

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Council of the City of Monongahela, due notice of which meeting was published according to law, held Wednesday February 14, 2018 at 7 P.M. in Council Chambers. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Kepics who led in the pledge to the flag.

The roll was called and the following present:

Bob Kepics
Ken Kulak
Claudia Williams
Daryl Miller
William Polonoli

Mayor Kepics asked those present to remain standing for a moment of silence for the recent school shooting in Florida.

Public Forum:

Al Veliky, representative from the Municipal Authority, summarized the Main Street Sewer Separation Project of the Municipal Authority which will help reduce the amount of stormwater entering the sanitary sewer system. This project will have a significant impact on the City of Monongahela and benefit the community by reducing the potential of combined sewer overflows into the Monongahela River.

Tim Parsons, 4th Street, said he was not happy with the right-to-know requests he submitted to the city. He said that the officials are required to sign affidavits prior to taking their oaths of office and that has not been done. Solicitor Pappasergi said that if he believes that anyone on council is not qualified to sit on their seat, the Third Class City Code provides other options.

Jim Braum, 503 Park Avenue, asked if the street department was aware of the condition of Chess Street behind Eat'N Park continuing to 4th Street. He also updated council there were 360 people who came into the city for the recent train show.

Chad DeSantis, Lawton Street, thanked the city from all the residents of Lawton Street for the start of the demolition of the burned house and said he would like the city to work toward making more available documents on the website.

Demitri, East Main Street, said he is facing a humanitarian crisis regarding medical and financial problems and has exhausted all resources for help. When asked by Councilman Kulak to further explain he said it was a personal issue. Solicitor Pappasergi advised him to contact the Washington County Legal Aid or the Washington County Bar Association for help.

Terry Necciai, 400 Meade Street, distributed the monthly calendars and told council how pleased he was with all the cooperation with all the agencies in the city.

Report of City Clerk:

Police Report

It was recommended and so moved by Mayor Kepics, seconded by Councilman Kulak, the Police Report be approved, and the same was agreed to by the following Yea and Nay vote to the call of the roll by the Clerk:

Yeas

Bob Kepics
Ken Kulak
Claudia Williams
Daryl Miller
William Polonoli

