

**PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE**  
**APRIL 10, 2018**  
**3:00 P.M.**

The following persons were present for the meeting: Chairperson Jim Bair, Committee members Dave Quarry and Robert Jackson; Councilmembers Terry Green, and Sean Steeg; Code Enforcement officer Jim Morris; Chief Jeffrey Buckley, Borough Manager William W. Wheeler, and Borough Secretary Melody J. Parsons.

Visitors: Neal Utterback, Jesse Leonard, Gary Cramer, and Jennifer Clark

Chairperson Bair called the meeting to order.

**RECOGNITION OF GUESTS AND PUBLIC COMMENT:**

Neal Utterback, Professor at Juniata College, ask Council about having a 5K run to benefit Juniata Cycling Club. He pointed out the course. The Committee saw no problem with this.

Angie Thompson and Alison Hess were present to discuss with the Committee that the Wine down weekend committee is planning a 5K run on September 1<sup>st</sup>. Chairperson Bair suggested that Angie get together with Chief Buckley.

**CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER'S REPORT:** CEO Morris reviewed his report with the Committee. He asked if there were any questions. CEO Morris stated there were 138 reportable incidents with 123 being resolved.

CEO Morris reported that we have a lot of dumpster not up to code. Chairperson Bair instructed CEO Morris to draft a letter to the Haulers. In the letter state that they will not be able to put any dumpsters in town if they don't follow the ordinance.

Chairperson Bair asked where we stand with the Code Enforcement Tickets. CEO Morris is still waiting to find out what code the yard sale ordinance fall under. Chairperson Bair stated he just doesn't it to get forgotten.

**CHIEF'S REPORT:** Chief Buckley asked if there were any questions on his report. He reviewed his report with the Committee.

Chief Buckley reported that on May 2<sup>nd</sup> at 11:30 am Parking Management Systems will be demonstrating their parking meter software. He reported that they will be starting to collect money for the K-9 unit. He has been working with Central Pa Community Foundation. All donation will go to our account at this Organization. Council agreed. If we can raise \$30,000.00 we will have enough to match a farmer's home grant. Officer Andy Young will be the dog handler.

Chief Buckley stated that Officer Malliband has completed his 6-month probation. The Council will need to send a letter to the civil service commission asking them to remove him from the list.

Johnathan Hyde arrived at 3:52 pm.

**MAYOR'S REPORT:** Mayor Wessels was not present.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

**INTERSECTION WARM SPRING ROAD & ONEIDA STREET:** Manager Wheeler reported this will be scheduled as weather permit.

**9<sup>th</sup> & MOORE ST. CROSSWALK ISSUES BUS DROP OFF POINTS. BILL TO TALK TO DEB LOWE FROM SCHOOL DISTRICT:** Councilperson Jackson asked if the bus stop can be moved. Manager Wheeler is going to speak with Deb Lowe.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

**SIDEWALK ORDINANCE TO REVIEW AND UPDATE:** There was not an update.

**STREET LIGHTING---JUNIATA COLLEGE-VARIOUS LOCATIONS:**

Pennlec looked at the lighting situation up near the college. To get lighting in the middle of the block power would have to be run and that would be at the borough's expense. Manager Wheeler stated that they are living in our community and it's our responsibility to protect them. He will get in touch with the College and ask for their help.

**STREET LIGHTING ISSUES THROUGHOUT TOWN-UPDATE ON GETTING THEM FIXED:** They have been reported.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**SIGNAGE AT MOORE STREET AND COLD SPRINGS ROAD:** At one time there was a sign at Cold Springs and Moore Street it was taken down but never replaced. Councilperson Bair asked if the sign could be put back up.

Chris Stevens reported that he and Manager Wheeler finished the 911 Dispatcher interviews.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

BY: Melody Parsons  
Borough Secretary