

Jeannette City Council
City Council Meeting
Agenda



Thursday
November 10, 2022
6:00 PM

ORDER:

The Mayor Called the meeting to order at

ROLL CALL:

Robin Mozley
Chuck Highlands
Michelle Langdon
Chad Krawtz
Curtis Antoniak

ALSO, PRESENT:

City Clerk: *Benjamin D. Walker*
Chief Fiscal Officer: *Ethan Keedy*
City Solicitor: *Timothy Witt*
Chief of Police: *Donald Johnston Jr.*
Code Enforcement: *Bill Whetzel*
Fire Chief: *William Frye*
City Engineer: *Edward Antonacci*

ABSENT WITH CAUSE

Controller: *Nancy Peters*
City Foreman: *Rich Ault*
City Treasurer: *Jacob Milliron*

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE AMERICAN FLAG

Please remain standing for a moment of reflection for the men and women in the armed services.
A moment of silence for

INVOCATION:

Pastor Bob Ross of the Heritage Baptist Church of Jeannette

EXCEPTIONS TO OPEN MEETINGS (65 Pa.C.S.A. § 707):

1. Tuesday, October 25, 2022 at 9:00 AM and 10:30 AM to discuss contracts under negotiation.
2. Wednesday, November 2, 2022 at 11:30 AM to conduct an appeal hearing for determination of demolition of a property in the City.

AGENDA:

MINUTES:

CITIZENS:

COMMUNICATIONS:

1. Jeannette Holy Name Society request for a nativity scene.
2. John A. Steiner Paper Alley Vacation Request.
3. John A. Cramer Request for Reappointment.

OFFICERS REPORTS:

BILLS:

DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

Mrs. Mozley

Mr. Highlands

Mrs. Langdon

Mr. Krawtz

Mr. Antoniak

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

1. A motion to approve the agreement between the City of Jeannette and the Westmoreland County Transit Authority subject to review and approval by the City Solicitor.
2. A motion to approve the Jeannette Holy Name Society's request to display a nativity scene at City Hall from November 26, 2022 to January 15, 2023 subject to review by the City Solicitor.
3. A motion to approve the new Office Workers Collective Bargaining Agreement, consistent with the final proposal approved by both parties, subject to final revisions and approval by the Mayor and the City Solicitor.
4. A motion to hire Jay Smith as a full-time call fire fighter pending successful completion of a NFPA physical and drug test to be paid for by the 2018 SAFER Grant.
5. A motion to hire Jonathan Ryan Jr. as a Patrolman in the Jeannette Police Department with a start date of January 1, 2023.
6. A motion to promote Lieutenant Brad Shepler to the position of Captain in the Jeannette Police Department effective January 1, 2023.
7. A motion to appoint John Cramer to the Jeannette Zoning Hearing Board for a three-year term starting January 1, 2023 and ending December 31, 2025.
8. A motion to approve the 2022 updates to the Jeannette Fire Department Rules and Regulations.

9. A motion to introduce and adopt **Resolution 22-28**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF JEANNETTE, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, APPROVING THE SUBMISSION OF THE COVID-19 ARPA SMALL WATER & SEWER OF THE COMMONWEALTH FINANCIAL AUTHORITY.

10. A motion to introduce and adopt **Resolution 22-29 (Paving School Street)**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JEANNETTE APPROVING A REVISION TO THE FY 2022 CDBG APPLICATION.

11. A motion to introduce and conduct the first reading of **Bill No. 22-07 (Tax Rates and Budget FY 2023)**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF JEANNETTE, WESTMORELAND COUNTY, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, FIXING THE TAX RATES FOR 2023 AND APPROVING SPECIFIC SUMS ESTIMATED TO BE REQUIRED FOR THE SPECIFIC APPROPRIATING SPECIFIC SUMS ESTIMATED TO BE REQUIRED FOR THE SPECIFIC PURPOSES OF MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT, HEREINAFTER SET FORTH, FOR 2023.

12. A motion to pay Urban Design Ventures, LLC \$875.00 for work performed on the City's CDBG Programs in April 2022 from the CDBG account.
13. A motion to pay Urban Design Ventures, LLC \$32,535.00 for work performed on the City's CDBG Programs from May 2022 thru September 2022 from the CDBG account.
14. A motion to pay Antonacci Design Associates \$1,427.50 for work performed on the ARP Sewer and Water Grant from the Capital Reserve.
15. A motion to pay Antonacci Design Associates \$225.00 for work performed on the North Second Street Storm Sewer Rehabilitation Project from the American Rescue Plan Account.
16. A motion to pay Antonacci Design Associates \$957.50 for work performed on the South 7th Street & Clay Avenue Intersection and Curb and Sidewalk Reconstruction Project from the CDBG Account.
17. A motion to pay KGD Contracting, Inc. \$36,375.30 for work performed on the South 7th Street & Clay Avenue Intersection and Curb and Sidewalk Reconstruction Project from the CDBG account.

ADJOURNMENT:

Benjamin D. Walker
CITY CLERK