

**BOROUGH OF QUARRYVILLE – COUNCIL MINUTES**  
**REORGANIZATION & REGULAR MEETING – JANUARY 6, 2020**

Borough Council held its Reorganization and Regular Meeting on the above date at 7:00 PM at the Municipal Building. Mayor Joseph Bledsoe called the meeting to order with the following persons present: Council Members C. Richard Aument, Mike Sullenberger, Susan Noel, Brian Braightmeyer, Diane Hastings, and Joy Kemper. Borough Manager/Secretary Scott Peiffer and Maintenance Superintendent Bill Lamparter were also present at the meeting.

**OATHS OF OFFICE:** Borough Council noted that prior to the meeting Mayor Joseph Bledsoe had administered the oath of office to re-elected/newly elected Council Members Brian Braightmeyer, Joy Kemper and Susan Noel.

**ELECTION – PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL:** Mayor Bledsoe called for nominations for the office of President of Borough Council. Councilman Sullenberger nominated Joy Kemper for President of Council. Councilman Aument seconded the motion. There were no other nominations for the office of President. A vote was taken and Joy Kemper was unanimously elected to that position.

**ELECTION – VICE PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL:** Mayor Bledsoe called for nominations for the office of Vice President of Council. Councilman Braightmeyer nominated C. Richard Aument for the office of Vice President of Council. Councilman Sullenberger seconded the motion. There were no other nominations for the office. A vote was taken and Aument was unanimously elected to the position.

**ELECTION – PRESIDENT PRO TEM:** Mayor Bledsoe opened the floor for nominations for the position of President Pro Tem. President Kemper nominated Councilwoman Susan Noel for the position. Councilman Aument seconded the motion. There were no other nominations for the office. A vote was taken and Noel was unanimously elected to the position.

**PASSING OF THE GAVEL:** Following the reorganization of Borough Council, Mayor Bledsoe passed the gavel to President Kemper, who presided over the remainder of the meeting.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** There was no public comment.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES – REGULAR MEETING – DECEMBER 2, 2019:** It was moved by Councilwoman Hastings and seconded by Councilman Aument that the minutes of the December 2, 2019 Regular Meeting be approved and the motion was unanimously approved.

**BOROUGH MANAGER'S REPORT:**

Resolution 2020-01: It was moved by Councilman Brightmeyer and seconded by Councilman Aument that Resolution 2020-01 be adopted. The motion was unanimously approved.

Resolution 2020-02: It was moved by Councilwoman Hastings and seconded by Councilman Aument that Resolution 2020-02 be adopted. The motion was unanimously approved.

Resolution 2020-03: It was moved by Councilwoman Hastings and seconded by Councilwoman Noel that Resolution 2020-03 be adopted. The motion was unanimously approved.

2020 Mileage Reimbursement Rate: The Manager reported that the Internal Revenue Service has set the 2020 mileage reimbursement rate at \$0.57½ per mile. The Borough has historically followed the IRS established rate. It was moved by Councilman Sullenberger and seconded by Councilman Aument that the Borough set its 2020 mileage reimbursement rate at \$0.57½ per mile (same as the IRS rate) and the vote was taken. Motion was unanimously approved.

Non-Uniformed Pension: It was moved by Councilwoman Hastings and seconded by Councilman Aument to name Borough Manager Scott Peiffer as Key Decision maker for the Non-Uniformed Pension Plan. Motion was unanimously approved.

**FINANCIAL REPORT AND MONTHLY BILLS – DECEMBER 31, 2019:** Council received the financial report and bills for December 2019. It was moved by Councilman Sullenberger and seconded by Councilwoman Noel that the financial report be received and the monthly bills for December in the amount of \$408,825.68 be ratified and the motion was unanimously approved.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT:** Chief Clark Bearinger reviewed the Police Department monthly report for December.

**ZONING OFFICER REPORT:** Council accepted the Zoning Officer report submitted by Mark Deimler for December 2019 as submitted.

**QUARRYVILLE BOROUGH AUTHORITY:** Maintenance Superintendent Bill Lamparter reviewed the minutes of the Authority Meeting from December 19, 2019 with Council.

**COUNCIL COMMITTEES & LIAISONS:** Borough Council President Joy Kemper discussed the composition of various Committees for 2020 and set the following committees and committee members:

Streets/Infrastructure/Parks

C. Richard Aument  
Jimmy Kreider  
Brian Braightmeyer  
Bill Lamparter  
Scott Peiffer

Police Committee

Clark Bearinger  
Joseph Bledsoe, Mayor  
Mike Sullenberger  
Susan Noel

Personnel & Insurance Committee

Joy Kemper  
Scott Peiffer  
Bill Lamparter  
Diane Hastings

Fire Company Liaison – Mike Sullenberger

Library Liaison – Diane Hastings

SLCIMC Representative – Jimmy Kreider

SECA Liaison – Vacant

Wellhead Protection Plan Steering Committee:

Joy Kemper  
Bill Lamparter  
C. Richard Aument  
Ron Munro

**OLD BUSINESS:** Borough Manager Scott Peiffer reported that the new LED sign at the entrance to Memorial Park was installed today and is operational. Scott also reported the Public Works Department is preparing to order a new F-550 truck previously approved by Council. Council was reminded that the Rail Trail Connector open house/informational session is scheduled for January 23, 2020 at 7 pm at the Municipal building.

**NEW BUSINESS:** None.

**ADJOURNMENT:** At 7:37 PM, Council President Kemper called for a motion to adjourn. Councilwoman Hastings offered that motion and it was seconded by Councilman Aument. The motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Scott Peiffer  
Borough Manager/Secretary