Minutes Throop Borough Council Tuesday, May 23rd, 2023 Monthly Work Session/Meeting 6:30 p.m.

The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL:

Members of Council:

Anthony Gangemi - P
Matthew Chorba - P
Richard Kucharski – President - P
Charlene Tomasovitch - A
Vince Tanana - P
Wayne Williams - P
Bob Magliocchi - Vice President - A
Solicitor/Borough Manager - Louis A. Cimini - A
Mayor - Joe Tropiak - P
Secretary - Renee O'Malley - P
Chief Clerk/Treasurer - Robin Galli - P

Announcements:

*An executive session was held this evening at 7:30 p.m. to discuss legal matters.

Work Session/Meetings:

- * The June monthly work session/meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 27, 2023, at 6:30 p.m.
- * The July monthly work session/meeting will be held on Tuesday, July 25, 2023, at 6:30 p.m.

There was no audience present.

1. Motion by Williams

Seconded by Tanana

To accept the April 2023 Zoning Reports and the minutes of the April 25^{th} and May 10^{th} , 2023 council meeting.

All in favor

Motion carried

Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer Reports:

2. Motion by Tanana

Seconded by Williams

To accept the treasurers' monthly reports as posted and to pay the monthly bills against the borough as posted and/or printed on the agenda.

Unpaid bills: "Items for Payment"	\$126,727.03
Paid bills:	\$104,809.71
General Fund Revenue Report (Includes transfers from GF MMKT TO GF CK)	\$312,082.83
Civic Center Revenue Report	\$18,190.40

All in favor except Chorba abstained on GPI

Motion carried

3. Motion by Gangemi

Seconded by Williams

To pay all the employees of Throop Borough.

All in favor

Seconded by Chorba

To accept the correspondence as read or posted.

All in favor

Motion carried

5. Motion by Chorba

Seconded by Tanana

To accept the Balance Sheet and Profit & Loss Budget vs. Actual Statement as of April 30th, 2023, as posted and/or printed on the agenda.

Fund Balances:	
General Fund Checking Account - FNCB	\$66,020.73
Throop Zoning Account - FNCB	\$411.29
Seniors Activities Account - FNCB	\$30.00
Seniors Contracted Account - FNCB	\$20,738.26
General Fund Performance Money Market - FNCB	\$1,009,578.68
Civic Center Account-FNCB	\$2,290.72
General Fund Petty Cash	\$300.00
Payroll Checking Account-FNCB	\$6,105.05
Sunny Day Fund MMKT CK Acct-FNCB	\$8,177,288.27
Liquid Fuels Account - FNCB	\$143,048.14
Fund Statement Grand Total:	\$9,425,811.14

All in favor

Motion carried

6. Motion by Chorba

Seconded by Tanana

To request proposals for a 3rd party UCC inspection service.

All in favor

Seconded by Chorba

To approve Maiocco Excavating Inc.'s invoice #3299, in the amount of \$1,500.00, for Retainage withheld pending final pavement restoration of the sewer lateral repair work at 302 Dunmore Street and subject to Pa DOT's final inspection under the permit.

All in favor

Motion carried

8. Motion by Tanana

Seconded by Williams

To adopt Resolution # 5 of 2023, a resolution reappointing Dominick Rocco as a member of the Throop Borough Zoning Hearing Board expiring May 23, 2026.

All in favor

Motion carried

9. Motion by Chorba

Seconded by Tanana

To adopt Ordinance #2 of 2023, an ordinance amending Throop Ordinance #4 of 2015 to correct the type o's in section 302A, 301E.3 and 401D and make it consistent with Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection's 2022 Storm Water Management Model Ordinance.

All in favor

Motion carried

10. Motion by Gangemi

Seconded by Chorba

To amend the agenda.

All in favor

Seconded by Chorba

To hire Daniel Solmon for DPW summer help at a rate of \$16.50/hour pending background checks.

All in favor

Motion carried

12. Motion by Gangemi

Seconded by Chorba

To hire Ethan Cesari for DPW summer help at a rate of \$16.50/hour pending background checks.

All in favor

Motion carried

13. Motion by Williams

Seconded by Tanana

To purchase a Clearview Asset Protection Stand Alone Rugged Drop in Camera System at a cost of \$5,079.00.

All in favor

Motion carried

14. Motion by Tanana

Seconded by Chorba

To direct the Civil Service Commission to re-test for the Sergeant and Lieutenant positions.

All in favor

Seconded by Williams

To direct the Civil Service Commission to begin the testing process for a full-time officer.

All in favor

Motion carried

Official Comments:

Tanana questioned an email regarding sidewalks on Rebecca and Oleckna.

Galli replied that it was taken off the agenda.

Tanana added that it will be discussed at the next meeting.

Gangemi added that there are right away issues.

Tanana also added that may have to take Eminent Domain because it's a safety issue.

Williams replied that if it is a mine reclamation property you only have so many years to do something on the property.

The Mayor requested that the Certificate read aloud be attached to the official meeting minutes.

The meeting was adjourned.

Meeting minutes by Renee O'Malley Borough Secretary