

CRESSONA BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING - VIA ZOOM  
MINUTES OF DECEMBER 21, 2020  
BI-MONTHLY MEETING

**Call to Order:** 7:00 p.m. by Council President Mike Pascuzzo.

**Roll Call:** Those in attendance were Robert Barr, Mike Pascuzzo, Dave Semar, Dennis Snyder, Regina Sonon, Zac Sullivan, and Eric Prock. Kathy Butz was not present.

**Citizens Participation:** None

**Minutes of Previous Meeting:** All Council received a copy of minutes from December 7, Borough Council meeting. A motion to accept them as typed was made by Linda, seconded by Dave. All Ayes.

**Municipal Bills:** A motion was made by Bob seconded by Linda to approve the Bills to Be Paid report of December 21, 2020. All Ayes.

**Requisitions:** #281 – Tabled to the next meeting. Regina to find out if inspection completed elsewhere, will it void the warranty.

#282 – A motion was made by Linda to order gaskets for the hydrants and a hydrant pump from USA Blue Book. Seconded by Bob. All Ayes

**Old Business:**

1. 2021 Annual Budget – A motion was made by Bob to accept the 2021 Budget, seconded by Dave. All Ayes

**New Business:**

1. Resolution 02-2020 Tax Millage - A motion was made by Mike to approve the Resolution, seconded by Linda. All Ayes
2. Resolution 03-2020 2021 Employee Benefits – A motion was made to approve the Resolution with correction of typos in hourly salary for the employees and redundancy in language by Bob, seconded by Dave. All ayes
3. Blue Mountain Recreation 2021 Budget – A motion was made by Bob to accept Recreations 2021 Budget, seconded by Mike. All Ayes

**CORRESPONDENCE:** Assorted correspondence on office counter.

**COMMITTEES:**

**Mayor:** Issued warnings for putting snow on the street. The Mayor will check Pottsville Street for addresses not shoveled and issue warnings.

**Solicitor:** Reviewed Corona Virus Relief Fund Recipient Agreement. Recommended the borough purchase a second tablet before the end of the year to comply with the agreement.

- a. Linda made a motion to purchase second tablet that will remain at borough hall, seconded by Bob. All Ayes
- b. Linda made a motion to enter into the Corona Virus Relief Fund Recipient Agreement, seconded by Mike. All Ayes

**Engineer:** 1. Fidler Brothers to begin the Schuylkill Street project on December 28. Eric requested and council agreed that SDE should contact the affected property owners. 2. Please see Engineers report.

**Secretary:** Borough received funds from North Manheim Township for 2021 fire protection.

**Finance/Property:** Nothing at this time

**Highway:** F550 Turbo Hose needs to be replaced. Mike will go to Napa for the replacement hose and make the repair

**Recreation:** Orwigsburg and Cressona Softball in discussions to merge and be absorbed by the Blue Mtn Recreation. More to follow.

**Safety:** Concerned about some of the sidewalks not being shoveled asked the Mayor to look into it.

**Personnel:** Nothing at this time

**Fire Chief:** Was not at the meeting

**COG:** Nothing at this time.

**Citizen Participation:** No citizen participation

**Motion to Adjourn the Meeting at 7:40 was made by Linda and Seconded by Dave All Ayes**