

**City Council Reorganizational Meeting  
Monday, January 3, 2022 @ 11 a.m.**

City Council Chambers, City Building, 16 West Scribner Avenue, DuBois, Pennsylvania on Monday, January 3, 2022 @ 11 a.m.; Council convened at their regular Reorganizational Meeting with Mayor Walsh in the Chair.

The meeting was called to order at 11 a.m. and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Walsh.

The Honorable Judge Paul E. Cherry stated that it is an honor to swear in these newly elected and re-elected officials of the City of DuBois. The City residents have expressed their utmost confidence in electing and re-electing these officials.

Mayor Elect, Edward L. Walsh; Councilmen re-elect, James Aughenbaugh and Shane Dietz; and City Controller Elect, David Volpe having received a majority of votes cast for their respective offices, were duly elected as Mayor, Members of City Council, and City Controller of the City of DuBois for (2) year and (4) year terms, beginning January 3, 2022.

In accordance with Article VII, Section 701, of the Third-Class City Code, Mayor Walsh; Councilmen Aughenbaugh and Dietz; and City Controller Volpe presented their "Certificate of Election" to be filed with the Administrative Secretary. The Mayor, Members of Council, and City Controller were all sworn in by Judge Paul E. Cherry and were duly certified as Mayor, Members of Council and City Controller. The new Council convened with Mayor Edward L. Walsh, in the Chair. Other members present were as follows: Diane Bernardo, James Aughenbaugh, Shane Dietz and City Controller, David Volpe. Also present were: City Manager, John "Herm" Suplizio; City Solicitor, Toni Cherry; Assistant City Solicitor, Paula Cherry; City Engineer/Public Works Director, Chris Nasuti; Deputy Treasurer, Tom Nowak; Redevelopment Authority Director/Assistant Public Works Superintendent/Fire Chief, Joe Mitchell; Police Chief, Blaine Clark; and City Secretary, Bobbie Shaffer.

**Selection of Vice President of Council**

The motion was made by Aughenbaugh and seconded by Dietz that Council appoint Councilwoman Bernardo as Vice President of Council. Roll call vote was as follows: Dietz, yea; Bernardo, yea; Aughenbaugh, yea; Walsh, yea. Motion passed 4-0.

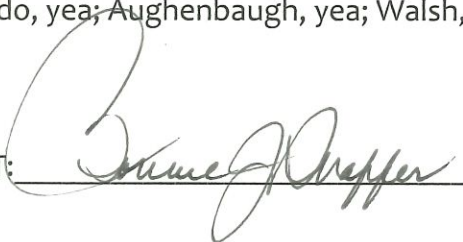
**Determination of day and time of 2022 Council Meetings and Work Sessions**

City Manager Suplizio stated that as consolidation has passed, we will now be holding joint meetings with the Sandy Township Supervisors. To make things simpler, he is proposing that Council change our City Council Meetings to the first and third Monday's of each month with the 10-person Consolidation Committee Meeting held at 6 p.m. and the City Council Meeting right after. Work Sessions will continue to be the Thursday prior to the Council Meeting at 4 p.m. The motion was made by Bernardo and seconded by Dietz that Council change their City Council Meetings to the first and third Monday's of each month with the 10-Person Consolidation Committee Meeting held at 6 p.m.; the City Council Meeting held right after; and Work Sessions be held the Thursday prior to the Council Meeting at 4 p.m. Roll call vote was as follows: Dietz, yea; Bernardo, yea; Aughenbaugh, yea; Walsh, yea. Motion passed 4-0.

**Adjourn**

There being no further business to transact; the motion was made by Aughenbaugh and seconded by Bernardo that Council adjourn. Roll call vote was as follows: Dietz, yea; Bernardo, yea; Aughenbaugh, yea; Walsh, yea. Motion passed 4-0.

ATTEST:



APPROVED:

