

BOROUGH OF HOMESTEAD

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

Agenda Setting Meeting

April 8, 2019 - 5:00PM

Council President Cunningham called the April 8, 2019 agenda meeting to order at 5:20p.m. Present for the meeting were President Cunningham, Rev. Louise Benton, Mr. Drew Borcik, Ms. Lynette Mariner, Ms. Mary Nesby, Mayor Esper, Police Chief DeSimone, Solicitor Heminger and Manager Zang.

1. REQUEST TO SPEAK TO COUNCIL / PRESENTATIONS / PUBLIC PARTICIPATION- Joyce Dixon from the High Rollers Club addressed her concerns regarding police department and building/code requirements for the establishment.
2. END OF PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PORTION OF THE MEETING
 - a. The public is encouraged and welcomed to remain in the audience as council deliberates
3. PUBLIC SAFETY
 - a. Police Chief Report read written report that was submitted.
Duane Shulte of the Civil Service Commission advised Council that on May 14, 2019 the Turtle Creek Valley COG will be performing a joint police examination. Recommended to Council to take part in examination due to expiring list for the borough.
4. FINANCE/ADMINISTRATION/PERSONNEL
 - a. Review Bill List
 - b. Statement of Revenues and Expenditures to date
5. PRESIDENT-COUNCIL REVIEW
 - a. Discussion
 - i. Old Business
 1. Tax Office- Solicitor Heminger distributed a summary of the law relating to the tax collector compensation and reimbursement. Summary was discussed for clarification between the Borough and Tax Office.
 2. Ernst Grievance Settlement- settlement to paid in accordance with the union contract.
 3. Ordinance for parades and public gatherings
 4. RFP for Sewage Billing and Collection- proposals received from Jordan Tax Service and Legal Tax Service. Discussed.
 - ii. New Business
 1. Empty Lots and side yards
 2. Appoint Deputy Tax Collector- Bessie Phillips to be appointed as Deputy Tax Collector as recommended by Tax Collector Alice Paylor-Dais.
 - b. Informational
 - i. March 2019 Minutes
6. BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS
7. SOLICITOR / EXECUTIVE SESSION
8. ADJOURN- meeting adjourned at 7:24p.m.