

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

MINUTES

MARCH 14, 2022, 7:00PM

CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE TO FLAG

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

James W. Kresge
Robert Goffredo, Sr.
James Augustine
Marissa Donnelly
Joanna Paulson
Rosemarie Capone

Others Present:

Mary Ellen DeFranco, Mayor
Tracy Palmer, Secretary

Absent:

David J. Ceraul, Esq., Solicitor
Barry G. Schweitzer

PUBLIC COMMENTS

1. Jim Patti was present for an update regarding the Liberty Wall LSA Grant. Council President Kresge stated that the new Borough Manager will be filing for an extension.
2. Mark Sperling from the Park Board was present regarding the last Park Board meeting. Mr. Sperling along with the Park Board Members felt that Mayor DeFranco was disrespectful to the members and requested an apology. Mayor DeFranco apologized if she offended anyone. Council continued their discussion from last meeting regarding the “JoJo” building at the park.

ACTION ITEMS

1. A **MOTION** to approve the minutes dated February 28, 2022, was made by Donnelly, seconded by Augustine. All were in favor. **MOTION** carried.
2. A **MOTION** was made by Capone, seconded by Goffredo to approve police directive 3.6.3 (Mobile Data Terminal, Radio Communications Equipment, and Similar Technologies). All were in favor. **MOTION** carried.

COUNCIL COMMENTS

1. Council Member Capone commented that Movie in The Park will be discussed at the next Park Board meeting.
2. Council Member Donnelly asked for an update regarding the public works and lifeguard applications. Council President Kresge stated that applications have been received for public works but none for lifeguards.
3. Council Member Paulson commented that she felt there is miscommunication and misunderstandings among the council members and the Mayor which caused a heated debate about who is to blame for these issues; the only agreement reached was that there is a problem.

ADJOURNMENT

A **MOTION** to adjourn was made by Capone, seconded by Donnelly. All were in favor. **MOTION** carried.
The Bangor Borough Council Meeting adjourned at 7:51 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,
Tracy Palmer, Administrative Secretary