TULLYTOWN BOROUGH COUNCIL ORGANIZATION MEETING JANUARY 4, 2022

President Nina Chrzanowski called the Organization meeting to order on Tuesday, January 4, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Present at the meeting:
Councilwoman Chrzanowski
Councilman Czyzyk
Councilman Saunders
Councilman Pirolli
Councilwoman Gahagan
Councilman Shellenberger
Councilman Servis

Also present:

Daniel Pasciullo, Fire Marshal/Interim Borough Coordinator Joe McPadden, Borough Treasurer Patricia Marks, Borough Secretary

Mrs. Marks advised that the Affidavits of Residency were signed and notarized prior to the meeting.

The Honorable District Justice Terrence Hughes administered oaths of office to the newly elected officers; namely, Mary Ann Gahagan, Ed Czyzyk, Scott Saunders and Mike Sidoti.

NOMINATION AND ELECTION OF COUNCIL PRESIDENT

Mrs. Chrzanowski asked for nominations for Council President.

Mr. Shellenberger nominated Ms. Gahagan as Council President, seconded by Mr. Czyzyk.

There were no other nominations.

Roll call vote was taken:

Mr. Pirolli—for

Mrs. Chrzanowski—against

Mr. Saunders—for

Mr. Czyzyk—for

Ms. Gahagan—for

Mr. Shellenberger—for

Mr. Servis-for

All of council was in favor of the motion; the motion carried.

Ms. Gahagan assumed the chair for the remainder of the meeting.

NOMINATION AND ELECTION OF COUNCIL VICE PRESIDENT

Ms. Gahagan asked for nominations for Council Vice President.

Mr. Servis nominated Mr. Shellenberger, seconded by Mr. Czyzyk.

There were no other nominations.

Roll call vote was taken:

Mr. Pirolli—for

Mrs. Chrzanowski—for

Mr. Saunders—for

Mr. Czyzyk—for

Ms. Gahagan—for

Mr. Shellenberger—abstain

Mr. Servis—for

6 were in favor, 1 abstention; the motion carried.

NOMINATION AND ELECTION OF COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEM

Ms. Gahagan asked for nominations for Council President Pro Tem.

Mr. Czyzyk nominated Mr. Servis, seconded by Mr. Saunders.

There were no other nominations.

Roll call vote was taken:

Mr. Pirolli—for

Mrs. Chrzanowski—for

Mr. Saunders—for

Mr. Czyzyk—for

Ms. Gahagan—for

Mr. Shellenberger—for

Mr. Servis-for

All of council was in favor of the motion; the motion carried.

APPOINTMENT OF VACANCY BOARD CHAIR/RESOLUTION #473

Mr. Shellenberger made a motion to appoint Sue Servis as chair of Vacancy Board, seconded by Mr. Czyzyk.

Roll call vote was taken:

Mr. Pirolli—for

Mrs. Chrzanowski—for

Mr. Saunders—for

Mr. Czyzyk—for

Ms. Gahagan—for

Mr. Shellenberger—for

Mr. Servis—abstain

6 in favor; 1 abstention; the motion carried.

CONSIDERATION OF APPOINTMENTS: SOLICITOR APPOINTMENT

Mr. Servis made a motion to appoint Russ Sacco as Solicitor for the same fee as previous Borough Solicitor, seconded by Mr. Czyzyk.

Roll call vote was taken:

Mr. Pirolli—for

Mrs. Chrzanowski—for

Mr. Saunders—for

Mr. Czyzyk—for

Ms. Gahagan—for

Mr. Shellenberger—for

Mr. Servis-for

All of council was in favor of the motion; the motion carried.

ENGINEER APPOINTMENT

Mr. Servis made a motion to appoint Pennoni Engineering as the Borough Engineer at the same rate as the previous Borough Engineer, seconded by Mr. Czyzyk.

Roll call vote was taken:

Mr. Pirolli—for

Mrs. Chrzanowski—for

Mr. Saunders—for

Mr. Czyzyk—for

Ms. Gahagan—for

Mr. Shellenberger—for

Mr. Servis—for

All of council was in favor of the motion; the motion carried.

Bank Appointment

Mr. Servis made a motion to appoint Penn Community Bank as Borough Bank, seconded by Mr. Czyzyk.

