

**MINUTES
FORD CITY BOROUGH COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING
Location: Latin American Club
OCTOBER 12, 2020**

CALL TO ORDER

Council President Fenyes called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. and advised the audience The meeting for Monday, October 12, 2020 will be audio taped by Ford City Borough, Caroline Hassa and Lisa Bittner. Nick Vercilla – Leader-Times is audio taping the meeting.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Council President Fenyes led everyone in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL

Josh Adams, Beth Bowser, Mary Alice Bryant, Carol Fenyes, Tyson Klukan, and Vicki Schaub. Mayor Cogley was absent.

ATTENDANCE

Police Chief Scott Haslett and Secretary Lisa Bittner were also present.

MASK ANNOUNCEMENT

Council President advised everyone masks are required when moving around, while seated they may be removed. [Mrs. Nimerosky requested this announcement be made.]

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Held Wednesday, October 7, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. to discuss personnel.

CITIZENS COMMENTS - AT THIS TIME AGENDA ITEMS ONLY

There were no comments at this time.

OLD BUSINESS

No Action Items

NEW BUSINESS

No Action Items

COMMITTEE REPORTS – COPIES OF THE REPORTS ON THE ENTRY TABLE

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| Fire Department | Library | Parks & Recreation | Finance |
| Planning Commission | Shade Tree | Police Report | Public Works |
| Fleet Advisory Committee | UCC | Mayor | EMC |
| Business Assoc. | Stormwater Ad Hoc | Sewage Authority | MCTA |
| Flood Task Force | Managers' Report | Codes/Zoning | |

The Sewage Authority reports was read by Vicki Schaub.

Minutes – Approved 10-26-2020

CITIZEN COMMENTS – OPEN COMMENTS AT THIS TIME

Brad Baille – Ford City Lions thanked everyone that attended the 10-10-2020 dedication ceremony for the Trail Plaques.

COUNCIL COMMENTS

Vice President Klukan suggested for budgeting purposes Street Sweeping be reviewed. The cost to refurbish our sweeper, should it be sold or scrapped, possibly trading it in, or purchasing new. There are sweepers now that do not require a CDL.

A lengthy discussion took place.

Kevin Nelson will be directed to contact Golden Equipment and obtain the necessary information.

Klukan spoke about the Recycling Trailers. The County is no longer accepting glass. The trailers have not been delivered to Ford City Borough.

Council President explained one (1) trailer is ready and the agreement has not be signed.

Klukan advised everyone the Paving project is scheduled to begin on 10-19-2020.

Klukan stated he was excited to see a report from the Codes Officer.

A discussion took place concerning future paving. Bowser stated she would like to see a lot of paving in 2021. Klukan would like the Public/Private partnership with PNCGO continue. Fenyes would like alternatives to paving. Adams advised everyone to not spin out on the fresh tar & chip, be gentle. Schaub stated FEMA looks at communities to find out if they sweep their streets.

MEETING ANNOUNCEMENTS

Secretary read from a prepared list of announcements.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Council President stated an Executive Session will be held following the meeting to discuss Legal and Personnel issues.

Monday, October 26, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. at the Latin American Club

Monday, November 9, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. at the Latin American Club

ADJOURNMENT

Bowser made a motion at 6:58 p.m. to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Klukan. Motion Carried. 6-0 Unanimous

Carol Fenyes
Council President

Lisa Bittner
Borough Secretary