

City Council Meeting Minutes - January 17, 2022

City Council Chambers, City Building, 16 West Scribner Avenue, DuBois, Pennsylvania on Monday, January 17, 2022 @ 6 p.m.; Council convened at their regular City Council Meeting with Mayor Walsh in the Chair. Other Council Members present were: Diane Bernardo (by telephone), James Aughenbaugh, Shane Dietz, Shannon Gabriel; City Treasurer, Lisa LaBrasca Becker; and City Controller, David Volpe. Also present were: City Manager, John "Herm" Suplizio; City Solicitor, Toni Cherry; Redevelopment Authority Director/Assistant Public Works Superintendent, Joe Mitchell; and Police Chief, Blaine Clark.

The meeting was called to order at 6 p.m. and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Walsh.

Mayor Edward L. Walsh Swearing In Lisa LaBrasca Becker/Treasurer

In accordance with Article VII, Section 701, of the Third-Class City Code, Lisa LaBrasca Becker presented her "Certificate of Election" to the Administrative Secretary. Lisa LaBrasca Becker was sworn into office by Mayor Edward L. Walsh and was duly certified as Treasurer. Council convened with Mayor Walsh in the chair.

Approval of Minutes

2nd Public Hearing - 2022 Budget & Tax Levy and City Council Meeting Minutes - December 27, 2021
The motion was made by Dietz and seconded by Aughenbaugh that Council approve the 2nd Public Hearing - 2022 Budget & Tax Levy and City Council Meeting Minutes of December 27, 2021 as presented by the City Secretary. Roll call vote was as follows: Aughenbaugh, yea; Bernardo, yea; Dietz, yea; Gabriel, yea; Walsh, yea. Motion passed 5-0.

Reorganizational Meeting Minutes - January 3, 2022

The motion was made by Gabriel and seconded by Aughenbaugh that Council approve the Reorganizational Meeting Minutes of January 3, 2022 as presented by the City Secretary. Roll call vote was as follows: Aughenbaugh, yea; Bernardo, yea; Dietz, yea; Gabriel, yea; Walsh, yea. Motion passed 5-0.

Work Session Meeting Minutes - January 13, 2022

The motion was made by Aughenbaugh and seconded by Dietz that Council approve the Work Session Meeting Minutes of January 13, 2022 as presented by the City Secretary. Roll call vote was as follows: Aughenbaugh, yea; Bernardo, yea; Dietz, yea; Gabriel, yea; Walsh, yea. Motion passed 5-0.

Approval of Registry of Invoices

The motion as made by Gabriel and seconded by Dietz that Council approve the Purchase Order Listing by Vendor Name dated January 13, 2022 in the amount of \$830,030.20 and the Check Register by Check ID dated January 13, 2022 in the amount of \$41,803.20 as presented by the Finance Officer. Roll call vote was as follows: Aughenbaugh, yea; Bernardo, yea; Dietz, yea; Gabriel, yea; Walsh, yea. Motion passed 5-0.

Public Comments - No Comments

Request for authorization to advertise for bids for DuBois Avenue Park (Top of the Boulevard)

The motion was made by Aughenbaugh and seconded by Gabriel that Council authorize advertising for bids for the DuBois Avenue Park. Roll call vote was as follows: Aughenbaugh, yea; Bernardo, yea; Dietz, yea; Gabriel, yea; Walsh, yea. Motion passed 5-0.

Police Chief - Blaine Clark

Good job road crew; no accidents.

Councilman Shane Dietz

Great job by the road crew; reminder to all residents to clean their sidewalks.

Councilwoman Shannon Gabriel

Ditto on what Shane said; it seems like the plow went by every hour.

Councilman Jim Aughenbaugh

It looked like everyone was out on their sidewalks; thanks to the road crew for a good job.

Treasurer -Lisa LaBrasca Becker

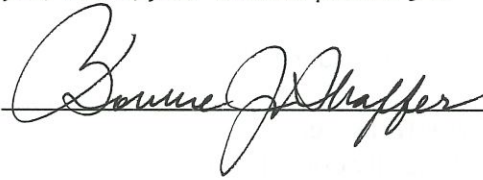
It is an honor to serve, I'm starting my 10th year. The City looked beautiful with all the snow.

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Mayor - Edward L. Walsh
Great job by the plows.

Adjourn

There being no more business to transact; the motion was made by Dietz and seconded by Gabriel that Council adjourn. Roll call vote was as follows: Aughenbaugh, yea; Bernardo, yea; Dietz, yea; Gabriel, yea; Walsh, yea. Motion passed 5-0.

ATTEST:  APPROVED: 