

**BOROUGH OF GLENOLDEN
GLENOLDEN, PENNSYLVANIA**

COUNCIL MEETING

MAY 9, 2017

MR. DANZI
MR. PFAFF
MR. MCGETTIGAN
MR. BOOTHBY
MRS. CICALA
MR. RAZZI

MR. RUGGIERO
MRS. CALABRESE
MAYOR QUINN
MR. PUPPIO
MS. NELSON

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

The Annual Veteran’s Essay and Poster Award winners being presented to us by Mr. Pat Quinn. Mr. Quinn thanked Ms. Rachel Lambert, Principal of Glenolden School, for all her support and dedication in this project.

Presentation of Veteran’s Essays By Glenolden School Students:

8th Grade Winners – Lindsi McLaughlin 1st Place, Brenna Barker 2nd Place, Faith Mumma 3rd Place.

6th Grade Winners – Julian Bulovas 1st Place, Jada Gibson 2nd Place, Kimberly Nguyen 3rd Place.

Poster Winners – 7th Grade – Amira Simila 1st Place, Morgan Connell 2nd Place, Journee Vann 3rd Place.

Representing Interboro SD – Rachel Lambert, Principal of Glenolden School.

Representing American Legion Post #566 – Members of the American Legion

Sponsor of Awards – McCausland Garrity Marchesani Funeral Home

PRESIDENT DANZI – Pat, on behalf of Council we’d like to thank the students, yourself and Mrs. Lambert for another great job.

MOTION by Mr. Pfaff seconded by Mr. Boothby to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. **MOTION CARRIED**

MOTION by Mr. Pfaff seconded by Mrs. Calabrese to approve the Treasurer’s Report. **MOTION CARRIED**

BIDS & CORRESPONDENCE – None

COMMITTEE REPORTS

FINANCE & LAW – Mr. Ruggiero No new report

PUBLIC & SAFETY – Mr. McGettigan

	CASH	CHECKS	TOTAL
Parking Tickets	1,075.00	565.00	1,640.00
Credit Card Payment	0.00	0.00	0.00
Accidents	45.00	270.00	315.00
Incident Reports	0.00	0.00	0.00
Restitution	0.00	60.00	60.00
Magistrate Tozer	0.00	*3,465.70	*3,465.70
D.U.I.	0.00	229.27	229.27
Fingerprints	0.00	0.00	10.00
Totals	\$1,120.00	\$4,589.97	\$5,709.97

*March Fines

61	Crimes Code Arrests
63	Vehicle Code Arrests/Citations Issued
309	Parking Tickets Issued
701	Calls for Service

Glenolden Fire Company Report for April 2017 – No Report Was Provided for the Meeting

No. of Alarms	In Town	Out of Town	Y.T.D.	Minutes in Service	Volunteer Hours	# of Drills	YTD	Members Attending	Total Hrs. Training

House	Investigations	Oil Spill	Fire Alarms	MVA	Bldg. Fires	PECO	Rescue	Other

Mutual Aid - 10

HIGHWAY & LIGHTS – Mrs. Calabrese

All trash and debris cleared on highways.
 Borough trash cans on Chester Pike and MacDade Blvd. emptied as needed.
 Signs and posts replaced where needed.
 Repairs made to stop signs.
 Refacing street signs in the shop.
 Potholes filled on streets throughout the borough.

EQUIPMENT

Equipment maintained and cleaned as needed.

HEALTH AND SEWER – Mr. Boothby

SEWERS

Storm inlets cleaned as needed.
 Sewer opened and cleaned out at Tatnall Avenue and South Avenue. Sewer was filled with paper towels and other debris. Due to this occurring again, a letter was delivered to all Tatnall Avenue residents regarding the problem. They were advised to please not put any paper towels, diapers, baby wipes, etc. in the sewer system.
 Manhole cover replaced on Werner Avenue.
 Sewers checked during the month; everything running fine.

EQUIPMENT

Cleaned and performed routine maintenance on equipment.

Health & Sewer Report for the month of **April 2017**

Street Openings	0	Total fees collected	\$ 0.00
Plumbing permits issued	4	Total fees collected	\$1,045.00
Turned over to the Borough Secretary the total sum of:			\$1,045.00

HEALTH OFFICER – April 2017

Communicable Diseases Reported: 0

Animal Bites Reported: 0

Inspections/licenses issued: 1

Mister Softee Ice Cream Truck

Complaints: 0

Respectfully Submitted, **Brian Razzi**

PARKS & PROPERTY – Mrs. Cicala

JOBS PERFORMED

Daily trash removal from all borough buildings.

Park areas, and outside of borough buildings cleared of debris.

Cut and trimmed all grass/bushes on all borough property.

Installed a drain box at the T-Ball Field.

All Baseball/Softball and T-ball fields prepared for use.

Tennis Courts opened up for the season.

Water turned on at Snack Bar and Park Guard

Flags replaced at Borough Hall, Library and Monument.

Maintenance on property performed throughout the borough as needed.

All other requests performed as needed.

LIBRARY

Provided necessary maintenance.

EQUIPMENT

Snow blower and winter equipment removed from borough buildings and stored at the Borough Garage.

Equipment maintained and cleaned as needed.

