

## NANTY GLO BOROUGH COUNCIL

### MEETING APRIL 1, 2024

- Meeting opened at 6:00 PM by Council President Michaela Markovich at the Nanty Glo Borough Municipal Building
- Pledge of Allegiance given, moment of silence observed
- Council members present: Michaela, Markovich, William Dunchuck, Dave Dipaolo, Diane Holby, Chris Lytle, Lynne Stock. Mayor William Ray was also present
- Others present: Julie Pittman, Randy Griffith, Jack Flick, Dave Dilling, Richard Wargo, Melissa Weekes
- MOTION: Dunchuck, 2<sup>nd</sup> Stock to approve the March 4, 2024 meeting minutes as submitted. All ayes motion carried
- MOTION: Dipaolo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Holby to accept the March 27, 2024 workshop notes as presented: All ayes motion carried
- Public Comment:
- Jack Flick asked council to have trees cut down on borough property near his house on Flick Street. There are eight to ten trees there that are blighted and dropping branches. Council will have the borough manager check and contact a tree service.
- Dave Dilling spoke on behalf of the Methodist Church and their request to subdivide a property they own. He presented official survey maps to council. The maps will be sent to the borough solicitor for her opinion.
- Mayor Ray has not met with the fire chief yet but mentioned he would like the updated burn ordinance to prohibit burning between buildings and to be able to ban burning based on weather conditions.
- Dunchuck read the water and sewer authority responses to the borough's request for information on planned projects that could affect the borough's paving project. He noted that they should have road bonds for their projects.
- Scanning and uploading the ordinances should be finished soon
- The engineer is working on getting permits for phase 1 of the levee flood mitigation project. There is no advertisement for bids ready yet
- MOTION: Holby, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lytle to approve the treasurer's report. All ayes motion carried
- MOTION: Dunchuck, 2<sup>nd</sup> Holby to pay bills totaling \$31,586.32 including the Team Force bill that was presented tonight. All ayes motion carried
- Holby spoke on behalf of the Downtown Events Committee. They would like to hold the kids' fishing derby at the Park & Pool Reservoir this year. They are meeting next week to go over the details. Dunchuck noted that the road crew has put material in the parking lot and removed a damaged tree and old fencing as well as the unused duck house at the reservoir. Retaining blocks are being delivered to replace the fencing on Wednesday. Signage is needed detailing rules and regulations.
- MOTION: Holby, 2<sup>nd</sup> Stock to approve purchasing corrugated plastic signs for the reservoir for \$1,025.00. All ayes motion carried

- The PennDOT representative will be meeting with the Borough to go over the roads that the borough wants to pave this year on April 9<sup>th</sup>. Funds for paving will come from the \$8,000.00 county aid grant, the liquid fuels fund and the ARPA fund.
- No Solicitor's report
- No engineer's report
- Mayor Ray gave his report:
- The tablets are now installed in the cruisers and are operable. Additional equipment will be needed to allow the police department to do electronic citations.
- Fines and fees totaled \$314.21
- Vandalism is happening again. The curfew ordinance is in place and being enforced.
- The eradication of the goose nests has forced them away from the ballfield.
- Mayor Ray commented that the borough, water and sewer workers and Laughard did an awesome job with the combined effort on Middle Street.
- Wargo gave the Manager's Report
- Two property maintenance letters were sent out. One is already cleaned up, the other can receive a citation from the police
- He also mentioned deciding which streets to pave once the PennDOT representative has gone over the roads.
- Dipaolo gave an update on trucks from Stuckey and Tri Star. The grant money for the truck has not come in yet so the truck was tabled
- Correspondence was read
- A letter from the Cambria County Planning Commission was read. Dunchuck offered to contact them
- A letter of interest was received from Joe Berdomas to be put on the Nanty Glo Borough Municipal Authority board.
- MOTION: Dunchuck, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lytle to appoint Joe Berdomas to the Nanty Glo Borough Municipal Authority. All ayes motion carried
- MOTION: Dunchuck, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lytle to go into executive session for personnel reasons at 6:53 PM. All ayes motion carried
- MOTION: Lytle, 2<sup>nd</sup> Dipaolo to exit executive session at 7:40 PM. All ayes motion carried
- MOTION: Holby, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lytle to adjourn.