

**BANGOR BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING
HELD AT 197 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, BANGOR, PA**

MINUTES

AUGUST 24, 2015 7:00PM

CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE TO FLAG

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Michael J. Bilotta
Kenneth L. Brewer, III
David G. Houser
James W. Kresge
Bonnie J. LaBar- arrived 7:02 P.M
Karey J. Murphy
Robert J. Rhodes, Jr.

Others Present:

David J. Ceraul, Esq., Solicitor
Nathaniel J. Dysard, Borough Manager

Absent:

Jane E. Gorman
Joseph H. Capozzolo, Mayor

PUBLIC COMMENT

1. Jim LaBar was present to speak about his concerns with a right-of-ways near his home. He presented a letter to Council from previous Zoning Officer which was reviewed at the meeting as well as a map from a previous surveyor. Jonathan Almazar was also present to explain how parking is in front of his property.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A **MOTION** to approve the minutes as amended from July 13, 2015 & July 27, 2015 made by LaBar, seconded by Houser. All were in favor. **MOTION** carried.

Amendments: July 13th page 2 2015-38 correct remaining. July 13th P.3 #11 Add Slate Belt Community Partnership/Façade Program.

APPROVAL OF BILLS TO BE PAID

A **MOTION** to approve the bills to be paid made by Murphy, seconded by Bilotta. All were in favor. **MOTION** carried.

ACTION ITEMS

1. Manger Dysard presented the 2016 Budget Calendar to Council and is actively preparing the 2016 Borough Budget. It was also mentioned that the Finance Committee will consist of Mr. Kresge, Ms. Gorman, Ms. Murphy and the Borough Manager.

2. A **MOTION** to change work order#1 on the 2015 Road Project in the amount of \$5,333,32 to pave the intersection at Miller Street made by Houser, seconded by Bilotta. All were in favor. **MOTION** carried.
3. A **MOTION** to release the final payment to Bracalente Construction, Inc for 2015 Road Project in the amount of \$198,075.64 made by Houser, seconded by Brewer. All were in favor. **MOTION** carried.
4. A **MOTION** to amend Ordinance #962 prohibiting trucks between Broadway and 1st Street unless they are making deliveries on South Main Street made by LaBar, seconded by Bilotta. All were in favor. **MOTION** carried.
5. A **MOTION** to table the Advertisement of Vehicles and Traffic Ordinance #962 as amended was made by Rhodes, seconded by LaBar. All were in favor. **MOTION** carried.

COUNCIL COMMENTS

Mrs. LaBar mentioned the activities of the 140th Anniversary Committee and the dedication to the Wind Gap Trail in September.

President Kresge brought up the issue of 7th Street between Market and Pennsylvania Avenue as being too narrow for allowing two-lane traffic and parking on both sides of the street.

ADDITIONAL BUSINESS

1. A **MOTION** to go into executive session to discuss pending ligation made by Rhodes, seconded by Houser. All were in favor. **MOTION** carried.
2. A **MOTION** to come out of executive session made by Rhodes, seconded by Houser. All were in favor. **MOTION** carried.

ADJOURNMENT

A **MOTION** to adjourn the Bangor Borough Council Meeting made by Rhodes, seconded by Houser. All were in favor. **MOTION** carried. The meeting adjourned at 8:16 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted By:

Janelle Hauff, Secretary