

A regular meeting of Bloomsburg Town Council was held Monday, March 28, 2011, beginning at 7:00 p.m. in Council Chambers, Town Hall, 301 East Second Street, Bloomsburg, PA. Present were Vice President Diane Levan, presiding; Council Members Paul Kinney, Sylvia Costa, Kathy Shepperson, W. Carey Howell and William Kreisher; Town Administrator Carol Mas; Code Enforcement/Zoning/Planning Officer Ed Fegley and Superintendent of Public Works John Barton. Absent was Mayor Daniel Knorr.

CITIZEN TO BE HEARD – KONSTANTINOS PATSIPOULOS

Bloomsburg University student Konstantinos Patsiopoulos presented information on the Big Event scheduled for April 9th. 904 students have volunteered to help residents of Bloomsburg. This is a 90% increase over last year. The event will begin in Town Park at 8:00am. Anyone needing assistance should complete and return the card provided.

MAYOR'S UPDATE

Vice President D. Levan recognized the assistance Bethany Pisulak, Alysha Frederick and Robert Furman provided to Cory Palek on March 18th. Mr. Palek was lying unconscious on the sidewalk. They called 911 and waited with him until the medics arrived. D. Levan presented them with gift certificates from downtown businesses who wanted to recognize their actions.

APPROVAL OF MARCH 14, 2011 COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

On a motion by P. Kinney, seconded by K. Shepperson and voted on unanimously, Council approved the March 14, 2011 Council meeting minutes.

APPROVAL OF CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS

On a motion by P. Kinney, seconded by K. Shepperson and voted on unanimously, and on the recommendation of the Historic Architectural Review Board, Council approved a Certificate of Appropriateness for Mark McIntyre to install a sign at 16 East Main Street. The sign will be 20 inches by eight foot with trim around the other border and will be mounted flush with the building.

On a motion by P. Kinney, seconded by S. Costa and voted on unanimously, and on the recommendation of the Historic Architectural Review Board, Council approved a Certificate of Appropriateness for Chris and Shonna Patton to install replacement windows, replace the fence with a 6 foot vinyl privacy fence with an open weave pattern along the top and construct an 18 foot by 12 foot screened porch at the rear of 55 East Fifth Street.

On a motion by P. Kinney, seconded by C. Howell and voted on unanimously, and on the recommendation of the Historic Architectural Review Board, Council approved a Certificate of Appropriateness for Michael Hatem to install replacement windows at 364 East Second Street.

DENIAL OF CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS

On a motion by P. Kinney, seconded by K. Shepperson and voted on unanimously, and on the recommendation of the Historic Architectural Review Board, Council approved denying a certificate of appropriateness for Aaron Snyder to construct a garage at 133 East Fifth Street due to no representative being present to provide information regarding the application.

APPROVAL OF STREET VENDOR PERMIT APPLICATIONS

On a motion by C. Howell, seconded by K. Shepperson and voted on unanimously, Council approved street vendor permits for Em's Pink Weiners in space #1 and Napoli Pizza in space #7 effective April 1, 2011.

APPROVAL OF AWARDING 2011 STREET RESURFACING PROJECT

On a motion by C. Howell, seconded by P. Kinney and voted on unanimously, Council approved awarding the 2011 Street Resurfacing Project to Sokol, Inc. in the amount of \$104,760.60.

APPROVAL OF ADDITION TO 2011 VENDOR LIST

On a motion by C. Howell, seconded by S. Costa and voted on unanimously, Council approved the addition of Service Electric Telephone and Tracy Lanzafame to the 2011 vendor list.

With no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:17pm.

CAROL L. MAS
Town Administrator & Secretary