

**BOROUGH OF SOUTH GREENSBURG
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
September 20th, 2021**

Council President Clentin Martin called the meeting to order at 6:30 P.M.

All those present repeated the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

PRESENT:

Martin, Regola, Cole, Kelsey, Bartley, Hopkins, Rosensteel, Furin.

ABSENT: Mr. Yarnell

Recognition of Visitors: none

CITIZEN'S REMARKS:

None

APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MEETING'S MINUTES:

Motion was made by Rosensteel and seconded by Bartley to approve August 2021 Regular Meeting minutes.

Vote: Yes 6, No 0, Absent 1-Yarnell, abstain 0- Motion Passed

CORRESPONDENCE:

Ms. Peticca available in office/Moodle

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

POLICE & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT: Report included in packet read over by Mayor Fajt

- Mayor Fajt wanted to thank our VFD and Hose Co #8 for all of their responses and dedication to flooding calls due to Hurricane Ida. Several volunteers took time off from their full-time job to respond to calls for flooded basements.
- Check from SG Foundation was presented to the VFD in amount of \$90,000.00
- New police car is being picked up on 9.21.21 and will still need to get fitted – will take about a month before it is fully operational. Plans to sell the Charger are in the preliminary stages.

BUILDINGS & GROUNDS:

STREETS & SANITATION:

- Report included in packet

FIRE & WATER: VFD report included in packet & read by Mr. Rosensteel.

PARKS & RECREATION:

Kathy Hopkins spoke on recreation and personally thanked Jamie Bartley, Eric Hardy all of the Street Department for their help with the Community Picnic. The picnic was cut short unfortunately due to a strong thunder storm. Day of Caring went well, replaced mulch with rocks at the Tiny Tot Playground. There are still a few more things that need done to complete it. Halloween Trick-or-Treat will be on Oct. 31st from 6pm-8pm. The basketball court fence is almost done. Borough passed out back to school supplies. If any kids didn't receive them, please contact the borough for one.

PLANNING, ZONING & CODE ENFORCEMENT:

There are several people who still have outstanding 2020 garbage payments that will be handled thru the magistrate.

SOLICITOR'S REPORT:

- **ENGINEER'S REPORT:** Mr. Regola – Discussed the proposed DEP Jack's Run project. The borough will have to acquire Right-of-Ways all along the road. Potentially looks like it could impact the drive thru at Dunkin Donuts.

SEWAGE AUTHORITY REPORT:

APPROVAL OF BILLS and Budget Transfers:

Approval of Bills:

Motion was made by Kelsey and seconded by Rosensteel to approve the payment of the bills for August 2021.

Vote: Yes 6, No 0, Absent 1-Yarnell, abstain 0- Motion Passed

Financial Report:

Ms. Peticca presented the financial reports.

Motion made was made by Hopkins and seconded by Kelsey to accept the August 2021 Financial Reports.

Vote: Yes 6, No 0, Absent 1 Yarnell, abstain 0- Motion Passed

Approval of Purchases:

Motion was made by Hopkins and seconded by Bartley to approve the purchases made in August.

Vote: Yes 6, No 0, Absent 1 Yarnell, abstain 0- Motion Passed

NEW BUSINESS:

CBDG Grant

- Motion was made by Kelsey and seconded by Rosensteel to approve the 1700 & 1800 blocks of Jefferson and Roosevelt Avenue for the CBDG grant.
Vote: Yes 6, No 0, Absent 1-Yarnell, abstain 0- Motion Passed

Green Light Go Grant

- Motion was made by Kelsey and seconded by Rosensteel to approve Resolution 3-2021 Green Light Go reimbursement Agreement with PennDot for the red light upgrade on Huff and Broad Streets.

Vote: Yes 6, No 0, Absent 1-Yarnell, abstain 0- Motion Passed

Hoffman Kennel Contract

- Motion was made by Hopkins and seconded by Kelsey to approve the 2022 Hoffman Boarding Kennel's Contract.

Vote: Yes 6, No 0, Absent 1-Yarnell, abstain 0- Motion Passed

MMO Pension

- Motion was made by Kelsey and seconded by Bartley to approve the 2022 MMO for Police and Non- Uniform Employee Pensions

Vote: Yes 6, No 0, Absent 1-Yarnell, abstain 0- Motion Passed

New Hire

- Motion was made by Kelsey and seconded by Rosensteel to hire Todd Brant as a part-time police officer.

Vote: Yes 6, No 0, Absent 1-Yarnell, abstain 0- Motion Passed

Executive Session

- Motion was made by Bartley and seconded by Kelsey to enter into executive session to discuss personal matters at 6:55 PM

Vote: Yes 6, No 0, Absent 1-Yarnell, abstain 0- Motion Passed

- Motion was made by Kelsey and seconded by Bartley to leave executive session at 7:02 PM

Vote: Yes 6, No 0, Absent 1-Yarnell, abstain 0- Motion Passed

ADJOURNMENT:

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:06 PM was made by Hopkins and seconded by Kelsey.

Vote: Yes 6, No 0, Absent 1-Yarnell, abstain 0- Motion Passed

Respectfully submitted,

Jaime Peticca

