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November 17, 2016

Special Public Council Meeting

I. Opening Of Bids

No Bids To Open.

II. Public Address:

Residents shall address the Donora Borough Council in the order in which they signed the public address signup sheet located at the front speaker podium.

III. Council Committees Agenda:

A. Finance Council Committee:

1. Motion to (approve, table, not approve) the payment of claim # 21485762 dated October 13, 2016 from Summit Risk Services in the amount of \$5,000.00, which is the deductible portion of the Borough's Errors and Omissions insurance, concerning the unsuccessful Steven Mensah-Yawson lawsuit against the Borough for infringing upon the defendant's constitutional rights after he was arrested in Donora by the Department Of Homeland Security agents and by Federal Postal Inspectors.

2. Motion to (approve, table, not approve) the passage of Resolution # 2016 – 09 concerning the solvency of the Borough of Donora’s Police Pension Plan and the Borough of Donora’s Minimum Municipal Obligation whose municipal financial requirement for 2017 is set at \$0.00 since the pension plan is currently overfunded by authorizing the Donora Borough Council President to execute the resolution.

3. Motion to (approve, table, not approve) the payment of an insurance premium for the coverage period of November 01, 2016 to November 01, 2017 in the amount of \$91,232.00 from the CSC Insurance Company of Belle Vernon, Pennsylvania for the Borough of Donora and the Donora Fire Company coverage for all the property, vehicles, and equipment located within the Borough.

B. Health, Sanitation, and Code Enforcement Council Committee:

1. Motion to (approve, table, not approve) the 2017 residential refuse hauling rates at the following amounts:

- A. \$200.00 at discount rate until May 31, 2017
- B. \$250.00 at face rate from June 01, 2017 until August 31, 2017
- C. \$300.00 at penalty rate plus fines and court costs after August 31, 2017

C. Recreation Council Committee:

No Motions On The Agenda.

D. Community Affairs and Municipal Building Council Committee:

No Motions On The Agenda.

E. Highways and Street Lights Council Committee:

No Motions On The Agenda.

F. Public Safety Council Committee:

No Motions On The Agenda.

IV. Announcements:

1. The Council of the Borough of Donora is requesting letters of interest from residents to fill a five year term on the Mon Valley Sewage Authority's Board of Directors that will begin on January 01, 2017 and expire on December 31, 2021. Letters of interest listing qualifications must be submitted to the Donora Borough Administrative offices by the 4:30 PM deadline on Thursday, December 01, 2016.
2. A Mon Valley jobs opportunity meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 16, 2016 at 6:00 PM in the social hall. Jason Fincke of the Builders Guild of Western Pennsylvania will speak about employment opportunities in the union building trades concerning apprenticeship programs available to residents of the Mon Valley.
3. The annual Donora Twinkle Bright Night will be held on Friday, November 25, 2016 from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at the intersection of McKean Avenue and Sixth Street at the public parking garage where a petting zoo and pony rides or horse and buggy rides will be provided for the children. A parade will kickoff the celebration followed by a visit from Santa Claus, a Santa Claus house with Santa, the lighting of the Borough Christmas tree, and treat bags for all of the children. The event is being sponsored by the Donora Union Pharmacy and the Donora Smog Commemorative Committee.
4. The Valley Boys & Girl Musical Reunion will feature Richie Merritt, Bernie Clement & Val Lawson-Griffey and will include D J Derek Galiffa & Jon Shedlock on sound on Saturday, November 26, 2016 at the Donora Municipal

Building located at 603 Meldon Avenue in Donora. Doors will open at 5:00 PM and the musical celebration will continue until midnight. Tickets are \$25.00 per person, you must be 21 years old to attend, mixers and chips will be provided, and BYOB. All proceeds will benefit the Donora Smog Commemorative Committee. For tickets call 724-825-3562.

5. The Crisis Center Hotline telephone number is 724-225-3584.