

**BOROUGH OF GLENOLDEN
GLENOLDEN, PENNSYLVANIA**

COUNCIL MEETING

MARCH 17, 2009

MR. DANZI
MR. PFAFF
MS. NELSON
MR. PUPPIO
MR. HOOVER

MR. MCGARVEY
MR. MCGETTIGAN
MR. QUINN
MR. BOOTHBY
MAYOR BATHURST

PRESIDENT DANZI – Please rise for the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

President Danzi – Before we get into our regular order of business, we'll turn the meeting over to the Mayor who has a couple of presentations tonight.

Mayor Bathurst – Chief Donohue, come up front please. Marlene, would you come up. In continuing relationships with the different organizations in the community the Murray Stuart Post has been very generous in providing Glenolden Police Department with the funds to purchase new vests. These vests are part of compliance with some of the new federal regulations that when our men are on the street they have to have the provisions for safety with the new illuminations of the vest, we are able to comply with those different requirements. So, thank you very much Marlene, it is appreciated. (Applause).

MOTION by Mr.Quinn seconded by Mr. Pfaff to approve minutes of the previous meeting.

MOTION CARRIED

MOTION by Mr. Quinn seconded by Mr. Pfaff to approve the Treasurer's Report. **MOTION CARRIED**

BIDS & CORRESPONDENCE – I have one piece of correspondence from the Delaware County Council. Dear Brian and Tom; Thanks so much for taking the time out of your busy schedule on Tuesday to take me on a tour of some of the great work that you have done in Glenolden Borough. You have managed to maintain and enhance the character of your Borough with some significant projects that really serve to benefit your residents. In particular your expansion, development and maintenance of parks and your sewer reconstruction projects will be an asset to Glenolden for generations to come. I am looking forward to the completion of the pedestrian walkway and I thank you for the artist's rendering which I will share with County Council. Thank you, again, for the tour. I know you will continue to passionately preserve and enhance your town and I hope that you will not hesitate to contact me, if I can be of any assistance. Very truly yours, Christine Fizzano Cannon.

PRESIDENT DANZI – We have no new business tonight, no sense going out of the regular order of business to hear from the public on agenda items because there are none.

President Danzi – We have one more presentation that we were trying to take care of but unfortunately it was taken care of by a train, so I'll turn it back over to the Mayor.

Mayor Bathurst – Chief, will you come up here. Chief Donohue has been with the Glenolden Police Department for twenty plus years, twenty and a half. If my memory serves me correctly, you began in the full time in the radio room and part time Sharon Hill and then you became full time here in July, 1988. He went through the ranks from Patrolman, to Sergeant to Chief. So, on behalf of Council and myself we would like to present you with a plaque acknowledging your twenty years of service to the Borough of Glenolden. Thank you. (Applause)

COMMITTEE REPORTS

FINANCE & LAW – Mr. McGettigan No new report

PUBLIC & SAFETY – Mr. Quinn

	CASH	CHECKS	TOTAL
Parking Tickets	1255.00	1200.00	2455.00
Accidents	16.25	140.25	156.50
Dog/Weeds/Snow	0.00	0.00	0.00
Magistrate Tozer	0.00	*4836.48	*4836.48
D.U.I.	0.00	104.81	104.81
Totals	\$1271.25	\$6281.54	\$7552.79

*January fines

33	Crimes Code Arrests
143	Vehicle Code Arrests/Citations Issued
313	Parking Tickets Issued
0	Borough Ordinance Citations
583	Incidents

Glenolden Fire Company Report for February, 2009

Maintenance report for the month:

All trucks were kept clean throughout the month.

Weekly inspections and routine maintenance performed on each truck.

Weekly equipment checks performed on each truck.

HIGHWAY & LIGHTS – Mr. Boothby

SIGNS

Installed new signs at: South Ave corner of Lynwood Circle, Oak Ave sign at corner of Oak & Chester Pike. Straightened signs throughout borough & removed old signs and installed new ones as needed.

