

Regular Meeting  
May 8, 2018

The regular monthly meeting of West Newton Borough Council was held on Tuesday May 8, 2018 in Council Chambers, 112 South Water Street. Council President Charlie Krasnevich called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. Councilmembers Tony Berarducci, Charlie Krasnevich, Connie Pollock, Charlie Popovich and Arlene Tomich called present during roll call.

The meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Delegates:**

#1 Art Berarducci—Mr. Berarducci was present to register complaints regarding illegal sewer taps, blighted properties and other areas of concern in the Borough. These matters to be taken under advisement.

#2 Marlene Yurkovich-Mrs. Yurkovich was present to report on a \$50.00 donation for snow removal.

**Professional and Department Reports:**

- Engineers Report: Engineer Jageman introduced Ryan Contestabile as new liason from LSSE and reviewed the work in progress report.
- Supervisors Report: Supervisor Friedemann updated Council on Street Dept projects.
- Solicitors Report: Solicitor Dalfonso reviewed work in progress.
- Mayors Report: Mayor Popovich read the Police report.
- Zoning Report: Five occupancy inspections for month of April.

**Committee Reports:**

Streets, Recreation: Councilman Berarducci reported on repairs required at the Sewage plant.

**Motion 05-01** was made by Councilman Berarducci to authorize repair and replacement of governor in generator for treatment plant. Second made by Tomich. Motion adopted by unanimous vote.

Law, Insurance, Sanitation: Councilman Tamasy absent

Finance, Budget: No report

Personnel: No report

Sewage, Community Revitalization: Councilman Tamasy absent

Public Safety: No report

Properties: No report

**Reports Submitted for Approval:**

- **Minutes:** Councilwoman Tomich made **Motion 05-02** to approve the minutes of the April meeting as presented. Second by Popovich. Motion adopted by unanimous vote.
- **Bills:** Councilman Popovich made **Motion 05-03** to approve the bills submitted for payment. Second by Tomich. Motion adopted by unanimous vote.
- **Treasurers Report:** Councilman Berarducci made **Motion 05-04** approving the Treasurers Report as presented. Second by Tomich. Motion adopted by unanimous vote.
- **Tax Collectors Report:** Secretary Humenik reported total collections year to date in the amount of \$249,538.73. Councilwoman Tomich made **Motion 05-05** to accept the Tax Collectors Report as submitted. Second by Pollock. Motion adopted by unanimous vote.
- **Police & Mayors Report:** Councilman Berarducci made **Motion 05-06** to approve the Police & Mayors Report as submitted. Second by Tomich. Motion adopted by unanimous vote.

**Communications:** Councilwoman Tomich made **Motion 05-07** authorizing Secretary to write off dead sewer system accounts. Second made by Berarducci. Motion adopted by unanimous vote.

Councilman Krasnevich made **Motion 05-08** approving transfer in the amount of \$44,862.06 from Sewer System to General Fund (repay of gen liability, payroll and misc. transfers from previous years). Second made by Berarducci. Motion adopted by unanimous vote.

**Resolution 2018-1-A** Resolution authorizing Council President and Secretary to execute documents for grant with DCED.

**Motion 05-09** was made by Councilwoman Tomich adopting Resolution 2018-1 as presented. Second made by Pollock. Motion adopted by unanimous vote.

**Motion 05-10** was made by Councilman Berarducci to adjourn the meeting at 7:30 to Executive Session. Second made by Tomich. Motion adopted by unanimous vote.

Pamela M. Humenik  
Borough Sec./Treas.