Agenda FREEPORT BOROUGH COUCIL Regular Meeting October 2, 2023

Pledge of Allegiance Approval of the September 11, 2023, Minutes Regular Council Meeting Borough Manager Report Public Safety Reports Police Report Invoices Treasurer Report Mayor Report Planning Commission Report Solicitor Report Citizen Comments

Standing Committees

Public Works- (Chad Westerman)

- 1. Sewage Treatment Plant Phase 2- (Robert Horvat)
- 2. Discussion and Approval of reimbursement resolution for wastewater project cost.

Public Safety, Property, & Ordinance (Josh James)

- 1. Status- Blighted Properties
- 2. Status on Re-zoning the Central Business District to include 508 Franklin Street.
- 3. Status of 67 Main Street.
- 4. Discussion and Approval of adding Handicap Sign at 126 Stewart.
- 5. Discussion and Approval of hiring tree cutting service to remove two dead trees on Cherry way that exist in our right of way.
- 6. Discussion and Approval of sending Public Safety employee to Fire Inspector 1 State Pro Board class not to exceed \$500.

Parks, Recreation, & Community-

- 1. Discussion and Approval of Freeport Halloween Trick r' Treat night.
- 2. Discussion and Approval of Allegheny Dock Removal October 16th.
- 3. Discussion and Approval of supporting Orphans of the Storm building project.
- 4. Discussion and Approval of renting 2nd field concession stand to Dark Lock Productions (Halloween Carnival) at price of existing storage units.

Finance- (Rich Macura)

- 1. Delinquent Accounts- 30 Current
- 2. Delinquent Income Tax Collection- \$2.25 for September received by Sharp Collection.
- 3. Discussion and Approval of moving forward with Pennsylvania Municipal Retirement Ordinance.

- 4. Discussion and Approval of resolution that states intent to reimburse its general fund used to construct improvements to wastewater plant with funds received from the Pennsylvania Infrastructure Investment Authority.
- 5. Discussion and Approval of using Witherel Kalina Law Group to provide legal services for PennVest Loan.
- 6. Discussion and Approval of resolution to appoint liaison between Freeport Borough and Berkheimer for expressed purpose of sharing confidential tax information with the district for official purposes.
- 7. Discussion and Approval of using Emerald or US Bank to publicly invest our bond proceedings.
- 8. Discussion and Approval of reimbursing Borough Manager retirement withholdings until October 3rd due to 6-month Pennsylvanian Municipal Retirement Service requirement.
- 9. Discussion and Approval to move all non-rotating funds to US Bank or similar with wealth management capabilities.

Electronics, Web- (Jacob Whitlock)

1. Update on Website- Online bill pay options.

Personnel- (Stephanie VanTine)

1. Discussion and Approval of hiring Justin Phillippi for open public works position.

Executive Session- Properties and personnel