

**MINUTES
BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING
MARCH 1, 2017**

The Downingtown Borough Council met in regular session March 1, 2017 at the Municipal Government Center, 4 W. Lancaster Ave., Downingtown, PA. Members present: President Gazzo, Councilors Dague, McGlone, Thomas and Feldman. Also attending were Mayor Maxwell, Solicitor Thompson and members of Borough staff. Vice President Rakoff and Borough Manager Steve Sullins did not attend.

President Gazzo called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Recognition/Awards – None

Approval of Expenditures (Period Ending February 28, 2017) – Councilor Dague made a motion to approve the expenditures for the period ending February 28, 2017, Councilor Thomas seconded; motion carried 4-1 (Councilor Feldman opposed).

Approval of Borough Council Minutes (February 15, 2017) – Councilor Dague made a motion to approve the minutes of February 15, 2017, Councilor McGlone seconded; motion carried unanimously.

Citizens to be Heard – None

Deferred Business – No deferred business.

New Business

Ordinance 2017-01 Volunteer Background Checks – Councilor McGlone made a motion to advertise with the intent to adopt Ordinance 2017-01, Councilor Dague seconded. Solicitor Thompson stated the ordinance would apply to all unelected members of boards and/or commissions. Eligible applicants are appointed by Borough Council. After discussion, the motion carried unanimously.

Mayor & Council Updates

President Gazzo announced the next Borough Council meeting is scheduled on March 15, 2017.

Councilor McGlone reported the next edition of the Borough newsletter will be available next week.

Mayor Maxwell thanked the Public Works Department and everyone who assisted in repairing the sink hole that occurred on Sunset Drive.

Adjournment

Councilor Thomas made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:30 p.m., Councilor Dague seconded; motion carried unanimously.

Millie Byerly
Assistant Secretary