

MINUTES OF THE CORNWALL BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING  
HELD ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2017 AT 6:30 P.M. IN  
THE CORNWALL MUNICIPAL BUILDING

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Council President John Karinch.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PRESENT

Beth Yocum, John Karinch, Al Brandt, Gerald Boughter and Mayor Mark Thomas

PUBLIC

Meeting attendance sheet is attached hereto.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Beth Yocum made the motion, seconded by Gerald Boughter to approve the minutes from the August 14, 2107 meeting. Motion passed.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Jim Williams, Iron Valley Drive commented that he was not in favor of the Borough Amending the Burning Ordinance to allow burning if you are not within 300 feet of a fire hydrant.

Stan Alekna stated that he spoke to the State Fire Marshall and Spring Hill Acres was in the Gold level which means with the canopy in Spring Hill Acres a forest fire was unlikely to occur.

REPORTS

Gerald Boughter made the motion, seconded by Al Brandt to approve all reports as presented.

OLD BUSINESS

FERAL CATS

John Karinch informed that Council has partnered with PAW's who will when called trap cats and then have them spade, neutered and then released.

BOGER STREET – ONE-WAY TRAFFIC

Tabled

NEW BUSINESS

UNIFORMS – HIGHWAY EMPLOYEE'S

Gerald Boughter made the motion, seconded by Al Brandt to have the Highway Employee's participate in a Uniform program with Unifirst. All costs will be paid out of the Highway Budget. Motion passed.

ORDINANCE 2017-5 – BURNING

Ordinance 2017-5 did not pass due to lack of a motion.

TRICK OR TREAT – TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31 – 6:00 P.M. – 8:00 PM.

Gerald Boughter made the motion, seconded by Beth Yocum to hold Trick or Treat on Tuesday, October 31, 2017 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

POLICE BUILDING EXTENSION/RENOVATIONS

Beth Yocum made the motion, seconded by Al Brandt to approve the Police Extension/Renovation Sketch Plan. Motion passed.

RESOLUTION – SUPPORTING NUCLEAR ENERGY IN PENNSYLVANIA

A motion was made by Beth Yocum, seconded by John Karinch to send a proposed Resolution to Support Nuclear Energy in Pennsylvania to Josele Cleary for her review. Motion did not pass and went to a roll call vote with the following results in favor of the Resolution: Al Brandt Nay, Gerald Boughter Nay, John Karinch Yay, Beth Yocum Yay and Mayor Mark Thomas Yay.

HOLIDAY LIGHTS IN THE PARK – COLEMAN’S MEMORIAL PARK

Gerald Boughter made the motion, seconded by Beth Yocum to make a \$250.00 donation to Holiday Lights in the Park at Coleman’s Memorial Park. Motion passed.

ADJOURNMENT

Gerald Boughter made the motion, seconded by Beth Yocum to adjourn the meeting at 7:15 p.m. Motion passed.

Steven N. Danz  
Secretary