

**North Braddock Borough
Borough Council Meeting
Minutes**



**Tuesday
March 19, 2024
06:30 PM**

Call to Order:

The President of Council called the meeting to order at 6:33 PM

Roll Call:

Breaston
Giles
Nigro
Parker
Sepesy
Vahosky
Vargo
Franklin-Robinson

Also Present:

Mayor: Cletus Lee
Manager: Nathan 'Jay' Bish
Foreman: Jerome Sepesy
Solicitor: Lisa Michel
Code Officer: Anthony Rydzak
Police Chief: Ryan Wooten

Absent With Cause:

Ruiz

Agenda:

A motion was made by Giles and seconded by Parker to amend the agenda to add the following motion:

A motion to approve the settlement of Berneisser and Hollem v. Borough of North Braddock et al

Approved Unanimously

A motion was made by Vargo and seconded by Vahosky to approve the agenda as amended.

Approved Unanimously

Minutes:

A motion was made by Giles and seconded by Parker to approve the meeting minutes from the Borough Council Meetings held February 20, 2024 as presented.

Approved Unanimously

Reports:

*Engineer's Report
Mayor's Report
Code Enforcement Report
Foreman's/ Fire Report
Tax Collector's Report
Managers/Treasurer's Report*

Citizens:

Dara Johnson: Lives at 507 Verona; asked about status of paving of Garden Court. Commented on potholes on Verona.

Ross Mitchell: Asked about tree trimming on sixth street. Asked about the status of delinquent borough taxes.

Donna Brooks: Asked about status of a vehicle accident report. Asked about the process of setting up payment plans with delinquent tax agency. Asked if there was anything that could be done to help with excessive deer in the borough. Asked about changing location of street lights.

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Mandee Williams: Thanked Councilmember Breaston for assistance with housing a local family. Spoke about the upcoming 135th birthday of the Braddock Carnegie Library on April 13th and a book club event on April 27th. Asked about setting up games for cleanup day.

New Business:

1. A motion was made by Vahosky and seconded by Vargo to authorize the Borough Administration to advertise the borough owned 2015 Ford Explorer on Municibid.

Approved Unanimously

2. A motion was made by Giles and seconded by Parker to approve the Concurring Resolution requesting \$20,000.00 in CDBG funds for the demolition of 1718 Murdough North Braddock PA 15104.

Approved Unanimously

3. A motion was made by Vargo and seconded by Vahosky to approve the Blessing of the Neighborhood Walk for March 23, 2024 from 10Am until 2 PM

Approved Unanimously

4. A motion was made by Breaston and seconded b Vargo to approve the Planting Proposal for Legends Playground by Tree Pittsburgh

Approved Unanimously

5. A motion was made by Nigro and seconded by Giles to approve and adopt the Demolition Slums and Blight Resolution

Approved Unanimously

6. A motion was made by Giles and seconded by Vahosky to approve the borough payrolls and monthly bills as presented.

Approved Unanimously

7. A motion was made by Parker and seconded by Vargo to approve the settlement of Berneisser and Hollem v. Borough of North Braddock et al

Approved Unanimously

Adjournment:

A motion was made by Vargo and seconded by Nigro to adjourn the meeting at 7:56 PM

Approved Unanimously