

**CRESSONA BOROUGH COUNCIL  
WORK SESSION MINUTES  
JUNE 2, 2025**

**Call to Order:** 6:00 p.m. by Council President, Linda Walinsky.

**Roll Call:** Those in attendance were council members Linda Walinsky, Mike Pascuzzo, Robert Barr, Michelle Blankenhorn, Jennifer Wanamaker, Secretary Regina Sonon and Solicitor Eric Prock. Mayor Sandra Renninger was not able to attend the meeting.

**Citizens Participation:** There were no comments during this period.

**Minutes of the Previous Meeting:** A motion was made by Jenn and seconded by Mike to approve the Meeting Minutes of May 19. All Ayes

**Municipal Bills:** A motion was made by Bob and seconded by Mike to approve paying the bills of June 2. All Ayes.

**Requisitions:** #

**Old Business:**

1. Pool Update – Frank informed council of the meeting held with engineers to discuss our options.
2. Speed Humps – Safety Committee received 2 quotes to install speed humps on River Street. Council asked Regina to send the quotes to John Davis at Penn DOT to receive his feedback.
3. T Mobile Grant Opportunity- A motion was made by Michelle and seconded by Jenn to approve Regina applying for the Grant for the purpose of upgrading of the Schuylkill Street Playground to make it more inclusive. All Ayes

**New Business:**

1. Storm Water Ordinance:
  - a. Ty Leineweber returned to answer any questions as they related to the storm water ordinance draft.
  - b. Eric asked council to review the sample ordinance and be prepared for the second meeting in July.
  - c. Linda asked that Frank also get involved and provide his feedback.

**Committee Reports:**

**Mayor:** Not in attendance.

**Solicitor:** Nothing at this time.

**SDE:** Please see report

**Secretary / Sanitation:** Discussed a Grove rental using fireworks after dark within the Grove. Council was agreeable to Regina getting quote for a vinyl sign with the rules and regulations. Advised council, Thursday, June 5, Haven Unified will be holding an open house to introduce their prospective beatification projects.

**Highway/Public Works:** Biros was not able to flush out the pipe on Railroad Street. Had to excavate removed large logs from the pipe. At this point water is flowing again he also secured the entrance to prevent this happening again in the future.

**Code Enforcement:** 60 Schuylkill Street issue resolved. Sending numerous warnings and fines for high grass. Stop sign at River and Birch covered by branches.

**Finance/Property:** Linda requested an executive session for Legal & Property.

**Safety:** Nothing at this time.

**Personnel:** No updates at this time.

**Recreation:**

- a. Movie night to benefit the pool sponsored by Goodwill at the Rec Building in Orwigsburg.
- b. We received our allotment; we currently have \$10,000 in our BMRC rec fund.
- c. Linda asked Eric about fundraising for the pool. Eric recommended we set up a separate account and track larger donations.
- d. Playground programs will begin the week of June 9.

**Fire Chief:** There were 5 calls in May.

**COG:** No meeting until the fall.

**Citizen's Participation:**

Tim Bayliff: Three years ago, 34 Grove Street was inspected. Tim was instructed to install carbon monoxide detectors. The property is electric heat. 2. During a separate rental inspection, he was instructed to replace a hand-crafted storm door with a commercial door. 3. Questioned the previous inspector's qualifications. Steve is going to investigate these issues.

A motion was made by Bob and seconded by Mike at 6:47 pm to enter executive session with no action to follow. All Ayes

A motion was made by Bob and seconded by Mike at 7:11 pm to exit executive session for legal and real property with no action to follow. All Ayes

Immediately following executive session Bob made a motion seconded by Mike to adjourn the meeting. All Ayes

Next Meeting Monday, June 16 at 6 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Regina Sonon  
Secretary/Treasurer