BUILDING & ZONING – Mr. Pfaff

Building and Zoning Report for the month of April 2017

Total Building/Zoning Permits issued	36	Total fees collected	\$10,501.00
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Total Contractor Registrations	3	Total fees collected	\$ 225.00
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Total Building and Zoning fees turned over to the Borough Secretary: **\$10,726.00**

Use and Occupancy Report for the month of April 2017

C&O's applied for	14	Total fees collected	\$1,400.00
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Re-inspections	0	Total fees collected	\$ 00.00
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U&O's applied for	22	Total fees collected	\$5,025.00
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Re-inspections	10	Total fees collected	\$ 500.00
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Total Use and Occupancy fees turned over to the Borough Secretary: **\$6,925.00**

ENGINEER – Ms. Nelson

MacDade Blvd Signals Project

The Borough Manager and I reviewed the ordinance and have determined the only location that will require a SW Permit is Oak Ave where they will widen.

Glenolden Park Project

The additional funding request was submitted to OHCD and we are awaiting County Council's decision.

I attended the pre-construction meeting at the OHCD office on May 5. I have drafted Change Order No. 1. This includes the revisions to items in the contract per our discussions with the Borough Manager.

Bridge Inspections

I contacted Jack Ryan as they own ¼ of Academy Ave Bridge. He indicated he will bring it up to the Board of Commissioners and reach out to Brian.

MS4

Pollution Reduction Plan. We need to make a decision as to whether or not to join the Collaborative.

We need to coordinate the remaining screening of outfalls. Require access to University of Penn property.

SOLICITOR – Mr. Puppio

Mr. Puppio updated us on the Delaware County Reassessment Project. The county is still coming up with a schedule that should be sent to all municipalities shortly.

PRESIDENT DANZI – Old / New business

FINANCE & LAW – Mr. Ruggiero No new report

PUBLIC SAFETY – Mr. McGettigan No new report

HIGHWAY & LIGHTS - Mrs. Calabrese No new report

HEALTH & SEWER - Mr. Boothby No new report

PARKS & PROPERTY- Mrs. Cicala No new report

BUILDING & ZONING – Mr. Pfaff No new report

Mayor Quinn - On behalf of the Borough of Glenolden, I, Gerry Quinn, Mayor, Proclaim the month of May, 2017, as POPPY MONTH in the Borough of Glenolden. Given this 9th day of May, 2017, in Glenolden, Pennsylvania. Would also like residents to be aware that there is a coupon scam that has been posted on Facebook. Unfortunately, these coupons are not real. It is a scam. Please do not try to use these.

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

MOTION by Mr. Pfaff seconded by Mr. Boothby 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?

Maureen Carreno, 104 N. Llanwellyn Avenue; States that the parks look beautiful and feels everyone does a good job, with the exception of the Borough Manager. She has concerns about him doing his job. President Danzi addressed her concerns.

Caroline Fairfield, 304 Sharp Avenue; Had comments regarding a committee member’s right to voice their opinions in social media vs. the Borough Manager’s use of social media. President Danzi responded to her comments.

Ellen Stein, 103 Glen Nor Avenue; Wanted to find out what can be done about the South Avenue/Chester Pike bridge and property around it looking so bad. President Danzi stated that this is Amtrak property and it has been a problem.

Donna Rothe, 302 Sharp Avenue; Offered to provide pictures from 20 years ago of the South Avenue/Chester Pike bridge in comparison to how it looks today to previous residents comments.

Donna Rothe, 302 Sharp Avenue; She would like to know if Glenolden Borough has considered creating an official Glenolden Borough Facebook page. She feels this would be helpful in getting information out to the

public for any upcoming events or issues in Glenolden Borough. President Danzi said that is something that we could look into.

Donna Rothe also has a question regarding a residence on Elmwood Avenue. President Danzi and the Borough Manager addressed her questions.

Ellen Stein, 103 Glen Nor Avenue; Concerned about the condition of a driveway behind her home that is used by other Glenolden Borough residents. President Danzi informed her that it was a private driveway and recommended she speak with neighbors about this.

A Resident questioned whether the borough could use community service to take remove graffiti or take care of overgrown lawns. President Danzi addressed her question.

A Resident expressed concerns about a tree on a neighbor's property that has dropped branches on other residents properties. President Danzi and Borough Solicitor Mike Puppio responded to her questions and concerns.

Donna Rothe, 302 Sharp Avenue; Would like to personally extend an invitation to everyone to stop by the Library next week. The Williamson College of the Trades students will be putting in the bushes for the Historical Commissions' Library Beautification Project.

Caroline Fairfield, 304 Sharp Avenue; Re: Facebook postings by the Borough Manager. She states that she doesn't have a problem with the Borough Manager postings on Facebook regarding political events, borough events, or what he posts as a private citizen. She would like to go on record and clarify that she wants to be part of the Historical Commission and keep her appointment. Would like to have it on record that she will not be fired from her appointment. Also had questions about the transcribed meeting minutes. President Danzi and Solicitor Mike Puppio replied to her concerns and what the process is of transcribing the minutes and the requirements for them.

Maureen Carreno, 104 N. Llanwellyn Avenue; She states that since the meeting is recorded, she would like to know if she could get a copy of the tape. President Danzi and Solicitor Mike Puppio addressed her question. She would like to request a copy of the tape. President Danzi and Solicitor Mike Puppio will look to see how the process of this could be handled.

MOTION by Mr. Pfaff seconded by Mrs. Calabrese to pay all bills as presented. **MOTION CARRIED**

MOTION by Mr. Pfaff seconded by Mrs. Calabrese to adjourn this meeting. **MOTION CARRIED**

Adjourned meeting at 8:45 PM

ATTEST

Brian Razzi
Borough Manager
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