

**CRESSONA BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING
MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 15, 2021
BI-MONTHLY MEETING - ZOOM**

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

Roll Call: Those in attendance were Robert Barr, Kathy Butz, Mike Pascuzzo, Dave Semar, Linda Walinsky, Dennis Snyder, Regina Sonon, Zac Sullivan, and Eric Prock.

Citizens Participation: None

Minutes of Previous Meeting: All Council received a copy of minutes from January 18, Borough Council meeting. A motion to accept them as typed was made by Kathy, seconded by Dave. All Ayes.

Municipal Bills:

1. A motion was made by Kathy seconded by Bob to approve the Bills to Be Paid report of February 1. All Ayes.
 - A. Kathy & Regina discussed outstanding PPL bills with council. The borough is billed annually for attachments to the PPL poles. Frank provided as list of poles with the attachments from 2013. Regina talked to Mike Pontician regarding the emergency call boxes. He said that the boxes were removed but the wires remain. Regina is having extreme difficulty getting in touch with a representative at PPL to discuss.
2. A motion was made by Kathy seconded by Dave to approve the Bills to Be Paid report of February 15. All Ayes

Requisitions:

- #282 – Lancaster Truck Bodies: 2001 Ford F450 repairs to the Strobe Light System not to exceed \$250. A motion was made by Linda and seconded by Bob to make necessary repairs. All Ayes
- #283 – Kens Tire: 2012 Ford F550 replace 2 tires and 1 wheel, at a cost not to exceed \$510. Motion was made by Bob and seconded by Dave. All Ayes
- #284 – Stork’s Automotive: Purchase of wire harness and plow controller. Motion was made by Dave and seconded by Mike. All Ayes

Old Business:

1. Planning Commission Candidate – Council will continue to talk to residents to find a 4th member.

New Business:

1. There were no residents from Marsha Drive on the Zoom Call.
2. Review of Memo from Frank regarding snow removal. Council commended the road crew for the excellent job they have done getting the snow cleaned.
3. 2nd reading of Flood Plain Ordinance to take effect May 18, 2021. Motion was made by Kathy and seconded by Bob. All Ayes
4. A motion was made by Bob and seconded by Dave to approve street sweeping by Martin Paving on April 29 & 30. All Ayes
5. A motion was made by Bob and seconded by Mike to approve Fidler Brother’s for additional snow removal help when needed. Prices are the same as previous years. All Ayes

CORRESPONDENCE: Assorted correspondence on office counter.

COMMITTEES:

Mayor: Issues with residents and some businesses not shoveling sidewalks. Will work on citations this week.

Solicitor: Requested an executive session for legal and real property.

Engineer: Please see Engineers report.

Secretary: Audits are being completed currently working on 2017. Picked up the 2018 box on Friday.

Finance/Property: Treasurer's report was given to council; any questions talk to Kathy or Regina.

Highway: Issues with the trucks due to plowing, as discussed earlier. Waiting to hear from Plasterer for a delivery date for the new back hoe. F550 issue seems to be resolved.

Sanitation: Issues with not getting trash and recycling collected, emailing County Waste as the issues arise.

Recreation: Nothing at this time the next meeting will be at the end of the month.

Safety: Bob was very pleased with the snow removal.

Personnel: Nothing at this time

Fire Chief: Was not at the meeting.

COG: The meetings will begin again in March.

Citizen Participation: Georgine Joyce voiced a concern regarding sidewalks not being shoveled on Chestnut Street. She said the conditions are very unsafe.

Executive Session: A motion to enter executive session for legal and real property with no action to follow was made at 7:30 pm by Kathy and seconded by Bob.

Motion to exit Executive Session at 7:35 was made by Bob and seconded by Kathy

Motion to Adjourn the Meeting at 7:37 pm was made by Dave and Seconded by Bob All Ayes