Meeting of Upper Darby Township Council Committees August 1, 2018

A Committee Meeting of Upper Darby Township Council was held on Wednesday evening, August 1st, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Meeting Room #202 of the Municipal Building, 100 Garrett Road, Upper Darby, Pennsylvania.

The meeting was called to order by Council President Donald P. Bonnett

Council Members Present:

Donald P. Bonnett, Thomas P. Wagner, Jacob A. Bierling Jr., Sekela Coles, Robert Gwin, Barbarann Keffer, Marc Manfre, Lisa Faraglia, Sheikh Siddique, Patrick Spellman, Laura Wentz

Present at the Meeting

Thomas N. Micozzie, Mayor
Thomas J. Judge Jr., CAO
Kelly Sullivan, Esq., Solicitor
Scott C. Gottel, Esq., Solicitor
Richard G. Nolan, Chief Municipal Clerk

Committee Reports

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE:
Jacob A. Bierling Jr., Chairman
Members: Thomas P. Wagner, Sekela Coles

Councilman Gwin submitted a petition requesting that the “No Parking This Side” restriction be removed from the 3800 block of Brunswick Avenue.
Upon approval of the petition, the request will be placed on the Agenda for the August 15, 2018 Council Meeting.

He further requested that the Fire Department come out and determine where fire zones should be installed and that additional “No Parking of Trucks or Commercial Vehicles” signs be installed on the street.

Councilman Manfre requested that a Load/Unload Zone be installed at 9242 West Chester Pike. No petition was needed as no other business will be affected.
This request shall be placed on the Agenda for the August 15, 2018 Council Meeting.

Councilman Siddique requested a 20-minute Load/Unload be installed at 6700 Market Street in front of the grocery store and for the removal of meter #0169. A petition has been submitted and will be reviewed by UDPD Community Affairs Officer Michael Scott for approval. Upon approval, this request shall be placed on the Agenda.

LEISURE SERVICES COMMITTEE:
Marc Manfre, Chairman
Members: Barbarann Keffer, Lisa Faraglia

Nothing listed for the August 15, 2018 Council Meeting agenda.
MUNICIPAL SERVICES, LICENSING AND PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE
Patrick J. Spellman, Chairman
Members, Thomas P. Wagner, Sheikh M. Siddique

Mr. Judge spoke about the application to amended traffic signal agreements regarding timing and monitoring with PENNDOT at 10 different locations within the Township and requests that this be placed on the Agenda.
This request shall be placed on the Agenda for the August 15, 2018 Council Meeting.

LAW AND GOVERNMENT & RULES AND PROCEDURES COMMITTEE:
Lisa Faraglia, Chairwoman
Members: Marc Manfre, Laura Wentz

Nothing listed for the August 15, 2018 Council Meeting agenda.

PLANNING, ZONING AND BUILDING CODE COMMITTEE:
Jacob A. Bierling Jr., Chairman
Members: Robert S. Gwin Jr., Patrick J. Spellman

Mr. Gentile requested that a Motion to approve the annual St. Eugene’s Fair be placed on the Agenda. The Fair is from September 26th through the 29th, 2018.
This request shall be placed on the Agenda for the August 15, 2018 Council Meeting.

PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE:
Sekela Coles, Chairwoman
Members: Patrick J. Spellman, Lisa Faraglia

Nothing listed for the August 15, 2018 Council Meeting agenda.

FINANCE AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE:
Thomas P. Wagner, Chairman
Members: Jacob A. Bierling Jr., Robert S. Gwin Jr.

There were 3 tax appeals to be discussed in Executive Session following the Council Meeting. Upon recommendation of the Committee these will be placed on the agenda for the August 15, 2018 Council Meeting.

Mayor Micozzie
The Mayor made several announcements:

On August 7th, National Night Out would take place at Upper Darby High School beginning at 6pm.

The 2nd meeting regarding the violence in the east end of the Township will be held on August 23rd at St. Bernadette’s at 6:30pm.
Upper Darby's Zoning Hearing Board decision #5-318 regarding the proposed re-development of Drexeline Shopping Center has been appealed to the Delaware County Court of Common Pleas in Delaware County. The appeal was filed by Janice Hamman, Donald Fields and Bonnie Hallam. The Mayor directed the Township Solicitor to file notice of intervention of the Township as a party in this matter.

Solicitor

Nothing to report

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned by Council President Bonnett

Respectfully submitted,

Richard G. Nolan
Chief Municipal Clerk