

**BOROUGH COUNCIL SPECIAL
MEETING OCTOBER 25, 2023
7:00 PM**

The October 2023 Borough's Special Meeting was conducted on Wednesday, October 25, 2023, at 7:10 P.M. The meeting was held in Borough Council Chambers, 2nd Floor, 304 South State Street, Borough of Clarks Summit, County of Lackawanna and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Council members in attendance were Ms. Gerrie Carey, Ms. Kathleen Simrell, Mr. Frank Besten, Mr. David Jenkins, Mr. Robert Sheils, and Solicitor Mariclare Hayes and Jenn Basalyga was substituting for Borough Manager Virginia Kehoe. Mr. Joshua Mitchell, Ms. Roni Lopez, and Virginia Kehoe were absent.

- 1. WORKSESSION:** **President Carey**

- 2. PUBLIC COMMENT:** **President Carey**
Artie Frank asked about the new garbage bill. The bill is being sent out to the borough. He asked if a resident does not want to put out their garbage, will they still be billed. Other questions were asked.

- 3. DISCUSSION:** **President Carey**
 - Ordinance 2023-01 Lansdowne Turn Ordinance: Solicitor Hayes stated that this would be discussed in executive session. But, this will be ready for a vote in November.
 - Ordinance 2023-02 Trash Ordinance: no update
 - Ordinance 2023-03 Pave Cut Ordinance: no update
 - Ordinance 2023-04 Quality of Life Ordinance: Solicitor Hayes stated that she has a draft for council to review. She pointed out changes that were made, that are in the new draft.
 - Regional Stormwater MOU: Changes were made and we are waiting for the new draft. Our proposed changes have been accepted.
 - Civil Service Exam: Solicitor Hayes stated that she talked to Chief Yarns and he is interested in talking to council about the Civil Service. David Jenkins stated that council was interested in looking into this.
 - \$17,169.08 W/C rebate: Council can vote to put in either the Capital Reserve or the General account.
 - Resolution 2023-07 CDBG Application: This is voted on every year. This is money that would go to the Senior Center.
 - 2024 budgets: The finance committee will have more information. In November, this will be voted on for advertising.
 - Ordinance 2023-05 Millage: no update
 - Ordinance 2023-06 Sewer: no update
 - Ordinance 2023-07 Fire: no update

- 4. REVIEW OF NOVEMBER 1, 2023 AGENDA**
David Jenkins moved to adjourn.

5. ADJOURN:

President Carey