

ROLL CALL

A regular monthly meeting of North Braddock was held in the Council Chamber, Municipal Bldg., 600 Anderson Street, North Braddock, PA 15104 on March 15, 2022 at 7:00 PM with the following members present: Breaston, Giles, Nigro, Parker, Ruiz, Sepesy, Vahosky, Vargo and Franklin. Mayor Lee was also present.

Minutes

Vahosky-Nigro--That the minutes from the Borough Council meeting held February 15, 2022 are approved as printed.
MOTION CARRIED

COMMUNICATIONS

- Fraternl Order of Police Lodge #91 FOP indicating intent to negotiate the part time police contract
- Enterprise Zone Monthly report
- Tax Collector Report
- Terry B. White 906 Coalmont Street North Braddock, PA Terry B. White reporting a tree threatening properties at Coalmont & Benton Sts.
- Glenn Engineering Monthly report
- Suspend Rules of Council Sepesy-Nigro--That the regular rules of Council be suspended to let those in the audience who wish to address Council do so.
MOTION CARRIED
- Citizens Addressing Council
 - Mr. Irvin Seddon Avenue Stated there are 21 vacant houses on Seddon Avenue
 - President of Council Franklin explained Council is developing a grant program to provide job training for demo projects.
 - Edith Abeyta 1507 Wolfe Avenue Presented flyers on community map making
 - D. Mehalic Crosby Avenue Reported the contractor created a mess at the lot across from his residence
 - Return to Regular Rules of Council Nigro-Parker--That the Council return to the regular order of business
 - Reports Code Officer
 - Reviewed the monthly report. Reported he is awaiting a court date for the citation he issued on the Tengraphics property.
 - Breaston-Giles--Make a motion to accept the report
MOTION CARRIED
 - Tax Collector
 - Reported on the 2021 year end report indicating over \$617,000.00 was collected in 2021.
 - Vargo-Parker accept report
MOTION CARRIED
 - Public Works
 - Supervisor reported repais were made to required barriers along the Hawkins Bridge. Met with US Steel about improved pedestrian and vehicular safety at the plant gates.
 - Vahosky-Vargo accept report
MOTION CARRIED
 - Mayor
 - Reported 350 calls received for the month. Reported a prayer walk will be held March 19th and a Giant Eagle Food Truck will be in town on Bell Avenue.
 - Vargo-Sepesy accept report
MOTION CARRIED
 - Police Chief
 - Reported abandon car removal will become a priority. The Dept. is actively recruting officer candidates.
 - Giles/Sepesy accept report
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 - Council Member Ruiz
 - Reported the communication committee is setting up a Brough facebook page and considering a quarterly newsletter.
 - Sepesy-Nigro accept report
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 - Council Member Breaston
 - Reported US Steel will assist with rebuilding the Hakwins Avenue Recreation site wall. Also elaborated on the safety meeting with US Steel.
 - Nigro-Sepesy accept report
MOTION CARRIED

MOTION BY J. SEPESEY and C. NIGRO TO ACCEPT ALL REPORTS

NEW BUSINESS

- Approve TAN documents Ruiz-Breaston--That the resolution approving and authorizing execution of TAN documents be approved.
MOTION CARRIED
- Ratify Payrolls Sepesy-Giles--That the payrolls dated Feb. 9th & Feb. 24,2022 are ratified and approved for payment.
MOTION CARRIED
- Authorize tree removal on Coalmont & Benton Breaston-Giles--Authorize the removal of a dead tree at Coalmont & Benton Sts..
MOTION CARRIED
- Ratify Bills Sepesy-Vahosky--That the bills approved by the respective chairperson are approved for payment.
MOTION CARRIED
- Executive Session Vahosky-Nigro--That the Council move to executive session to discuss personnel.
MOTION CARRIED
- Return to Regular Order of Business Vahosky-Breaston--That the Council return to the regular order of business.
MOTION CARRIED
- ADJOURN Sepesy-Nigro--That the Council be adjourned to the call of the chair.
MOTION CARRIED