Borough of Robesonia Council Workshop Meeting Minutes June 17, 2024

The regular advertised Workshop Meeting of the Borough of Robesonia Council was held on Monday, June 17, 2024 at the Robesonia Borough Hall located at 75 S. Brooke Street Robesonia, PA. The following Council members attended:

Harvey W. Marshall, President Mark Spotts, Vice President Matthew Miller, President Pro-Tem Jame Burrus Dean Johnson Michael Martin Mayor Rodney Soliday - Absent

Staff: Borough Manager Elizabeth Miller.

The meeting was called to order at 7:03 PM by Harvey Marshall with the pledge of allegiance.

Meeting Minutes

• The June 3, 2024 Council Meeting Minutes will be approved at the July 1, 2024 Council Meeting.

New Business:

Appointment to Vacant Borough Council Seat: President Harvey Marshall stated that three candidates had submitted a letter of interest to the Borough. Harvey Marshall opened the floor up for nominations. A motion was made by Jame Burrus to nominate David Bright to the vacant Borough Council seat. Seconded by Mark Spotts. Motion carried. A motion was made by Michael Martin to close nominations. Seconded by Dean Johnson. Council congratulated David Bright on his appointment. David Bright will be sworn in at the July 1, 2024 Council Meeting.

<u>Hiring of Special Council:</u> A motion was made by Matthew Miller to hire Eric Brown from Siana Law. Seconded by Jame Burrus. Motion carried.

<u>Library Lease Agreement Discussion:</u> President Harvey Marshall asked Council to review the lease agreement comments received from the library and provide him with their thoughts by the middle of the week.

Council Members Reports:

• Spotts: Mark Spotts informed Council that he had a discussion with Steve Bright from the CW Lions Club regarding the status of the playground replacement.

Executive Session:

The Council entered into an Executive Session at 7:21 PM to discuss potential litigation matters.

The meeting reconvened at 7:35 PM.

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Public Comment:

David Randler: David Randler reminded Council and guests that the Parks & Recreation sponsored Community Night will be held July 5, 2024 at the Conrad Weiser Community Pool. The event is from 6:00 PM – 9:00 PM and is free and open to the public. Music will be provided by Frankie Guatieri.

Simone Egipciaco: Simone Egipciaco questioned why her letter of interest was not submitted to Council tonight. Harvey Marshall informed her that the deadline for submission was June 12[,] 2024. Leslie Pearl-Roth: Leslie Pearl-Roth thanked Council for their willingness to work with the library.

Cindy Murdough: Cindy Murdough inquired about the when the Borough will have free Conrad Weiser Community Pool passes to give out. Harvey Marshall informed Cindy that they will be available this week. The Borough will post the information on their Facebook page.

Beth Sattizahn: Beth Sattizahn had a discussion with Council regarding upcoming vacant Council positions, the current South Heidelberg Police coverage, and the possibility of adding the trash to the tax bill.

Adjourn Meeting

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made at 7:50 PM by Mark Spotts. Seconded by Dean Johnson. Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Elizabeth Miller Borough Manager Robesonia Borough