

McSherrystown Borough Council  
September 14, 2022  
meeting minutes

Meeting was called to order at 6:30, followed by the pledge of allegiance and a prayer.

In attendance was Dan Colgan, Joyce Murren, George Staub, Donna Spangler. Joe Vonsas arrived late. Staff present was Mayor Todt and Justin George.

A conditional use hearing was held for the property at 401 Ridge Avenue. Tracey Weih wants to use the property as a small gift shop. Motion made by Vonsas to allow usage from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. weekdays and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on weekends. Seconded by Colgan.

Rollcall vote was a unanimous yes.

Approval of meeting minutes from August 14 were accepted. Motion by Staub and seconded by Spangler.

Committee reports

personnel ; Adds were placed on Indeed for 2 parttime office employees

planning and zoning ; Public meeting was held September 20 at 6:30 regarding Eagle Rock highways: no report

building and grounds : no report

civil service : no report

public safety : committee met with representatives of SAVES regarding the letter of support requested from them. Two leaders of the Junior Fire program explained what the program is about. They were invited to a future meeting .

recreation : no report

sewer : no report

solid waste : Vonsas read a letter from a resident asking why townfolks have a pay increase yet Neiderers isn't recycling . Joe says there are still 2 trucks picking up refuse and Neiderers is actually losing money, so the claim by the letter writer is wrong.

Finance: Budget talks will be soon

mayor : no report

solicitor : drafting of Shentel agreement is being worked on

public comment : tom Snyder, lefty murren , rob neiderer, jan bankert, becky kopf, rick groft, kim wayne, bill smith

old business

ADA ramp : no bids were received

trugreen was expected to spray in latter part of September

new business

safety committee is looking into new traffic patterns for tractor trailer drivers through our streets. Residents are encouraged to send their ideas to borough office.

Trick or Treat will be held October 25, from 6pm-8pm. Motion by Vonsas, seconded by Spangler. Vote was unanimous yes

A letter of approval

regarding UPMC takeover of EMS and ambulance was motioned by Colgan and seconded by Vonsas.  
Vote was unanimous yes

Pavillion rentals will include the option of cancellation or re-scheduling of event.if a cancellation occurs,due to bad weather, the payment will be returned . Motion bu Vonsas and seconded by Staub  
Next public meeting will be held on October 12,2022,at 6:30 .

respectfully submitted : Joyce Murren