# REGULAR MEETING MAYOR AND COUNCIL OCTOBER 5, 2015

# **Opening Items**

Mayor Chegwidden called the Meeting to Order.

Mayor Chegwidden read the Open Public Meeting Statement.

#### Roll Call

Mayor Chegwidden requested Roll Call:

Council President Wickenheisser – Present
Councilman Binkoski – Present
Councilman Corbett – Absent, Excused
Councilwoman Hayes- Present
Councilman Norton- Present
Councilman Yeager- Present

Also in attendance were Administrator/CFO Jon Rheinhardt, Borough Clerk Gabrielle Evangelista, and Attorney George Johnson.

### Flag Salute

Mayor Chegwidden led those in attendance with the salute to the American Flag.

#### Open to the Public

In accordance with Local Ordinance O-18-03, "Persons making public comment at the first public portion shall be limited to five (5) minutes. During the second public portion, the Mayor or Council President shall have the discretion to terminate any repetitive, irrelevant or excessive public comment in the interest of permitting all members of the public time to speak on any governmental issue and completing the public business within a reasonable period of time".

Mayor Chegwidden opened the meeting to the public.

No one wishing to be heard, Mayor Chegwidden closed the meeting to the public.

# Discussion

Updates to the purchasing ordinance: Mr. Rheinhardt advised that some updates to our purchasing ordinance are necessary to bring everything up to date. Everyone agreed to have the Ordinance on the next Agenda.

# Consent Agenda

The following items are considered to be routine and non-controversial by the Mayor and Council and will be approved by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a council member or citizen so requests, in which case, the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered in a normal sequence on the agenda.

Approval of Bills: All bills referred to the finance committee to be paid if found correct.

Approval of Minutes from 9/28/15

**Resolution:** R-134-15: Approve Tax Sale Redemption TSC 2013-016

R-135-15: Approve Tax Sale Redemption TSC 2013-006

R-136-15: Approve Tax Sale Redemption TSC 2014-026

R-137-15: Approve Tax Sale Redemption TSC 2013-015

R-138-15: Public Auction

R-139-15: Approve Tax Sale Redemption TSC 2014-005

R-140-15: Adjust Sewer Account

Council President Wickenheisser made a motion to approve the items on the Consent Agenda which was seconded by Councilman Yeager.

ROLL CALL VOTE: YEA-5 NAY-0 ABSENT-0 ABSTAIN-0

**MOTION CARRIED** 

### **Correspondence**

1. Monthly Report from Clerk and Construction

# **Council Reports**

<u>Council President Wickenheisser:</u> Congratulations to the Fire Department on another successful parade.

<u>Councilman Binkoski:</u> He attended a preparedness meeting in case we did get hit with the potential hurricane. It was nice to see we were ready and had all of our ducks in a row.

**Councilman Corbett: Absent** 

<u>Councilwoman Hayes:</u> She has a Kids First Foundation meeting coming up where they will decide whether or not to cancel the scheduled trivia night.

**Councilman Norton:** No Report.

<u>Councilman Yeager:</u> He met with the Tenancy Review Board on Friday. There is a wrestling clinic that wants to go into the complex on Dewey Avenue. He wishes them good luck.

Mayor Chegwidden's Report: No Report.

# Open to the Public

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# <u>Adjournment</u>

No further business to attend to this evening, Councilman Binkoski made a motion to adjourn this meeting. This was seconded by Councilwoman Hayes. This motion was approved by a voice vote.

October 5, 2015	BOROUGH OF WHARTON
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	WILLIAM J. CHEGWIDDEN,
	MAYOR
Gabrielle Evangelista,	
Borough Clerk	