

**MINUTES OF THE
REGULAR MEETING HELD
July 6, 2022**

The regular meeting of the Butler Township Board of Commissioners was held on July 6, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. at the Butler Township Municipal Building, 290 S. Duffy Road, Butler, PA 16001. The following Commissioners were present: Pres. Dave Zarnick, Vice-Pres. Sam Zurzolo, Commis. Wiest, Commis. James Lokhaiser, Jr. and Commis. Ed Natali.

Also present were Manager Tom Knights, Solicitor Rebecca Black, Dir. of Emergency Services Scott Frederick, Chief of Police John Hays and Dir. of Public Works Dave Meeder.

Pres. Zarnick called the meeting to order followed by a moment of silence and the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Pres. Zarnick stated that anyone taping the meeting is required to state their name. Ryan Saeler, Butler Radio Network recorded the meeting.

Commissioners' Reports

Commis. Natali commented on the Duffy Road Township Park

Commis. Lokhaiser gave updates on the parks and a well wish to Kevin Kelly

Commis. Zurzolo updated the relocation of the Veteran's Memorial

Pres. Zarnick updated meetings attended and legislative initiatives

Departmental Reports:

Dir. of Public Works Dave Meeder provided the June summary of work.

Chief John Hays reviewed police call volume for the Independence Day holiday weekend.

Manager Knights summarized the 2nd quarter household hazardous waste and electronic waste collections report.

Pres. Zarnick asked for public comment on agenda items, there was none.

New Business:

Manager Knights and Dir. of Emergency Services Scott Frederick presented the introduction of the Recoupment of Services Ordinance.

Motion by Commis. Lokhaiser to authorize advertising the Recoupment of Services Ordinance and setting August 15, 2022 at 7:00PM for the Public Hearing.

Second by Commis. Natali. The vote was Natali: Yes; Lokhaiser: Yes; Wiest: Yes; Zurzolo: Yes; and Zarnick: Yes. Motion carried.

Pres. Zarnick asked for any correspondence. There was none.

Solicitor Black made a statement regarding the proposed parking lot being investigated to serve Preston Park.

Pres. Zarnick asked for any public comment. The following gave comment regarding the parking lot being investigated to serve Preston Park:

Marion Rice
Mark Veripe
Ann Lemay
Karen Spurk
Kathy Whitecotton
Jeff Carol
Nathan Werner
Diana Schaffer
Carol Oxstein
Megan McGee
Barb Speidle
Steve Huey
David Rice
Steve Huey
Ron Miller
Kathy Whitecotton
Rodney Zaliponi
Katherine Bowser

Questions from the media were taken.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:27 PM
