

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, December 11, 2019 at 7:00 PM, 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

#### Presentations

Officer Fusco and Officer Fontaine took over the Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) being performed by the nursing staff and applied one shock using the automated external defibrillator (AED). The patient blinked, took a deep breath and spoke to the officers. The patient was then transported by medical flight to Pittsburgh.

Tri-Community Ambulance Service and Rostraver/West Newton EMS nominated and recognized Officer Fusco and Officer Fontaine for the Life Saving Award for their exceptional performance of duty on October 17, 2019. After the award presentation the patient personally thanked both officers for their heroic efforts.

Mayor Bob Kepics received the Citation from the Senate of Pennsylvania from Senator Camera Bartolotta for his 22 years plus dedicated service to the City of Monongahela

#### Public Forum

Gretchen Lopez, 507 Second Street, Monongahela, reminded Council of the September meeting and is back asking about the Local Share Account (LSA) and the potential assistance to homeowners affected by landslides.

Mayor Kepics responded stating that he was on the All State Board this year (2019) and 82 landslide cases were brought before the board and no money was distributed because of the large amount of cases. He also stated that it may be hard to get assistance but to apply anyway.

Councilman Kulak stated the announcements have not been made for the Local Share Account awards and to watch for them.

Senator Camera Bartolotta asked Ms. Lopez to call her office regarding this matter.

Councilwoman Williams stated that she had an engineer evaluate the site.

Solicitor Pappasergi stated that the Code Enforcement Officer determination of a public safety and welfare concern then we consent.

James Braun, 1228 Elmcrest Avenue, Monongahela, congratulated the mayor on a wonderful career and that under his jurisdiction the town has flourished and is as clean and safest he's ever seen it. Asked for a round of applause for the Mayor. (applause) Announced that Santa is visiting on Saturday from 12:00 AM to 5:00 PM and is ready to great children who wish to speak with him or give him their list.

Mayor Kepics commended Mr Braun for the railroad set up in New Eagle Borough and acknowledged the hard work needed for the display.

Mr Braun said he would pass along the Mayor's thanks.

Mr Braun also discussed the Youth Edition of the Main Street Program. They are meeting this Saturday at 11:00 AM; as well as everyone else at Little City Coffee Monongahela, people 13 and 31 years of age are invited to get involved and do the same thing Main Street is doing.

