

**Borough of New Morgan
Berks County, Pennsylvania**

Borough Council
Regular Meeting Minutes

October 12th, 2021

The regular meeting of the New Morgan Borough Council was advertised for Tuesday, October 12th, 2021, following the Utilities Authority meeting at 7:00 pm in the offices of the Borough of New Morgan, 200 Bethlehem Drive, Suite 104, Morgantown, PA.

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order by President Tressie Marroon-Bailey at 7:03 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance: The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Doreen Smith, Member.

Attending Officials:

Tressie M. Marroon-Bailey, President
Christopher C. Weber, Vice-President
Doreen Smith, Member

Borough Staff:

Margie Bishop, Borough Manager/Secretary/Treasurer

Not Present:

Connie Brown-Weber, Mayor

Guests: William Bailey and Ashlyn Whittingham, residents; Tom Barbine, CPA for New Morgan Borough.

Public Comment: None

Minutes: Minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed. Christopher C. Weber motioned to approve the minutes from the previous meeting. Doreen Smith seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous. The motion carried.

Correspondence: Shared the monthly MABA (Morgantown Area Business Association) newsletter which gave an update on the Casino being built in Morgantown. Also informed council of new Police Chief at Twin Valley Fire Department.

The following reports were submitted to Borough Council:

Codes Enforcement Officer: None

Sewage Treatment Plant: None

Engineer/SEO: None

Solicitor: None

Treasurer: Treasurer reports were presented to council and reviewed

Borough Manager: Informed Council SBLC will be paying all invoices on STP project, and they will invoice our portion. We will validate each invoice and oversee payment. Also presented final version of 2020 Audits done by RKL stating copies are available in the office. Confirmed financial information was advertised as required by law and final information was submitted to DCED by RKL. Lastly, reminded them of Election Day on November 2nd and that the position open are for the mayor, (2) 4-year term board seats and (1) 2-year board seat. Research showed that Connie Brown-Weber was a write-in vote in the Primary as well as Christopher Weber being a write-in vote for the 2-year seat available and should be on the November ballot.

Fire Department: The Twin Valley Fire Department sent the monthly report, and it was presented to Council.

EMS: Joe Carmen – None

Mayor: None – Not present

Doreen Smith motioned to approve the reports as given. Christopher C. Weber seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous. The motion carried.

Business: NONE

The next Regular Meeting will be held on **Monday, November 9th, 2021**, immediately following the Utilities Authority meeting at 7:00 p.m.

Adjourn: Christopher C. Weber motioned to adjourn the meeting and Doreen Smith seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 7:10 pm.

Respectively Submitted,

Margie Bishop, Borough Manager/Secretary/Treasurer