

NANTICOKE CITY



WORK SESSION and COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

March 21, 2018

Nanticoke City Hall 7:00PM

Call to Order: President of Council William Brown
Pledge of Allegiance
Invocation: City Clerk, Jennifer Polito

The following were present: Councilors, William Brown, John Pietrzyk, Kevin Coughlin, Lesley Butczynski, Nicole Mackiewicz, Solicitor, Attorney William Finnegan, Finance Director/City Clerk, Jennifer Polito and Interim City Manager, Donna Wall.

WORK SESSION-

None

Administrative Updates

-Executive Order #5 of 2018 was executed by Mayor Richard Wiaterowski to hire Chad J. Callahan as a Reserve Police Officer on March 14, 2018.
-It was announced that the City was awarded a 2018 LSA Grant in the amount of \$450,000.00 for the downtown streetscape and the GNA School District was awarded \$250,000.00 for the Stadium Project which the City applied for on their behalf.

A Motion was made by Kevin Coughlin, second by Mr. Pietrzyk to adjourn the work session. Work session adjourned.

REGULAR MEETING Comments from the Public agenda items only.

Mr. Lou Gianuzzi inquired about the 2018 LSA Grant in the amount of \$450,000.00. He asked what is the 450,000.00 going to be used for. Donna stated that the budget will have to be adjusted due to applying for 1 million and receiving \$450,000.00 but it will be used for the completion of the downtown streetscape.

Mr. Joe John asked what the City is earmarking that \$450,000.00 grant for. Donna stated it will be acquisition and demolition. Joe also asked if the \$250,000.00 was enough to complete the GNA School Stadium project and Donna stated no since they applied for 1 million for that too. Donna stated it will be completed in phases.

Old Business

None

New Business

A Motion to approve the March 7, 2018 meeting minutes was made by Mr. Pietrzyk second by Mr. Coughlin. Motion carried.

A Motion to approve payment of the bills in the amount of \$389,349.10 was made by Ms. Butczynski, second by Mr. Coughlin. Payroll (\$92,188.43) Payables (\$297,160.67.) Motion carried.

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC –

Mr. Lou Gianuzzi inquired about the senior housing project and wanted to know exactly where on Market Street it will be built. He stated that there is no room for it. Donna stated it would be Main Street from Walnut St. to Shea St.

Correspondence –

Donna received a letter from the Salvation Army in Hanover Twp. that they will now take TV's as long as they are not damaged or broken. Two per car will be allowed.

Announcements-

Mr. Brown announced that City Hall will be closed on Good Friday, March 30, 2018 and will reopen on Monday. April 2, 2018 at 8:30 am. He wished everyone a Happy Easter.

Meeting Adjournment

Mr. Coughlin made the motion to adjourn, second by Ms. Butczynski, roll call.

Meeting adjourned at 7:14PM.

Next Meeting, Wednesday April 4, 2018 at 7:00PM

Jennifer W. Polito
City Clerk