February 26, 2020 - work session

The monthly work session was opened at 6:30 p.m., with the following answering to roll call: Cebulskie, McMillen, august, Burkett, and Popson.

Also in attendance was a reporter from the Spirit.

Dixon alerted the Council that Murray has filed for unemployment compensation. The Council advised her to acknowledge, approving it due to part time status.

Paperwork was received and reviewed as to what PSAB is saying will be the cost should the Borough be without a police department. The cost is said to be \$8.52/person. Burkett stated that no applications have been received for part time police employment.

Grants will be searched for the construction of a Kayak launch, and that the Green Light-Go Traffic Program will be looked into for assistance with the traffic lights.

The pool will be resubmitting the grant for the repairs needed at this location, with the help of Todd Beers.

The Flood Mitigation Program will also be looked into by the Grant Committee, for assistance with dredging the creeks. Burkett noted that Thompson's office has agreed to holding a meeting regarding the same.

Burkett further went on to say that he has spoken with Barry Fillman and has asked for his assistance in preparing grants.

Burkett stated that more grants could be secured for the downtown area if the Borough had zoning. This matter will be looked into again.

A member of the Blueprint Committee will be requested to be in attendance at the next workshop on March 25.

Burkett advised those present that he will be contacting Jeff Tech again to ascertain when they will be beginning the police station.

A letter was received requesting another meeting with members of Council concerning the recent police department changes. Cebulskie stated that unless they are willing to renegotiate their contract that he sees no reason to hold any further meetings.

Dixon was advised to, once again, request that the police give her a listing of all compensatory time they have accrued and used, as well as a copy of the schedule should be secured.

A member from the Water Authority should be requested to attend the work session on March 25, to discuss their upcoming work, before plans are made to do paving.

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With no further business, a motion was made by Burkett and seconded by McMillen to adjourn. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Respectfully submitted,

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