Roll call vote was taken:

Mr. Pirolli—for

Mrs. Chrzanowski—for

Mr. Saunders—for

Mr. Czyzyk—for

Ms. Gahagan—for

Mr. Shellenberger—for

Mr. Servis—for

All of council was in favor of the motion; the motion carried.

SECRETARY APPOINTMENT

Mr. Shellenberger made a motion to appoint Pat Marks as Borough Secretary, seconded by Mrs. Chrzanowski.

Roll call vote was taken:

Mr. Pirolli—for

Mrs. Chrzanowski—for

Mr. Saunders—for

Mr. Czyzyk—for

Ms. Gahagan—for

Mr. Shellenberger—for

Mr. Servis-for

All of council was in favor of the motion; the motion carried.

TREASURER APPOINTMENT

Mr. Servis made a motion to appoint Joe McPadden as Borough Treasurer, seconded by Mr. Czyzyk.

Roll call vote was taken:

Mr. Pirolli—for

Mrs. Chrzanowski—for

Mr. Saunders—for

Mr. Czyzyk—for

Ms. Gahagan—for

Mr. Shellenberger—for

Mr. Servis-for

All of council was in favor of the motion; the motion carried.

Borough Coordinator Appointment

Mr. Shellenberger nominated Joe McPadden as Borough Coordinator for \$300 per month, seconded by Mrs. Chrzanowski.

Roll call vote was taken:

Mr. Pirolli—for

Mrs. Chrzanowski—for

Mr. Saunders—for

Mr. Czyzyk—for

Ms. Gahagan—for

Mr. Shellenberger—for

Mr. Servis-for

All of council was in favor of the motion; the motion carried.

Special Tax Collector Appointment

Mr. Saunders made a motion to appoint Ron Lazeration as Special Tax Collector, which includes all mercantile and special taxes, seconded by Mr. Shellenberger.

Mike Sidoti, current tax collector, expressed concern about dividing the tax collection into two separate people. Four years ago, Council voted to combine the tax collection under one person to streamline the process.

Roll call vote was taken:

Mr. Pirolli—against

Mrs. Chrzanowski—against

Mr. Saunders—for

Mr. Czyzyk—for

Ms. Gahagan—for

Mr. Shellenberger—for

Mr. Servis-for

The majority of council was in favor of the motion; the motion carried.

Fire Marshal Appointment

Mr. Saunders made a motion to appoint Dave Pearl for Fire Marshal, seconded by Mr. Servis.

Roll call vote was taken:

Mr. Pirolli—against

Mrs. Chrzanowski—against

Mr. Saunders—for

Mr. Czyzyk—for

Ms. Gahagan—for

Mr. Shellenberger—for

Mr. Servis—for

The majority of Council was in favor of the motion; the motion carried.

Emergency Management Coordinator Appointment

Mr. Saunders made a motion to nominate Dave Pearl for Emergency Management Coordinator, seconded by Mr. Servis.

Roll call vote was taken:

Mr. Pirolli—against

Mrs. Chrzanowski—against

Mr. Saunders—for

Mr. Czyzyk—for

Ms. Gahagan—for

Mr. Shellenberger—for

Mr. Servis—for

The majority of council was in favor of the motion; the motion carried.

AUTHORIZE SECRETARY TO ADVERTISE 2020 COUNCIL MEETINGS AND PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS

Mr. Servis made a motion to authorize the secretary to advertise the 2022 Council Meetings for the first Wednesday of the month and the second Wednesday of the month, if needed, seconded by Mr. Czyzyk.

Roll call vote was taken:

Mr. Pirolli—against

Mrs. Chrzanowski—against

Mr. Saunders—for

Mr. Czyzyk—for

Ms. Gahagan—for

Mr. Shellenberger—for

Mr. Servis—for

The majority of council was in favor of the motion; the motion carried.

Mr. Shellenberger made a motion to authorize the secretary to advertise the 2022 Planning Commission meetings for the second Monday of the month, seconded by Mr. Czyzyk.

Roll call vote was taken:

Mr. Pirolli—for

Mrs. Chrzanowski—for

Mr. Saunders—for

Mr. Czyzyk—for

Ms. Gahagan—for

Mr. Shellenberger—for

Mr. Servis-for

All of council was in favor of the motion; the motion carried.

OTHER BUSINESS

There was no other Council business.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no other business, a motion was made by Mr. Servis to adjourn the Organization meeting, seconded by Mr. Shellenberger.

All of Council was in favor of the motion; the motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 6:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Patricia Marks Borough Secretary