

**BOROUGH OF MARYSVILLE**  
**Council Minutes**  
**October 8, 2012**  
**7:30 PM**

President Sherree Knight called the council meeting to order at 7:30pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and Reverend Kauffman shared the invocation.

**Roll Call**

Roger Barrick - Present  
Lance Barthel - Present  
Stephen Copp - Present  
Allen Metzger - Present  
Dave Magee - Excused  
Ann Simonetti - Present  
Sherree Knight - Present

Mayor Troutman - Present  
Boro Mgr Scott Weaver - Present  
Sec Zitsch - Excused  
Treas Tennant - Present  
Sol Altland - Present  
Eng Ron Brown - Present

Scott Weaver thanked Kim Charles for attending and taking the minutes in Secretary Zitsch's absence.

A motion was made by Ann Simonetti, seconded by Lance Barthel and approved unanimously to approve the consent items.

**Public Comment**

John Kane with the Marysville VFW Post 882 presented a check for \$500.00 to Parks and Recreation. He was thanked with generous applause.

**Engineering Report**

Ron Brown gave an update on the following issues:

- a) Sewer Separation Project – In the next month there will be permanent paving restoration being done on State Road, Myrtle Avenue and any other area that has gravel. The curbing is complete on State Road and the sidewalks have started being poured. The inlets on Myrtle Avenue will need to be installed before the paving can be done. Approval was received from DEP to install the 48" pipe at the rear of the properties located on Chestnut Street; however, the borough is waiting on the Army Corps of Engineers approval report to be signed to proceed with the installation of the pipe. Ron anticipates that Maple Avenue will undergo construction in November. PennDot requires United Water to give residents two weeks' notice for the road closure on Valley Street and Maple Avenue. Signs will be posted.
- b) ADA Ramps on Linden Avenue – There will need to be design exception because some sidewalks are only four feet wide and contain obstructions such as hydrants and poles.
- c) Kings Highway – The plans for Kings Highway are ready to be advertised. The 750 feet long section will need to be undercut to meet grades.

**Old Business:**

Zoning Ordinance – Tabled

Developer's Agreement Yingst – Tabled.

A motion was made by Ann Simonetti, seconded by Allen Metzger and approved unanimously to have Pennoni prepare and advertise the bid specifications for the sewer main repair on Kings Highway. The project has a cost of \$45,018.75.

Scott Weaver met with Aron Starnowsky regarding the walking trail from Cassell Street to the Lions Club. Aron will be painting the posts, installing handrails and planting juniper along the bank of the trail. Aron will need to get approval from the Boy Scout of America Council to be approved for an Eagle Scout Project.

A motion was made by Ann Simonetti, seconded by Steve Copp and approved unanimously to purchase a 2013 F-550 in the amount \$56,820.00 from Day Ford Inc. The truck will take two to three months to assemble. The truck will be leased with option to purchase at the end of the term. Council instructed Scott Weaver to contact lease companies to get rates. The lease payments will be budgeted for 2013.

A motion was made by Ann Simonetti, seconded by Steve Copp and approved unanimously to purchase the \$28,000.00 Comminutor and accept \$10,000.00 from Wexcon, Inc. for the problem caused when their laser was washed into the system and was found when the Comminutor was grinding it. The equipment is approximately 15 years old. The borough will pay the \$18,000.00 for the replacement.

A motion was made by Allen Metzger, seconded by Ann Simonetti and approved unanimously to remove the speed hump at the curve on King Highway, fix the sink hole on the south side and place a stop sign at Antler Drive and Kings Highway. The speed hump and sink hole are to be fixed all at one time. The cost is unknown at this time. The project will be 30 feet with two lanes being repaired.

Ann will proceed with contacting state agencies this week for the grant applications.

### **New Business**

A motion was made by Allen Metzger, seconded by Roger Barrick and approved unanimously to adopt the amended sidewalk ordinance number 600.

A motion was made by Ann Simonetti, seconded by Steve Copp and approved unanimously to have the maintenance staff attempt to fix the plastic intake hose. Council authorizes Speck's Service Center to repair the car up to \$600.00 if the hose would break.

A motion was made by Ann Simonetti, seconded by Roger Barrick and approved unanimously to pay Certificate of Payment #6 to Wexcon, Inc.

A motion was made by Roger Barrick, seconded by Steve Copp and approved unanimously to advertise Chapter 15 amendments.

A motion was made by Roger Barrick, seconded by Steve Copp and approved unanimously to repeal Ordinance 583, Chapter 15, Part 2, Section 203 the former stop signs to be placed east and west at Antler Drive and Kings Highway.

A motion was made by Steve Copp, seconded by Roger Barrick, and approved unanimously to purchase the filter press belts up to \$2,000.00.

Council requested the Occupancy/Vacancy Ordinance be placed on the Sewer Committee Agenda for further discussion.

A motion was made by Ann Simonetti, seconded by Allen Metzger, and approved unanimously to advertise the proposed 2013 budget.

Scott Weaver announced that there will be a meeting held at the Bloomfield Borough Council Chambers on Thursday, October 18, 2012 at 7:00pm to discuss the new updates to the borough code. It is recommended that all council members attend this meeting. A representative from PSAB will be present.

Scott Weaver announced that new borough code books can be purchased for \$15.00 if ordered by October 16, 2012. After this date the books will cost \$20.00. Council agreed to have Scott print copies off the website at no cost.

### **Commission Reports**

Brian Webster of the Marysville Fire Company announced that the last chicken BBQ of the year will be on Saturday, October 13, 2012. The fire company will be having an open house on Wednesday, October 10, 2012 from 6:00pm – 9:00pm. There will be demonstrations and fire truck rides along with light refreshments. The fire company will be going to the Susquenita Elementary School on Friday, October 12, 2012 for fire prevention week.

### **Committee Reports**

Sherree Knight announced the following Parks and Recreation activities that are planned:

- The Halloween Parade will on Monday, October 22, 2012 at 6:00pm with a rain date of Monday, October 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm.
- The Quarter Raffle will be held on Sunday, November 4, 2012 at the Marysville Lions Club. Doors will open at 12:00pm and the raffle will begin at 1:00pm.
- Order for pies must be turned in by Monday, November 5, 2012 and delivery will be on Tuesday, November 20, 2012.
- There is a New York City Bus Trip “A Day on Your Own” on Saturday, December 1, 2012. The cost is \$47.00 per person. The bus leaves the Lions Club at 7:00am
- The annual Christmas Tree Lighting will be on Sunday, December 2, 2012 at 6:00pm. The tree lighting will be at the borough office this year because of the construction.
- Breakfast with Santa will be on Saturday, December 8, 2012 from 8:00am – 9:30am at the Marysville Moose.

Sherree Knight announced the Marysville Fire Ladies Auxiliary will be selling Cashews and Peanuts.

The Veteran’s Day Parade will be held on Saturday, November 10, 2012 at 11:00am.

A motion was made Allen Metzger, seconded by Lance Barthel, and unanimously approved to adjourn the meeting at 8:52pm.

Respectfully submitted,  
Kim Charles