

January 6, 2020
APOLLO BOROUGH
RE-ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Following the Pledge of Allegiance, Apollo Borough council meeting was called to order by Mayor Cynthia Virostek at 7:00 p.m. at the Owens Grove Soldiers & Sailors Hall. Jennifer Mullins was sworn in as a new council member by Mayor Virostek. Mark Tarle and Nancy Walker were sworn in by Notary Linda Steele.

Role Call: Council members John Steele, Mark Tarle, Ashley Stiffy, Nancy Walker, Jennifer Mullins and Chad Gradwell were present. The Mayor and Secretary/Treasurer were present.

Mayor Virostek opened nominations for Council President. Ashley Stiffy nominated John Steele for President, seconded by Mark Tarle. There were no other nominations for President. Council members voted unanimously and elected John Steele for Council President.

At that time, nominations for Vice President opened. Nancy Walker nominated Ashley Stiffy for Vice President seconded by Mark Tarle. There were no other nominations for Vice President. Council members voted unanimously and elected Ashley Stiffy as Vice President of council.

Council had a short discussion about committee appointments, followed by John Steele announcing the following:

Finance Committee: John Steele, Chair – Ashley Stiffy, and Nancy Walker

Public Safety/Service Committee: Ashley Stiffy, Chair - Nancy Walker – Chad Gradwell

Property Committee & Planning Committee: Mark Tarle, Chair – Jennifer Mullins – John Steele

Public Works & Streets Committee: Nancy Walker, Chair – Mark Tarle – Chad Gradwell

Personnel/HR Committee: John Steele, Chair – Jennifer Mullins – Ashley Stiffy

Public Relations/Citizens Advisory Committee: Jennifer Mullins, Chair – Ashley Stiffy – Nancy Walker

All other appointments to be decided at the January 23rd council meeting.

Mayor Virostek to attend the January 8th UCC Meeting as Apollo Boroughs UCC Group Representative.


First Commonwealth Bank approved loan in the amount of \$70,000 to purchase the new borough building at 809 N. Warren Avenue. Documentation being submitted for approval to DCED for the new building.

Public Comments:

- James Clawson asked permission from council to close the road for the Leonard Miller Memorial Service.

A motion was made by Chad Gradwell and seconded by Mark Tarle to close the road for the Leonard Memorial Service to be held on January 19th at the Apollo First Lutheran Church on Pennsylvania Avenue. Motion passed unanimously.

At 8:01 a motion was made by Ashley Stiffy and seconded by Nancy Walker to adjourn the meeting. Motion passed unanimously.



John Steele
Council President



Deanna Shupe
Secretary/Treasurer