

WOODSTOWN BOROUGH COUNCIL MINUTES

May 22, 2018

The regular meeting of the Borough Council of the Borough of Woodstown, County of Salem was held at 7:00 PM in the Borough Hall in accordance with the Annual Notice adopted January 2, 2018 advertised in the South Jersey Times and the Daily Journal posted in the Borough Hall Foyer in compliance with the Sunshine Law NJSA 10:4-5 to 10:4-21.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor, Don Dietrich, followed by the flag salute.

The following members were present:

John Hall	Glenn Merkle
Joe Hiles	Valerie Lacy
Don Dietrich	
Bertha Hyman	

The following members were absent:

Deb Tierno

Also Present:

Karin Wood	Erik Biermann
Floyd McNally	Wesley Burden
Cris Simmermon	Melissa Fackler
Jim Hackett	Boy Scout Troop 238
Ellen Perry	

Public Portion

Ellen Perry thanked Mrs. Hyman for helping her with an issue.

Boy Scout Troop 238 led us in the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a question and answer session about what Council does and how Woodstown operates.

Minutes

Approval of Council minutes from May 8, 2018 was done on a motion by Mr. Merkle and second by Mr. Hiles with a unanimous vote.

Solicitor's Report

351 S. Main Street does not have permits yet for construction and Mrs. Wood will be following up by email with the owners to remind them of the requirements.

Finance

Tax Collectors Report was presented for review.

Mr. Hackett informed Council that there are no more funds in the Building and Grounds line item.

Public Safety

Trailers have been placed on the parking lot behind Ambulance Hall and electric will be connected within the week. Demolition has been approved and we are not sure yet as to when it will actually begin.

Utilities

RE Pierson water connection application is under review by the DEP.

Sewer pipe on Route 40 and N Main will be videoed overnight this week.

Streets and Roads

No report.

General Government

RESOLUTION 2018-39

Resolution affirming civil rights policy was approved on a motion by Mr. Hiles and seconded by Mr. Merkle followed by a unanimous roll call vote.

Health, Recreation & Open Space

Mr. Hall asked Mrs. Wood to research JIF requirements to determine if signs need to be posted around open water.

The current zoning for the lots owned by the Borough on East Millbrooke require a minimum lot size of 8 acres so they are not currently buildable. The ordinance would have to be amended to change the lot size.

New sign has been put up for no right hand turn for trucks over 10,000lbs onto Auburn Road.

Paying the bills with additions was approved by Mr. Hiles and seconded by Mr. Merkle followed by unanimous vote.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned 7:45 PM

Melissa Fackler, Deputy Clerk