CONYNGHAM BOROUGH COUNCIL CONTINUED SESSION Tuesday, May 26, 2015

Conyngham Borough Council met in Continued Session on Tuesday, May 26, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. in Council Chambers, Municipal building, 215 Main Street, Conyngham, Pennsylvania. The meeting was called back to order by Council President Gary Gregory and roll call was taken.

Roll Call:

Present: Fuccile, Gregory, Hawk, Jones, McKee, Schneider.

Absent: Gallagher.

Others Present: Mayor, Solicitor, Secretary.

Absent: Treasurer, Junior Councilmen Oswald & Marushin.

Citizens: Linda Grencavich, Maureen Susa, Tim Ference.

Public Comment: None.

Junior Councilmen: Absent.

Mayor: Nothing at this time.

Treasurer: Absent.

Solicitor: Nothing at this time.

New Business:

Motion

 $\label{thm:condition} \mbox{Motion to Approve Valley Day Use of Grounds - Schneider}. \mbox{ Second - Fuccile. No Roll Call.} \\ \mbox{Unanimous.}$

At 7:04 pm Council went into Executive Session to discuss Personnel. Council returned at 7:28 pm.

Old Business:

Motion

Motion to Increase the Salary of Part Time Police Officer Rhonda Shelak from 15.65 to 16.00/Hr-Fuccile. Second – Schneider.

Questions on the Motion: Councilwoman Hawk questioned whether the Police can operate within their budget - Yes.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Fuccile Gregory Jones Schneider	- - -	Affirmative Affirmative Affirmative	Gallagher Hawk McKee	 - -	Absent Affirmative Affirmative
Schneider	-	Affirmative			

Motion

Motion to Hire Richard Murphy as Part Time Police Officer at a Rate of Pay of \$16.00/Hr not to Exceed 32 Hours/Week with a 90 Day Probationary Period – Fuccile. Second – Jones.

Questions on the Motion: None.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Fuccile	-	Affirmative	Gallagher	-	Absent
Gregory	-	Affirmative	Hawk	-	Affirmative
Jones	-	Affirmative	McKee	-	Affirmative
Schneider	-	Affirmative			AMIII MIAUYC

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Motion

Motion to Hire Park Program Aides as Recommended by Interview Committee Pending Clearances – Jones. Second – Fuccile. President Gregory read the list of 16 Staff along with 6 Subs as follows:

Staff

Nicole Ambruch **Emily Betterly** Mark DeBellis Alex Drusda Laura Flaim Brian Galbiati Nolan Genasevich Alexis LaRegina Dante LaRegina Angela LaRose Adam Michalesko Jarod Paisley Regan Plaza McKenna Turnbach Camryn Wilson Graham Wolk

Subs

Indkaran Bains Katie Johnson Zakary Johnson Lauren Merrick Isabella Plaza Abby Sachse

Questions on the Motion: None.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Fuccile	-	Affirmative	Gallagher		Absent
Gregory	-	Affirmative	Hawk	_	Affirmative
Jones	-	Affirmative	McKee	_	Affirmative
Schneider	-	Affirmative			

Motion

Motion to Hire Stanley M. Good as a Seasonal Park Maintenance Employee at a Rate of \$9.00/ Hr 20 Hrs/Week Pending Proper Clearances – Schneider. Second – Jones.

<u>Questions on the Motion:</u> Councilwoman Hawk questioned who will pay for clearances. Employee will pay for clearances and if approved the Borough will reimburse at the end of thirty days. A Park Schedule will be provided to employee in order to accommodate scheduled events at Whispering Willows.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Fuccile	-	Affirmative	Gallagher		Absent
Gregory	-	Affirmative	Hawk	_	Affirmative
Jones	-	Affirmative	McKee	_	Affirmative
Schneider	_	Affirmative			

<u>Catch All:</u> Vice President Schneider and Councilman McKee attended a crack sealer demonstration at Schuylkill Valley Sewage Authority. The demonstration was impressive and very effective way to maintain newer streets. Equipment cost is \$3,000.00 with additional cost for material. The company is willing to hold a demonstration for our local COG or a smaller group of municipalities. President



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Gregory requested Vice President Schneider facilitate demonstration prior to Council's June 11th Work Session.

Councilman McKee also attended a demonstration by Pocono Spraypatching, Inc. in Freeland.

Councilwoman Hawk attended a course on Dirt, Gravel & Low Volume Road Maintenance. President Gregory requested a meeting set up to discuss feasibility of project.

Vice President Schneider and Councilman McKee commented on the Memorial Day festivities held in the Borough.

Public Comment: Maureen Susa questioned the status of the Hometown Hero Banners. Councilman Jones explained the original intent was to have them up for Memorial Day however they need to coordinate with utility companies in order to mount banners. A consultant is meeting with Councilman Jones at the Borough tomorrow to organize pole list. Ms. Susa questioned if the timeframe is too far out can she get a refund? President Gregory advised – Yes.

Council will hold a brief Executive Session after the meeting regarding Personnel.

Motion to Adjourn at 8:05 pm - Fuccile. Second - Schneider. No Roll Call. Unanimous.

ATTEST:

Secretary

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