

Patterson Heights Council Minutes  
August 16<sup>th</sup> 2012

**Council members present:** President Bellan, Mr. McGeary, Mr. Starn, Mr. Barsottini, Mr. Evans, Mrs. Barsottini. **Absent:** Mr. Hocanson.

**Officers present:** Chief Jones, Dawnna Pella and Secretary Ely.

**Police Report:** Chief Jones read his report. He spoke on looking for someone to head the neighborhood watch in the Heights.

**Fire Report:** Chief Portman read his monthly report.

**Tax Collector Report:** Sue Philipp read the June report and spoke on issues with central tax.

**Visitors:** Karen Turnbull spoke on the new stop signs and how a study has not been done to enforce them. Mr. Barsottini then explained how the law worked and we did not need a study at this time.

Linda Hurley 716 8<sup>th</sup> ave. spoke on the fireworks that were put off in July and how they are against the law. Mr. Bellan and Mr. Barsottini explained the new PA laws on fireworks to Mrs. Hurley. You can now get a permit to shoot non commercial fireworks in PA.

**Code Enforcement:** Ms. Pella read the monthly code report.

**Communications:** None at this time

**The Minutes** of the July 19<sup>th</sup> meeting were approved upon a motion by , Mr. Barsottini, seconded by Mr. Evans **PASSED UNANIMOUS**

**The Minutes** of the August 1<sup>st</sup> workshop were approved upon a motion by, Mr. Mc Geary, second by Mr. Barsottini. **PASSED UNANIMOUS**

**Public Safety:** Nothing at this time

**Building and Grounds Committee:** Nothing at this time

**Streets and Sewers Committee:** Council read Mr. Harkers work list.

Mr. Starn let everyone know the status of the sewer cleaning and televising. It will start as soon as the truck operator is off sick leave. He also spoke on the road program and asked if the borough would still be here and solvent in ten years.

Mr. Barsottini made a motion to apply for a loan through penn dot for the road program of \$578349.94 over ten years, second by Mr. Starn. **PASSED UNANIMOUS**

**Recreation Committee:** Mr. Ely and Mr. Bellan spoke on the concert and community days and thanked all those who attended and helped out.  
Mr. Evans made a motion to donate \$100 to the Vietnam Vets #862 for there services at the community day, second by, Mr. McGeary. **PASSED UNANIMOUS**

**Recycling and Refuse Committee:** Nothing at this time

**Budget and Finance Committee:** Mr. Barsottini made a motion to send Sue Philipp to tax collectors training at a cost of \$125.00, second by Mrs. Barsottini. **PASSED UNANIMOUS**

Mr. Ely spoke on the health care costs for 2012/2013. We will see a 40% decrease to stay with Aetna.

**Rental & Property Maintenance Committee:** Nothing at this time

**Executive Session:** Mr. Barsottini made a motion to go into executive session for contract negotiations, second by Mr. McGeary. **PASSED UNANIMOUS entered at 8:10pm**

Mr. Barsottini made a motion to enter regular session, Second by Mr. McGeary. **PASSED UNANIMOUS out at 8:32pm**

**New Business:** Nothing at this time

**Solicitor:** Nothing at this time

**Monthly Bills:** It was motioned by Mr. Barsittini, seconded by Mr. Evans to pay the following bills: **PASSED UNANIMOUS.**

Beaver County Times \$267.37	Henderson Printing \$153.60
Morrow Ford \$98.96	Beaver County Times \$22.05
D&G Rent All \$53.46	MDIA \$240.00
BFMA \$81.94	ESB Truck Loan \$14416.37
Shred It \$185.63	Verizon Wireless \$64.43
DL Pella \$318.49	Verizon \$184.22
Selective \$846.00	Kwik Fill \$148.81
Direct Energy \$92.12	Duquesne Light \$11.16*
Direct Energy \$14.49	Municipal Signs \$75.00
Columbia Gas \$31.24	Beaver County Waste Mgt. \$375.00
Paul Mannix \$2720.00	Tractor Supply \$17.00

The meeting was adjourned upon a motion by Mr. McGeary, second by Mr. Barsottini **PASSED UNANIMOUS** at 8:33pm

---

Paul Bellan, President

Thomas Ely, Secretary

---