

LUZERNE BOROUGH
Monthly Council Meeting
February 12, 2025 6:30PM

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

The February 12, 2025 meeting was called to order @ 6:30PM at the Luzerne Volunteer Fire Department by Chairman Michael Jancuska

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

Officials Present

Council- Michael Jancuska, Jason Tarreto, Joseph Kovalick, John Yarmel, Mayor Ron Reino
Also Present –Solicitor Jonathan Spohrer
Absent – Susan Kalinay

APPROVAL TO ACCEPT MEETING MINUTES AS WRITTEN

January 8, 2025 – Motion by Jason Tarreto 2nd Joseph Kovalick to accept the minutes as written

All In Favor – None Opposed – Motion Carried

AUTHORIZATION TO PAY BILLS – as of February 12, 2025

Expense Report read by Chairman Michael Jancuska

Motion by Jason Tarreto 2nd Joseph Kovalick to accept the report as written

All In Favor – None Opposed – Motion Carried

AUTHORIZATION TO DEPOSIT FUNDS – as of February 12, 2025

Income Report read by Chairman Michael Jancuska

Motion by John Yarmel 2nd Jason Tarreto to accept the report & deposit the funds in their appropriate accounts.

All In Favor –None Opposed – Motion Carried

TREASURERS REPORT – as of January 31, 2025

Motion by Jason Tarreto 2nd Joseph Kovalick to accept the Treasurer's report as written.

All In Favor-None Opposed-Motion Carried

REPORTS

Mayor Ron Reino - asked Council to consider the following part time police officers at the rate of \$23.00 per hr. for the month of March 2025, Anthony Smith, Greg Johnson Sr, Greg Johnson Jr, Darrin Bidwell, Joseph Weiberth, Christopher Vecchi, Joseph Schlagel, Daniel Duffy, Robert Shupp and David Balchun

Motion to hire by Jason Tarreto 2nd John Yarmel

All In Favor – None Opposed – Motion Carried

Mayor Ron Reino- Community Meeting and Park Clean up

Michael Jancuska – Sidewalk clean after snowstorms

Jason Tarreto- Reported 90 calls for service for the month of January 2025

Susan Kalinay- Absent

John Yarmel – Handicap Ordinance Revision

Joe Kovalick – Garbage Fund \$53,000 into CDs

Report by Solicitor – None

Report by Engineer – None

CORRESPONDENCE - None

OLD BUSINESS/NEW BUSINESS

- ❖ LOOP Internet – Presentation by Representative
- ❖ Infocom Corp – Motion made at December 2024 meeting to accept
- ❖ Fire Escrow Account for 444 Walnut St. – Motion by Jason Tarreto 2nd Joseph Kovalick to disperse funds to Bruce Evans in the amount of \$13,325.00.
All In Favor-None Opposed- Motion Carried
- ❖ Traffic Signal Maintenance Agreement- Motion by Joseph Kovalick 2nd Jason Tarreto to accept agreement.
All In Favor – None Opposed – Motion Carried
- ❖ Handicap Request for 503 Vaughn St - TABLED
- ❖ Hiring of Crossing Guard for Main & Tener – TABLED
- ❖ Main St Parking Lot Signage – Jason to look into pricing.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Natalie Goodman- Grants

Judy Schoenwetter – LOOP internet

ADJOURNMENT - Motion by Jason Tarreto 2nd John Yarmel to adjourn

All In Favor – None Opposed – Motion Carried


Nicole Lord
Assistant Secretary


Michael Jancuska
Chairman


Ron Reino
Mayor