benches, and summer entertainment help. Cleaning personnel is also on the agenda for the Pavilion.

Kern- met with Joe Obrian from Univest who deals with Municipal Capital Financing, he deals with leasing vehicles rather than buying outright. It's still purchasing the vehicle but not paying upfront. He also does financing for technology and building capital.

Administration – running normal, office closed Memorial day.

Luckenbach-nothing to report

Santoroski – Grants- Submitted CDBG Grant for 11<sup>th</sup> Street and looking at Flood Mitigation and Greenways.

Sodl – Sodl thanked Chief Emerich, and Mr. Britt for his services and emphasized his gratitude for the training the Fire Department is undertaking.

Bodish – asked for a finance meeting so Balliet stadium grant can be discussed.

Hearing of Persons Present:

Mr. Sodl asked that we add the salaries for Pool Manager, Lifeguards and Gate Guards to regular meeting.

At Regular Meeting:

Approve Sally Bates for Pool Manager for 2024 Season.

Approve Logan Lemak, Elijah Fox, Victoria Carson, Alivia Kurczuski, Alexis Quach, Abigail Enstrom, Jackson Rozjicki & Maliya Walp as Lifeguards for 2024 Season.

Approve Zachary Kresge, Andrew Sodl & Sophia Andre as Gate Guards for 2024 Season.

Approve Amanda Doss for Pavilion cleaner.

Approve Michael (Mick) Dee for open seat on Coplay Borough Council.

Approve Dennis Wehr for Coplay Borough Civil Service Commission.

Approve Fire Department Coin Toss at 2<sup>nd</sup> & Chestnut on May 25<sup>th</sup> from 10-2PM.

Approve Joseph Britt for Part time at \$29.00 rate for Police Department.

Approve Wayne Green for Part time at \$29.00 rate for Police Department.

Approve William Globosits for Part time at \$29.00 rate for Police Department.

Approve Resolution 1511 amending grant increase amount from \$250,000 to \$500,000 awarded from Keystone Communities Grant for Balliet Stadium Lighting and field upgrades.

Approve purchase of Data Pilot Program that includes Software and Hardware for Cellphone data extraction in the amount of \$6,285.00 for Police Department.

Regular meeting scheduled for Tuesday, May 14, 2024 at 7 PM.

Motion by Kern, second by Luckenbach to adjourn meeting into executive session at 8:15PM

All in Favor 7 **Carried**/Denied