

**FINES AND FEES COLLECTED  
YEAR TO DATE- 2018**

**THIS MONTH - JANUARY 2019**

PARKING METER COIN COLLECTED	\$1,785.00	\$1,785.00
PARKING TICKET FINES COLLECTED	\$1,050.00	\$1,050.00
DISTRICT COURT FINES RETURNED	\$1,169.04	\$1,169.04
13TH STREET METERED LOT FEES	\$500.00	\$500.00
COUNTY CRIMINAL COURT FINES RETURNED	\$0	\$0
<b>TOTAL FINES</b>	<b>\$4,504.04</b>	<b>\$4,504.04</b>

**ARRESTS**

ADULT	11	11
JUVENILE	1	1

**CITATIONS ISSUED /REPORTS FILED**

TRAFFIC CITATIONS ISSUED	11	11
PARKING CITATIONS ISSUED	65	65
NON-TRAFFIC SUMMARY ARRESTS	8	8
PARKING TICKETS ISSUED	121	121
INCIDENT REPORTS FILED	283	283

**SUBMITTED BY: CHIEF OF POLICE, THOMAS STELITANO**

Honorable Mayor  
Members of Council

The Regular Business Meeting of the Sharpsburg Borough Council was held on January 24, 2019 at 6:30 pm.

President Reno called the meeting to order and led in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Roll Call found the following Members present:

Matt Brudnok, Greg Domian, Jonathan Jaso, Karen Pastor, Joe Simbari, Larry Trozzo, Brittany Reno, Mayor Rudzki, Chief Stelitano, and Aiden Mack, Junior Council.

Citizen Comments (Agenda Items Only):

President Reno asked Manager Rossey to explain the Consent Agenda's general business each meeting to the public beginning with the January meeting. Rossey discussed each item and welcomed any public comments or questions.

Citizen Comments (Registered):

Ron DiCarlo of Rad Auto discussed his preliminary plans to pave a 20x110 lot on the property they lease and asked of Council what the next step is in the process of approval. Solicitor Kalena confirmed that his next step was to present his plans to the Planning Commission.

Jeff Jarzynka, recent owner of 900 Main Street and the future Zynka Galleries, approached Council to introduce himself and discuss possible intentions for the retail space of the structure.

Humane Action Pittsburgh addressed the importance of the "No Plastic Please" campaign now that recycling has been so negatively impacted.

Mayor Rudzki read a proclamation announcing "No Plastic Please" addressing the importance of replacing plastic with reusable items.

Committee Reports:

W. Rossey  
Manager

Rossey discussed the status and changes of future recycling in our area.

Rossey led discussion regarding the borough's receipt of a private donation to be used towards playground equipment and his application for a DCNR grant to match these donations. Rossey informed Council and the public of the state of the art playground equipment that could be possible purchases.

Rossey introduced Gordon Taylor from Senate Engineering, the newly appointed engineer firm representing the Borough of Sharpsburg.

L. Trozzo  
Zoning/Planning/Code  
Nothing

G. Domian  
Personnel

Domian announced the official date being June I, 2019 for the Open Streets festival and the intent to extend the vendor area to the Library and through North Canal Street to the intersection with Clay Street.

K. Pastor  
Public Safety

Pastor mentioned the fire department response to fire calls was an annual total of 329 calls and outlined the break out of the response calls per surrounding communities.

J. Simbari  
Public Works

Simbari mentioned meeting with Sarah Innamorato, Sharpsburg's State Representative at her office in Lawrenceville.

Simbari asked if the newly installed Duquesne Light Street Lights could be adjusted and redirected as they are shining into residential homes.

Simbari inquired of the Regional Police Study status. Mayor Rudzki mentioned that one municipality submitted incorrect numbers so the numbers for the regions need to be crunched again before the conclusion of the study.

Simbari requested an executive session to discuss Riverfront 47 status.

He inquired if police enforcement monitoring could include the parking of food trucks which block traffic or on yellow lines.

J. Jaso  
Health/Property

Jaso mentioned that the public be aware of scams from door to door, computer and telephone types of approaches.

Jaso discussed ordinances regarding flyers being attached to the poles throughout town and discussed his thoughts regarding an ordinance to govern the acquisition and use of drones.

M. Brudnok  
Finance

Brudnok announced that the Hometown banners are available for the sponsors to pick up in the borough office.

Brudnok also mentioned that he is meeting with the VFW to secure a donation to reduce the cost of additional sponsored banners.

A.Mack  
Junior Council Member  
Nothing

J.D'Ambrosio  
Public Works

Jordan acknowledged the department's efforts to maintain removal of snow and ice in the borough.

M. Rudzki  
Mayor

Rudzki discussed measures to address the opioid crises.

B.Reno  
President of Council

Reno discussed bringing wireless internet to the business district at the nominal annual cost of \$1000.00.

Also mentioned was a visionary meeting to be held Thursday, January 3<sup>rd</sup> 2019 in the Council Chambers to discuss Main Street improvements.

T. Stelitano  
Chief of Police

Chief discussed the monthly Police Report.

M. Witherel  
Solicitor  
Nothing

#### Consent Agenda

Reno asked for a motion to approve the following general business by roll call:

- a. Payment of bills due through February 28, 2019
- b. Minutes from the December 27, 2018 meeting
- c. Motion to pass Ordinance 19-01 setting the 2019 tax millage rate at 7.15 mills (no increase)
- d. Motion to accept bid from Pampena Landscaping in the amount of \$68,200.00 for the installation of new docks at James Sharp Landing. This is being paid for through grants received from DCNR and DCED.
- e. Motion to accept the bid from Baiano Construction Inc. in the amount of \$236,319.00 for Phase 1 of the Commercial Revitalization improvements to Guyasuta Island. This is being paid for through a CDBG Grant.
- f. Motion to pay Meta Mesh \$1000.00 to bring wireless internet to the Main Street Business district.

Motion by: Karen Pastor with second by Greg Domian resulting in a unanimous vote.

Permits:

- a. Handicap Parking:  
None
- b. Use Permits:  
None
- c. Zoning Building:  
None

Reno asked for a motion to adjourn to executive session. Motion made by Larry Trozzo and second by Joe Simbari. Reno thanked all for attending the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

William Rossey  
Sharpsburg Borough Manager  
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