

## **New Buffalo Borough Meeting Minutes March 11, 2024**

### **Call to Order**

Secretary Jessica Ibaugh called the meeting of the New Buffalo Borough Council to order at 7:00 pm on March 11<sup>th</sup> 2024 in the basement of the New Buffalo United Methodist Church.

### **Roll Call**

Present were council members: Adam Pavusik, Jason Foster, Irene Conjar, Mike Holler and Jessica Ibaugh. The following persons were also present: Jason Finnerty, Travis Lepperd, Lloyd Loudon

### **Reading of last Month's Minutes**

Upon motion of Jason Foster seconded by Irene Conjar, the December 2023 minutes were approved as presented. All in favor none opposed.

**Comments from Visitors-** Travis Lepperd- Here about the subdivision at 46 Front street, asking for final approval from council which was approved. Jason Finnerty- Came to talk about the LPA program, possible zoning ordinance, and the idea of combining with Watts Township for zoning purposes. Lloyd Loudon – Asked about being able to put millings on Division and other Alleys to fill in potholes.

### **Correspondence-**

#### **Borough Treasurer's Report**

-Upon motion Adam Pavusik seconded by Irene Conjar, the Jan, Feb, March 2024 Borough Treasurer report was approved as presented. All in favor none opposed.

#### **Sewer Treasurer's Report**

- Upon motion of Mike Holler seconded by Jason Foster, the Jan, Feb, March 2024 Sewer Treasurer report was approved as presented. All in favor none opposed.

### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

#### **Sewage/Sewage Authority Report**

Adam- Ordered Chlorine from Bluebook. 2/6 Walter hauled sludge. Adam had two pups fail. Bought a new pump from Harbor Freight-need to get a bigger discharge line. Need to purchase additional pump. 2/12 Purchase gloves. Skelley & Loy said everything was good operationally while they filled in for Adam's vacation.

**Sewage Solicitor-Dennis Shatto-** Borough is in need of rules and regulations for new sewer connection and reconnection fees, etc. Council to review copy of another municipality's sewer rules and regulations.

### **PCCOG—**

#### **Street Committee –**

#### **Refuse coordinator –**

**Playground –** Purchase camera? \*Motion to purchase and install camera at the playground- by Irene Conjar, seconded by Jason Foster, all in favor none opposed.

**Ordinance Violations-** \*Rachel Miller-Trash piling up in back yard.

#### **Rental –**

## **NEW BUSINESS**

- Look into getting a new solicitor
- Grant writer assistance on PC Commissioners website

## **Borough Bills**

-Upon motion of Jason Foster seconded by Adam Pavusik, the Jan, Feb, Mar 2024 Borough Bills were approved to be paid as presented. All in favor none opposed.

## **Sewer Bills**

-Upon motion of Jason Foster, seconded by Irene Conjar, the Jan, Feb, Mar 2024 Sewer Bills were approved to be paid as presented. All in favor none opposed.

## **GOOD of the ORDER/ANNOUNCEMENTS ADJOURN**

Upon motion of Irene Conjar, seconded by Jason Foster, all in favor none opposed, council adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Jessica Ibaugh- Secretary/Treasurer