

**CRESSONA BOROUGH COUNCIL
MINUTES OF OCTOBER 21, 2024**

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

Roll Call: Those in attendance were council members Linda Walinsky, Michael Pascuzzo, Michelle Blankenhorn, Mayor Sandi Renninger, Regina Sonon, Solicitor Eric Prock, and on behalf of Systems Design Engineering Steven Moyer. Council persons not in attendance: Robert Barr and Jennifer Wanamaker

Citizens Participation: There was no participation at that time.

Minutes of the Previous Meeting: A motion was made by Mike and seconded by Michelle to approve the Meeting Minutes of October 7. All Ayes

Municipal Bills: A motion was made by Linda and seconded by Mike to approve paying the bills of October 21. All Ayes.

Requisitions: No Requisitions were submitted

Old Business:

1. Tabled – Internet at Garage and Grove

New Business:

1. A motion was made by Michelle and seconded by Mike to approve property tax refund to HYDRO in the amount of \$60.81. All Ayes
2. 2025 Budget – Linda asked the committees to discuss budgetary needs for 2025.
3. Tabled – Fire Police Equipment – Dennis will conduct an inventory prior to ordering the equipment to prevent duplication.
4. A motion was made by Mike and seconded by Linda to approve starter replacement on the 2008 Chevy at an estimated cost of \$650. All Ayes
5. A motion was made by Mike and seconded by Michelle to have ES Savage replace the brakes and drums at an estimated cost of \$1700 for the International at ES Savage. All Ayes
6. A motion was made by Mike and seconded by Michelle to approve Regina completing the MORE Grant Application. All Ayes

Committee Reports:

Mayor: No update to present.

Solicitor: Nothing at this time.

Engineer's Report: Please review report.

Secretary: Lorraine Felker on behalf of South Schuylkill United will attend the November 4 meeting.

Finance/Property: August and September reconciliations were provided to council.

Highway/Public Works: Prepping for winter. Frank is meeting with Chip about the 2025 Road Program specifically Schuylkill and Front Street. Railroad Street is to be covered up prior to the batch plants close.

Sanitation: Regina requested Eric provide an agreement for residents wanting to set up a payment plan for delinquent sanitation.

Recreation: Mike would like to see another pickleball court somewhere within the borough. Received the final financial report for the pool.

Safety: Nothing at this time.

Personnel: Nothing at this time.

Fire Chief: 7 calls in the month of September.

COG: No update, Bob did not attend the meeting.

Code Enforcement Officer: Working on citations at 11, 13 and 15 Sillyman and 13 & 119 Pottsville Street.

Public Works: Nothing at this time.

Citizen's Participation:

Mr. Oliver: 11/2 Fall Block Shoot & Election Day Dinner. Asked Frank Killian to take a look at storm drain at 45 Grove Street.

At 7:07 pm Michelle made a motion seconded by Mike to adjourn the meeting. All Ayes

Next Meeting Monday, November 4 at 6 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Regina Sonon
Secretary/Treasurer