OTHER JOBS PERFORMED

Cleaned streets and picked up trash throughout borough
 Cut up and removed fallen tree from street on Sharpe Ave.
 Delivered recycle cans to residents as requested
 Filled potholes throughout borough as needed
 Cleaned Elmwood Ave. & Glenolden Ave. Bridges
 Removed graffiti from about 50 signs throughout borough
 Cleaned storm inlets throughout borough as needed
 Plowed and salted streets as needed

EQUIPMENT

Checked and maintained fluids in all equipment
Put plows on and off trucks as needed
Cleaned and greased plows for storage
Repaired right back tire on dump truck
Changed oil and filters on backhoe & replaced belts on cutting edge of bucket

HEALTH AND SEWER – Mr. McGarvey

Sewers were checked and maintenance performed throughout February

OTHER JOBS PERFORMED

Checked sewer at 114 E. Oak and found no problem
Ramjet used at the 600 block of Sharp to clear blockage
Cleaned storm inlets of snow and other debris as needed
Dug out storm inlet at corner of Serrill & S. Sharp Ave and one at Elmwood Ave. Bridge
Ramjet used on storm inlet at Sharp & Serrill

EQUIPMENT

Cleaned ramjet after use

Health & Sewer Report for the month of February 2009

Street Openings	3	Total fees collected	\$525.00
Plumbing permits issued	4	Total fees collected	\$300.00
Turned over to the Borough Secretary the total sum of:		\$825.00	

HEALTH OFFICER – Phyllis Duffy
February 2009

Communicable Diseases Reported: 0

Animal Bites Reported: 0

Inspections/licenses issued: 1

Burger King – 501 MacDade

Complaints:

Contemporary Village – F Bldg – Leaking roof causing safety/health condition – Code Officer handling details of repairs necessary.

Respectfully Submitted,

Phyllis Duffy, RN

PARKS & PROPERTY – Mrs. Cicala (read by Mr. McGettigan)

Picked up trash at all borough buildings throughout the month
Emptied trash cans in playgrounds, ball fields and parks when needed
Picked up branches throughout park

SNOW REMOVAL

Applied brine to pre-treat steps and sidewalks on borough property
Salted sidewalks as needed

OTHER JOBS PERFORMED

Idas & community service finished painting bathrooms at library and also painted downstairs at borough hall, public bathroom and steps to police station.
Removed old desk from borough hall and took to dumpster
Cleaned up monument hill which was full of trash and cans
Removed fallen branches throughout the park
Installed new circulator pump on heater at borough hall
Made adjustment to gate on Knowles Ave so it opens and closes smoothly
Power washed graffiti off of snack bar walls and doors
Reset parking bumpers in parking lot on Knowles Ave
Removed fence around dugouts at ball field
Replaced lights as needed in all buildings
Changed outlet in police station
Trimmed tree around flagpole at library and cleaned area around building
Replaced light switch covers in bathrooms at library
Repaired swings at Lamont Park
Applied construction adhesive to prevent tripping hazard to top steps at borough hall entrance

EQUIPMENT

All equipment cleaned and maintenance preformed as needed

BUILDING & ZONING – Mr. Pfaff

• **Building and Zoning Report for the month of February 2009**

Total Building/Zoning Permits issued	8	Total fees collected	\$ 2130.00
Total Contractor Registrations	28	Total fees collected	\$ 2100.00

Total Building and Zoning fees turned over to the Borough Secretary: **\$4230.00**

• **Use and Occupancy Report for the month of February 2009**

C&O/U&O's applied for	73	Total fees collected	\$ 5750.00
Re-inspections	1	Total fees collected	\$ 50.00

Total Use and Occupancy fees turned over to the Borough Secretary: **\$ 5800.00**

ENGINEER – Ms. Nelson

■ **Sanitary Sewers**

Due to a scheduling conflict with DELCORA's Consultant, a meeting originally scheduled for this evening was held today to discuss the metering project results. There are sections of the Borough that are exhibiting much higher than anticipated flows. We are developing a plan to address the disparities. We will begin by verifying adjoining municipalities' contributions with manhole inspections and then move on to a variety of different testing methods to better define what is in the system. This will enable us to isolate problem areas. Another focus of this meeting was to discuss education of the public in order to eliminate illegal sump pump or other storm water connections into the sanitary system to reduce flows and costs as much as possible.

damage to her head and has passed away over the weekend. That was over twenty years ago when she was downstairs. At this point I don't think there's anything planned. That's it for now.

President Danzi – I do not remember Ruth but if you see her family please send our condolences.

PRESIDENT DANZI – Now, a motion to go out of the regular order of business to hear from the public tonight.

MOTION by Mr. Quinn seconded by Mr. Pfaff to go out of the regular order of business to hear from the public. **MOTION CARRIED**

PRESIDENT DANZI – Anyone from the public wish to address us tonight? None.

MOTION by Mr. Quinn seconded by Mr. McGarvey to pay all bills as presented. **MOTION CARRIED**

President Danzi – We will have a short executive session afterwards on some personnel matters and I wanted to announce that before I entertain a motion to adjourn.

MOTION by Mr. McGarvey seconded by Mr. Boothby to adjourn this meeting. **MOTION CARRIED**

Adjourned meeting at 8:00 PM

ATTEST

Brian H. Hoover
Borough Manager
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