

ENGINEERS REPORT: Joseph Dursa gave the engineer's report at the caucus meeting.

MAYORS REPORT: No Report

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SOLICITORS REPORT: Solicitor Falco Muscante reported, under personnel matters police negotiations were discussed and we will be responding to the Union.

CHAIRMAN OF POLICE/CODE ENFORCEMENT: Mr. Hresko absent

STREET AND LIGHT COMMITTEE: Mr. Lombardo reported with in the next few weeks Elgrande will be completing the 2023 paving project. Public Works has been keeping up with pot holes.

MOTION: Mr. Lombardo moved, seconded by Mrs. Thomas, "To accept the quote from A&H Equipment to upfit the new public works truck, Ford F 600 in the amount of \$51,474.00 under the Costars contract# 025-E22-458.

RC-2 Yeas: Unanimous - Motion Carried

MOTION: Mr. Lombardo moved, seconded by Mr. Hale, "To adopt resolution #2024-012, officially amending resolution #2023-032. To correct the Local Service Act, (LSA) public works equipment grant to \$129,661.00.

RC-3 Yeas: Unanimous – Motion Carried

CHAIRMAN OF PROPERTY/DEMOLITION COMMITTEE: Mr. Junecko reported on the demolition list status and updating the properties. He gave special thanks to Suha for serving as Junior Council this term. He also said we received some applications for the seasonal workers and that Bob and Greg will review those.

MOTION: Mr. Junecko moved, seconded by Mr. Lombardo, "To authorize Glenn Engineering to file for the American Rescue Plan Act, (ARPA) Grant on behalf of the Borough of Port Vue for a facility for the public works and fire department in the amount of \$1,171,175.00.

RC-4 Yeas: Unanimous - Motion Carried

MOTION: Mr. Junecko moved, seconded by Mr. Hale, "To appoint Andrew Kuzma as Zoning Solicitor for the borough of Port Vue's Zoning Hearing Board."

RC-5 Yeas: Unanimous - Motion Carried

MOTION: Mr. Junecko moved, seconded by Mrs. Thomas, "To hire Diane Jackson as full time office clerk retroactive to April 1, 2024."

RC-6 Yeas: Unanimous - Motion Carried

MOTION: Mr. Junecko moved, seconded by Mr. Betters, “To adopt the credit card use policy with the acknowledgment and agreement.”

RC-7 Yeas: Unanimous - Motion Carried

CHAIRMAN OF FINANCE/BUDGET COMMITTEE: Mrs. Thomas gave monthly report during the Workshop session. She had the following motions:

MOTION: Mrs. Thomas moved, seconded by Mr., “To adopt Resolution No. 2024-011, authorizing the payment of bills and wages incurred during the month of April, 2024.”

RC-8 Yeas: Mr. Junecko, Mr. Lombardo, Mr. Tortorice, Mrs. Thomas

Abstained: Mr. Hale, Mr. Betters- Motion Carried

MOTION: Mrs. Thomas moved, seconded by Mr. Junecko, “To ratify grant application to the Community Benefit Trust for consideration of 30 SCBA, (self-contained breathing apparatus) cylinders in the amount of \$25,049.25 as requested by Vigilant Hose Company #1.”

RC-9 Yeas: Unanimous - Motion Carried

CHAIRMAN OF RECREATION COMMITTEE: Mr. Betters thanked the public works department for working the weekend at PVAA spring clean up and bin days. He said we filled 7 roll off boxes. He also thanked Suha for his great job as Junior Council. He announced the PV Citizen’s Committee Spring yard sales on May 11, 2024 from 8:00 – 4:00. He said they are also sponsoring a, Touch a Truck event on May 18, 2024 from 10:00-1:00 in the parking lot of the recreation area. The PVAA opening day was a great success and there were a lot of people in attendance.

Public Works is in the process of hanging the veteran banners, mulching and cleaning up the Borough properties for Memorial Day.

He announced the Fun To Be A Kid Day donation letters have gone out and the event is scheduled for the last Sunday in July.

MOTION: Mr. Betters moved, seconded by Mr. Junecko, “To authorize payment to Ambest for repairs to the 1995 Freightliner for replacement of the serpentine belt and labor in the amount of \$543.57 from the fire fund.”

RC-10 Yeas: Mr. Junecko, Mr. Betters, Mr. Tortorice, Mr. Lombardo, Mrs. Thomas
Abstain: Mr. Hale
Motion carried

MOTION: Mr. Betters moved, seconded by Mr. Junecko, “To authorize the purchase of for the sweeper for the Kubota under the Sourcewell contract.

RC-11 Yeas: Unanimous - Motion carried

MOTION: Mr. Betters moved, seconded by Mrs. Thomas, “To adopt resolution #2024-013, officially amending resolution #2023-029, to correct the Local Service Act, (LSA) for the fire rescue boat to \$152,543.00

RC-12 Yeas: Mr. Betters, Mr. Junecko, Mr. Tortorice, Mr. Lombardo, Mrs. Thomas
 Abstain: Mr. Hale
 Motion carried

CHAIRMAN OF PUBLIC SAFETY, FIRE AND AMBULANCE: Mr. Hale gave the fire report for April. He gave the garbage collection report for March Delinquent garbage collections: \$12,32.40 and current collections \$82,226.50. April collections not available as of meeting time.

He also reported on the dive team searches for the month.

MOTION: Mr. Hale moved, seconded by Mr. Hresko “To ratify all departmental and inter-governmental transfers during the month of April, 2024”

RC-13 Yeas: Unanimous - Motion Carried

MOTION: Mr. Hale moved, seconded by Mr. Hresko, “To accept the monthly reports for April, 2024 as presented.”

RC-14 Yeas: Unanimous - Motion Carried

MOTION: Mr. Hale moved, seconded by Mr. Junecko, “To adopt Resolution #2024-014, to recognize National Police week 2024, May 12th-18th, and to honor the service and sacrifice of those of law enforcement officers killed in the line of duty while protecting our communities and safeguarding our democracy.”

RC-15 Yeas: Unanimous - Motion Carried

Mr. Tortorice thanked everyone tonight and also congratulated Suha and wished him much luck and success in the future.

He also asked for residents to be conscience of code enforcement with property maintenance of high grass.

Discussion over the smell of gas through out the Mon Valley area and including Port Vue.

MOTION: Mr. Hale moved, seconded by Mr. Betters, “To Adjourn”

Respectfully submitted by:


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Approved by:


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