

MINUTES – April 19, 2021
Borough of Cambridge Springs

A regular meeting was held by the Cambridge Springs Borough Council on Monday, April 19, 2021, at 161 Carringer Street. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Randy Gorske at 7:00 p.m. The following members were present: Jennifer Howell, Justin Gaines, Delores Hale, Pat Mahon and Larry Morrow. Brian Harmon arrived a few minutes late. Also present was Manager/Secretary Sandy Pude.

Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Mahon to approve the April 5, 2021 Borough Council meeting minutes. The motion was seconded by Gaines. A poll vote was taken:

HOWELL	-	yes	GAINES	-	yes	RESULTS:
HALE	-	yes	MAHON	-	yes	6 Yes
MORROW	-	yes	GORSKE	-	yes	MOTION CARRIED

Solicitor's Report – None

Engineer's Report - None

Committee Reports

1. **Administration & Finance – None**
2. **Police Committee – Morrow read the report**
3. **Land Use & General Safety – Mahon submitted a written report**
4. **Public Works – Hale submitted a written report**

Report on Operations – A written report was submitted. Pude also said that the Borough received the \$5,000 donation from Cambridge Township for the Recreation Areas. Also, the Township Supervisors approved the quote submitted by the Cambridge Crush for the installation of the sprinkler system at the back field at Stein.

Hearing of Citizens and Taxpayers - None

Unfinished Business

1. **Snow Alley Traffic**

The Council discussed whether to allow for two-way traffic on Snow Alley once the Main Street Bridge is completed. The Ordinance has expired that established the one-way traffic. If traffic remains one-way, the Streets Department will only plow snow to the one side of the street which could cause a problem at the D N J Bakery because that building is very close to the street. Also, in the fall the Streets Department would not be able to pick up leaves along the Alley because the hose on the truck is on the passenger side of the vehicle and will not reach into the back yards of the houses on McClellan Street. The Leaf Truck would need to travel in the wrong direction to be able to pick up the leaves.

It was decided before Council makes a decision, to invite the residents whose properties boarder Snow Alley to the next meeting. Also, the Fire Department will be invited to attend for their input regarding the Carnival.

2. Sprinkler System – Softball Field at Stein

Mahon made a motion to approve the quote submitted for the installation of the sprinkler system on the back field at Stein. The motion was seconded by Gaines. A poll vote was taken:

HOWELL	-	yes	GAINES	-	yes	RESULTS:
HALE	-	yes	MAHON	-	yes	7 Yes
MORROW	-	yes	HARMON	-	yes	MOTION CARRIED
GORSKE	-	yes				

New & Other Business

1. Subdivision Application – 123 Root Avenue

An application was submitted by the Mateja Family Trust to subdivide a portion of the property approximately .054 Acre that will be sold to Justin & Jennifer Howell.

A motion was made by Hale to approve the subdivision application submitted for 123 Root Avenue. The motion was seconded by Gaines. A poll vote was taken:

HOWELL	-	abstain	GAINES	-	yes	RESULTS:
HALE	-	yes	MAHON	-	yes	6 Yes 1 Abstain
MORROW	-	yes	HARMON	-	yes	MOTION CARRIED
GORSKE	-	yes				

2. Youth Activities Building

Pude had previously notified the Borough Council about a conversation she had with Mike Eckstein on the status of the Youth Activities Building. Because they are no longer receiving any income from rentals, Eckstein is paying the utilities himself. He would like to turn over the building to the Borough, a church or a non profit to be used for the youth in the area.

Council asked Pude to talk with Attorney Shaddinger about the situation and if there are any stipulations on what the building can be used for. Also, Council would like to know how much the utilities are each month.

3. Flower Boxes

Brian Harmon asked if Council would authorize funds to supply flowers for the boxes in the downtown area.

Gaines made a motion to approve \$250.00 to provide flowers for the ten boxes in the downtown area. The motion was seconded by Hale. A poll vote was taken:

HOWELL	-	yes	GAINES	-	yes	RESULTS:
HALE	-	yes	MAHON	-	yes	7 Yes
MORROW	-	yes	HARMON	-	yes	MOTION CARRIED
GORSKE	-	yes				

Approval of monthly invoices

A motion was made by Mahon to approve payment of the invoices. The motion was seconded by Gaines. A poll vote was taken:

HOWELL	-	yes	GAINES	-	yes	RESULTS:
HALE	-	yes	MAHON	-	yes	7 Yes
MORROW	-	yes	HARMON	-	yes	MOTION CARRIED
GORSKE	-	yes				

Adjournment

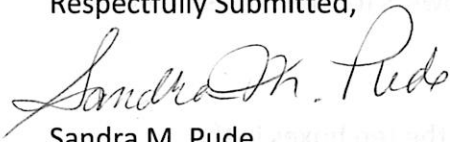
A motion was made by Gaines to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Howell.

A poll vote was taken:

HOWELL	-	yes	GAINES	-	yes	RESULTS:
HALE	-	yes	MAHON	-	yes	7 Yes
MORROW	-	yes	HARMON	-	yes	MOTION CARRIED
GORSKE	-	yes				

The meeting was adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



Sandra M. Pude

Borough Manager/Secretary