

**Lake City Borough Council**

**2350 Main Street**

**October 10, 2022**

**Call to Order:** President Gollmer called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Roll Call:** Ginger L. Cinti, Christopher G. Byers, Thomas Eberle, Mary G. Gollmer, Jenny L. Potter, Alan J. Watkins, and Mayor Andrew J. Graves were present. Raymond H. Fisher was absent.

**Appointed Officials Attending:** Edward J. Betza /Solicitor, Stacy L. Kibler/Borough Secretary, and David Wierzchowski/Police Chief.

**Visitors Attending:** Ellen Avlon, Juston Cannon, and Gregg Mitcho.

**David and Sue Richardson:** of 1314 Maple Avenue, request an adjustment to their water and sewer bill after finding their water softener cycling. At the last meeting Council requested the old water meter be tested in David presence. The water meter was tested and was reading accurately. The Borough Crew also found the water softener at the Richardson's to be disconnected. Council agreed the water/sewer bill will stand and payments can be made on the bill.

**Minutes:** Christopher Byers motioned, Thomas Eberle seconded, to approve the September 12<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022, Minutes. All agreed. Motion carried.

**Bills for Approval:** Christopher Byers motioned, Jenny Potter seconded, to approve the October Bills and Bill Ratifications. All agreed. Motion carried.

**Payroll Ratifications:** Christopher Byers motioned, Jenny Potter seconded, to approve the payroll ratifications. All agreed, except Alan Watkins, who abstained, for a personal conflict. Motion carried.

**Julia Drive:** At the Special Meeting, the Condo Association asked Council to consider plowing Julia Drive. After reviewing the Walnut Grove Condominium Bylaws, which show Julia Drive is to be plowed privately. Christopher Byers motioned, Thomas Eberle seconded, not to plow Julia Drive. All agreed. Motion carried.

**GAP Funding:** The Borough Secretary will apply for GAP Funding through Erie County Municipal Infrastructure GAP funding program for the sanitary sewer line on Julia Drive. Resolution 10/10/22 allows for the application to be submitted. Christopher Byers motioned, Thomas Eberle seconded, to accept resolution 10/10/22. All agreed. Motion carried.

**2023 Budget:** In preparation of the 2023 budget, Council removed funds for the police legal defense fund, included a water rate increase, a sewer rate decrease, and a separate water and sewer fee to cover the annual water and sewer permit fees. The budget will also include a \$2,500 sidewalk replacement fund.

**Meter Reader:** Christopher Byers motioned, Thomas Eberle seconded, to advertise for the meter reader position. Motion carried after all agreed.

**Water and Sewer Ordinance:** Council tabled revising the ordinance until the next meeting.

**Garage Roof:** Council tabled the issue until the next meeting.

**Adjourned:** President Gollmer adjourned the meeting at 8:07 p.m.

**Respectfully Submitted,**

**Stacy L. Kibler**

**Borough Secretary**