

**CRESSONA BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING  
MINUTES OF JANUARY 3, 2022  
BI-MONTHLY MEETING**

**Call to Order:** 7:19 p.m. by Council President Linda Walinsky.

**Roll Call:** Those in attendance were Mike Pascuzzo, Robert Barr, Linda Walinsky, Dave Semar, Sandra Renninger, Eric Prock, Regina Sonon. Kathy Butz was not in attendance. John Kantner was here on behalf of Eric Prock until 7:39 pm when Eric was able to join the council meeting.

**Citizens Participation:** There was no participation at this time.

**Minutes of Previous Meeting:** Council received a copy of minutes from the December 20, Borough Council meeting. A motion to accept them as typed was made by Mike and seconded by Dave. All Ayes

**Municipal Bills:** A motion was made by Dave and seconded by Bob to approve the Bills to Be Paid report dated January 3. All Ayes

**Requisitions:** #297 – A motion was made by Bob and seconded by Mike to approve the annual inspection and service of the International dump truck not to exceed \$500. All Ayes

#298 – Repairs to 2001 Ford F450 Dump Truck

**Old Business:**

1. Employee Resolution – Tabled

**New Business:**

1. A motion was made by Mike and seconded by Dave to change authorized signers to Linda Walinsky, Michael Pascuzzo, Robert Barr, and Regina Sonon on the following accounts General Fund, Special Highway Aid Fund, Street Light Fund, Recreation Fund, Capital Reserve, Special COG Fund, Escrow and ARPA fund at Riverview Bank.
2. Graeff Street Road Work – A motion was made by Mike and seconded by Dave to have SDE proceed and prepare bid specs. All Ayes
3. Sinkhole on Chestnut Street – Tabled
4. Fidler Brother Quote – 2022 Snow Removal Rates – A motion was made by Dave and seconded by Mike to contract with Fidler Brothers for snow removal if the need arises during the 2022 snow season. All Ayes
5. Appointment of Cressona Borough Tax Collector – A motion was made by Bob and seconded by Dave to appoint Regina Sonon as Cressona Borough Tax Collector for a 2-year term, expiring December 31, 2023. All Ayes
6. Memo from Frank regarding Ford F450 – Council reviewed the memo and after much discussion a Motion was made by Mike and seconded by Dave to take the truck to ES Savage to get a quote for repairs. All Ayes
7. PPL – Tabled: Council asked Regina to verify the municipal rate

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

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

**Mayor:** Linda welcomed the new Mayor. Sandy had nothing to report at this time.

**Solicitor:** Rick Day and Steve attended the hearing for 40 Chestnut Street the borough won. Property has the right to file an appeal.

**Engineer:** Please see Engineer's report. A motion was made by Bob and seconded by Dave to award the contract to board up 47 Ash Street to Vince Morgan at a cost of \$1700 contingent upon him certifying that the \$1700 is for all items in the borough's bid specs. All Ayes

**Secretary:** Regina would like to put together a certificate acknowledging Mr. Bittle's years of service. To be presented by the mayor.

**Finance/Property:** The Treasurer's Report and Reconciliation was given to council for review. Any questions talk to Regina, Kathy or Linda.

**Highway:** 2022 road projects and the truck were discussed earlier.

**Sanitation:** Sanitation bills were taken to the post office, Thursday, December 30.

**Recreation:** Nothing at this time.

**Safety:** Nothing at this time.

**Personnel:** Nothing at this time

**Fire Chief:** Fire Chief reported it has been very busy in the new year.

**COG:** Nothing at this time

**Citizen Participation:** None

**A motion was made at 7:58 pm to adjourn the meeting by Dave and seconded by Mike. All Ayes**

Respectfully Submitted,  
Regina Sonon  
Secretary/Treasurer