



**WORMLEYSBURG BOROUGH  
COUNCIL MINUTES  
MARCH 8, 2022**

The monthly meeting of the Wormleysburg Borough Council was held on Tuesday, March 8, 2022 in Council Chambers. Dr. Deklinski called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mr. Stumpf.

Borough Manager Deb Ealer called the Roll.

President Dr. Joseph Deklinski	-	Present
Mayor George O. Preble	-	Not in Attendance
Vice-President Stephen M. Hawbecker	-	Present
Mr. George Kahler	-	Present
Ms. Sue Stuart	-	Present
Mr. Warren Stumpf	-	Present
Ms. Margaret Stuski	-	Present

The following individuals were also in attendance: Borough Solicitor Bryan Salzmann, Esq., West Shore Regional Police Department (WSRPD) Lieutenant John Friel. Guests present were Walt Panko, Larry Belmont, Tim Ellis, Officer Nikki Sheaffer (WSRPD) and Corporal Daniel Hair (WSRPD).

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

No public comments.

**APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES**

**ACTION:** On motion made by Ms. Stuart and seconded by Ms. Stuski the minutes of the February 8, 2022 and February 22, 2022, meetings were unanimously approved as presented.

**APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

**ACTION:** On motion made by Ms. Stuart and seconded by Mr. Kahler the agenda was unanimously approved as presented with no changes.

**BUILDING PLANS**

There were no building plans.

**PUBLIC HEARINGS**

Dr. Deklinski recessed Council and opened the public hearing at 7:34 p.m. to receive comments on Ordinance 530 – Solid Waste.

There were no comments.

Dr. Deklinski closed the public hearing at 7:36 p.m. He then reconvened the Council meeting.

**ACTION:** On motion made by Ms. Stuart and seconded by Mr. Kahler, Council unanimously voted to adopt Solid Waste Ordinance 530.

**REPORTS FROM APPOINTED BOROUGH OFFICERS**

**Borough Manager**

The Borough Manager’s monthly report, which was provided electronically, was accepted with no questions.

**Borough Treasurer**

The February Treasurer’s report, which was provide electronically, was reviewed with no questions.

**Borough Solicitor**

No report.

**Borough Engineer**

The Borough Engineer report was provided electronically summarizing the status of the following projects and tasks to be performed:

- i. 120-124 South Front Street Demolition CDBG
- ii. 2022 Roadway/Paving Project
- iii. Walnut Street Drainage
- iv. Lower Rupley Park MS4 Project

**COUNCIL PRESIDENT’S REPORT**

Dr. Deklinski advised the Volunteer Dinner has been scheduled at Duke’s Restaurant on Saturday, May 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:00 p.m. Dr. Deklinski noted that during the evening’s itinerary it should include a time to honor recently retired former Borough Council President Tom Martini and recently retired West Shore Regional Police Department Chief Michael Hope for their service to Wormleysburg Borough.

**COUNCIL VICE-PRESIDENT’S REPORT**

Mr. Hawbecker provided the report.

**ACTION:** On motion made by Mr. Hawbecker, and seconded by Mr. Kahler, Council unanimously approved the distribution of funds as follows (as evidenced by the check registers dated from 2/8/2022 to 3/8/2022).

<u>Accounts</u>	<u>Number of Checks</u>	<u>Distribution Summary</u>
General Fund	55	\$ 109,268.34

<b>Fire Tax Fund</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>\$ 66,479.46</b>
<b>Sewer Fund</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>\$ 1,338.80</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$ 597,383.18*</b>

*\*The distribution summary total may include inter-fund transfers in keeping with accounting requirements.*

**MAYOR’S REPORT**

**In lieu of Mayor Preble, WSRPD Lieutenant Friel provided the monthly report, which was accepted without questions.**

**Lieutenant Friel reported that the new WSRPD Chief of Police Anthony Minium is to start on March 14<sup>th</sup>.**

**Lieutenant Friel informed council that the department is actively looking to hire 2 – 3 more officers in the upcoming months.**

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Parks, Public Lands and Recreation Committee, COG**

**Ms. Stuski attended the monthly CapCOG meeting.**

**Ms. Stuski advised the Children’s Easter party date is yet to be determined.**

**Planning Commission and Streets, Sanitary/Highway Committee**

**No report.**

**Service/Property Committee**

**No report.**

**Codes Enforcement, Zoning, Sidewalks and Shade Trees Committee**

**Ms. Stuart reported that the amended final draft sign ordinance is under review.**

**Public Safety Committee**

**ACTION: On motion made by Mr. Stumpf and seconded by Ms. Stuski, Council unanimously approved the West Shore Bureau of Fire (WSBF) Major Incident Types and Classification reports for January 2022.**

**Mr. Stumpf advised that the Lower Allen Township accepted the bid for the purchase of new apparatus for WSBF.**

**Administrative Committee**

**No report.**

**NEW BUSINESS**

**ACTION:** On motion made by Ms. Stuski and seconded by Mr. Hawbecker, Council unanimously approved Resolution 2022.02 – Local Share Account – Statewide Grant to CCTV all the sewer lines in the borough.

**OLD BUSINESS**

**ACTION:** On motion made by Mr. Stumpf and seconded by Mr. Plaza, Council unanimously approved the Emergency Shelter Agreement with Artis Senior Living.

Solicitor Salzmann provided a general overview and status of the nearby municipalities regarding the Joint Sharing Agreement.

**ACTION:** On motion made by Ms. Stuart and seconded by Mr. Kahler, Council unanimously approved to enter into and financially participate at the level of \$10,000 in the Joint Sharing Agreement with other neighboring and nearby municipalities to oppose the present I 83 tolling P3 decision.

**ADJOURNMENT**

**ACTION:** On motion made by Mr. Kahler, Council meeting was adjourned at 8:16 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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**Lori Schmidt**  
Recording Secretary

**Deborah Ealer**  
Borough Manager

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