

MILTON BOROUGH COUNCIL
(Hybrid Meeting)

April 24, 2024
7:00 p.m.

The meeting was called to order by President Walker. The following Councilpersons were in attendance: Mr. Moralez, Mrs. Meckley, Ms. Fawess, Mrs. Mabus, Mr. Derr, Mr. Schemreif, Mr. Swartz, Mr. Pfeil, and Mr. Robol. Also, in attendance were Jessie Novinger, Jennifer Lamoreaux, Amy Day, Chief Zettlemoyer, Atty Wiley, and Mayor Aber. Absent from the meeting were: Sam Shaffer and Doug Diehl

Minutes: On motion of Mr. Moralez, seconded by Mr. Swartz, and carried, Council approved the minutes from the April 10, 2024, Council meeting.

Report of the Borough Manager: Mrs. Novinger advised Council that the new Durango was picked up for upfitting this week. She also advised that she received the resignation of Ryan Kitchen, a DPW operator, and that his last day with the Borough would be Friday, May 3, 2024.

Mrs. Novinger requested consideration from Council to accept his resignation, and to advertise the vacancy.

- On Motion from Mr. Moralez, seconded by Mr. Derr, and Carried, Council approved this request.
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Mrs. Novinger advised that the curb cut project on South Turbot began this week utilizing CDBG funding. Lastly she advised that the Borough has been receiving calls about the bridge work between Milton and West Milton and further information was provided in the Manager's Report.

Report of the Mayor: Mayor Aber wished Chief Zettlemoyer a "Happy Birthday". He reported that he was asked to throw out the first pitch at Little League Baseball's opening day and that he was very honored to be asked. He advised it wasn't the greatest throw, but it did roll to Homeplate. He also thanked Dale Pfeil for his help to get to the pitching mound. He thanked Little League and Sam for making the area look great. He wished Mrs. Novinger, Amy Day, Jennifer Lamoreaux, and Danielle Seidel a happy Administrative Assistant Day.

Report of the President of Council: President Walker echoed the Mayor's remarks about Administrative Assistant Day. He welcomed the mayor back to the meetings.

Report of Chief of Police: Chief Zettlemoyer reiterated that the Durango was picked up this week for upfitting. He reported that several people have inquired if we will be selling the car (Dodge Charger), if we do sell it will it be on Municibid? He advised on the ongoing investigation in the Borough and advised a few more warrants will be issued and as soon as he can share more information he will. He stated all the officers worked well with all the agencies that were called in to help. Lastly, he advised that Corporal Zettelmoyer was away at field training officer school. He brought back some items for the new officer. The officers are happy with the way things are going right now. He advised that if anyone sees the new officer, they are waiting for his full uniform to come in, he is wearing a vest and some other items, but not everything is in yet. He is out learning the streets and basic items needed.

Report of Public Works Director: No report

Report of the Fire Chief: President Walker read the Fire Department report as: For the month of April the fire department has responded to 18 additional calls, the volunteer QRS has responded to 16 calls for service. MICU 15 has responded to 158 calls.

Public Comments: No Comments

Public Works and Cemeteries: No Comments

Public Safety:

- Consideration to approve a request from the Greater Susquehanna Valley YMCA to use the large pavilion in Brown Ave. Park for a special presentation by the PA State Police Tactical Mounted Section on July 9, 2024. The PSP will have 2 horses onsite that day for the presentation.
- On motion from Mr. Derr, seconded by Mr. Moralez, and carried, Council approved the request.

General Government and Finance:

- Consideration to approve paying the bills in the amount of \$165,883.20.
 - On motion from Ms. Fawess, seconded by Mrs. Meckley, and carried, Council approved this request.

At this time President Walker just wanted to state his Thanks. He thanked all the agencies that helped with the incident in town last week, as well as the fire department, ambulance service and all other agencies that help in those types of situations.

At this time, 7:09 p.m., motion to adjourn was made by Mrs. Meckley, seconded by Ms. Fawess, Council adjourned.

Submitted By:

Jennifer Lamoreaux
Borough Secretary/Treasurer

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