## **COUNCIL MEETING**

May 10, 2017

In attendance:

Council Staff

Deborah Tustin William T. Walker - Township Manager

Tom Johnson Mary Eberle, Esq. - Solicitor
Mark McCouch Russell Dunlevy, PE - Engineer

W. William Whiteside Mark Hudson – Director of Administration

Gregory S. Nesbitt

President Tustin opened the Council meeting with a Pledge of Allegiance at 8:07 PM in the Township Building, 1025 Horsham Road, Horsham, PA.

President Tustin explained the Township is continuing to recognize all the local civic organizations in the township as part of the Tri-Centennial. Mr. Walker emphasized the importance to recognize organizations in our community that make a difference through their efforts and contributions they make every day to create a better quality of life here in our community. Mr. Walker reviewed the May Recognitions for the Tri-centennial Local Civic Organizations as follows:

Bucks-Mont Meals on Wheels
Friends of Graeme Park
Friends of the Horsham Township Library

Ms. Tustin asked for questions or comments from the public. There were none.

Mr. Walker updated Council on the PFC water issue in Horsham. Ms. Theresa Funk, Horsham Water and Sewer Authority Engineer, also was present to update Council and answer any questions. Attached to these minutes is the PowerPoint presentation.

Ms. Tustin asked for the will of Township Council concerning the minutes. It was moved by Mr. Whiteside, second by Mr. Nesbitt to approve the minutes as presented. Motion passed unanimously.

Mr. Walker provided the Treasurer's Report for April 2017. He reported that the balance in the General Fund as of March 31, 2017 is \$ 4,159,206.14.

Ms. Tustin asked for the will of Council concerning the List of Checks. It was moved by Mr. Johnson, second by Mr. McCouch to approve the List of Checks in all funds in the amount of \$ 563,933.99 and to further move to authorize payment of same. Motion passed unanimously.

Mr. Walker and Ms. Eberle reviewed the proposed zoning ordinance and map to create a business park district and overly districts. Ms. Tustin asked for the will of Council concerning the proposed Ordinances. It was moved by Mr. Johnson, second by Mr. Whiteside to introduce an Ordinance amending the zoning ordinance and map to create a business park district and overlay districts within the business park district, to rezone parcels to be included in the business park district and overlay districts, and to set forth permitted uses and regulations for those districts. Roll Call Vote:

Mr. Johnson – Aye Mr. McCouch – Aye Mr. Whiteside – Aye Ms. Tustin – Aye Mr. Nesbitt-Aye

## Motion passed unanimously

Ms. Tustin asked for the will of Council concerning the Line Painting bids. It was moved by Mr. Nesbitt, second by Mr. Johnson to award the Line Painting bid to A-1 Traffic Control being the lowest responsible bidder in the amount of \$ 44,546.13.

Ms. Tustin asked for the will of Council concerning the Automated Red Light Enforcement (ARLE) Transportation Enhancement Grant Program application. It was moved by Mr. Whiteside, second by Mr. Johnson to adopt the Resolution as proposed authorizing the Automated Red Light Enforcement (ARLE) Transportation Enhancement Grant Program application. Roll Call Vote:

Mr. Johnson – Aye
Mr. McCouch – Aye
Mr. Whiteside – Aye
Ms. Tustin – Aye
Mr. Nesbitt-Aye
Motion passed unanimously

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at approximately 9:15 PM.

 William T. Walker	