

**Marietta Borough Council
Minutes of Meeting held April 9, 2013
113 East Market Street, Marietta, PA**

President Fletcher with Council members deVitry, Rice, Roberts, Stellfox and Yohe and Mayor Overlander present called the regularly scheduled monthly meeting of the Marietta Borough Council to order at 7:00 PM. Absent from the meeting was Council member Nagel. The meeting opened with a moment of silence followed by the pledge of allegiance.

On a motion by Council member deVitry with a second by Council member Yohe, the minutes of the March 12, 2013 Council meeting were approved as presented.

President Fletcher opened the public comment session of Borough Council.

PUBLIC SESSION

Carl Jones, 619 West Market Street, expressed his concerns regarding a blue unmarked police car driving erratically on Route 441 this afternoon at 1:11 PM. This officer was in the left hand side and did not use any turn signals and as they were flying down Chickies they were tailgating. Mayor Overlander replied he wasn't there and suggested Mr. Jones should have gone to the Police Station and spoke with the Chief or Lieutenant Englert. Council member Roberts questioned who was the driver? Mr. Jones stated he did not know, it was a Marietta blue car and went right up to the police station. Council member Roberts stated there are a lot of unmarked blue cars from different police departments.

Jim Sargen, 644 East Market Street, stated on behalf of the Pioneer Fire Company they now have confirmation that the fireworks will be shot off from the southwest corner of Donegal Intermediate School on their soccer field.

President Fletcher announced the public comment session of Borough Council is closed.

ADMINISTRATIVE/PERSONNEL/FINANCE – President Miriam Fletcher

On a motion by Council member Rice with a second from Council member deVitry, the General Fund Breakdown dated 04/09/13 was unanimously approved as presented.

STREETS & HIGHWAYS – Council member Jack Rice

Council member Roberts made a motion to accept amending Ordinance 86, Article III, Section 86-9 One-way Streets, second by Council member deVitry. President Fletcher requested a roll call vote.

Council member Roberts – aye
Council member Rice – nay
Council member Yohe – nay

Council member Stellfox – nay
Council member deVitry – aye
President Fletcher – aye

Mayor Overlander broke the tie vote with a nay vote. President Fletcher stated the motion failed.

On a motion by Council member Rice with a second from Council member Yohe, Council approved the re-advertising to amend Chapter 86, Article II of Section 86-90 One Way Streets to include Fairview Avenue from Bridge Street to Waterford Avenue eastbound, with nay votes from Council members Roberts and deVitry.

On a motion by Council member Rice with a second from Council member Stellfox, Council unanimously accepted the 2013/2014 Memorandum of Understanding between the Lancaster County Conservation District and the Marietta Borough as presented.

Council member Rice stated a Notice to Proceed, dated April 1, 2013 was issued to Pennsy Supply for Fairview Avenue. Reconstruction should start in early May and they have ninety days from the Notice to Proceed to complete the project. UGI should be completed with their work by the end of this week.

BUILDINGS & SPECIAL PROJECTS – Council member David deVitry

Nothing to report at this time.

PARKS & RECREATION – Council member Corinna Yohe

Nothing to report at this time.

PLANNING/ZONING/HOUSING – Council member Phyllis Stellfox

Nothing to report at this time

PUBLIC HEALTH & SAFETY – Council member Gene Nagel

The Pioneer Fire Company responded to sixteen (16) calls during the month of March and eleven (11) calls for the Quick Response Service.

SEWER & TRASH – Council member Bill Roberts

On a motion by Council member Rice with a second by Council member Yohe, the March Sewer Department Monthly Breakdown was unanimously approved as presented.

On a motion by Council member Rice with a second by Council member Yohe, the March Recycling Report was unanimously approved as presented.

MAYOR’S REPORT - Mayor Oliver Overlander

Mayor Overlander stated the Fire Police served one hundred and two (102) man hours from 03/12/13 to 04/08/13. The Fire Police are prepared for Marietta Day, May 18th from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM.

Mayor Overlander announced he and Council member Nagel will be attending a meeting tomorrow night with the manpower of the Susquehanna Police to discuss ongoing contract negotiations. Mayor Overlander wanted to make note that the Susquehanna Regional Police have been utilizing the new sub-station. Mayor Overlander also noted he will continue to monitor the downtown area.

Mayor Overlander congratulated the Donegal High School Boys Basketball for their winning season.

There being no further business to come before Council, the meeting adjourned at 7:21 PM on a motion by Council member Roberts with a second by Council member deVitry.

BOROUGH SEAL

Respectfully submitted,

Jody L. Shaffner
Secretary/Treasurer