

**STOCKERTOWN BOROUGH COUNCIL
MEETING MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 3, 2025**

THE BOROUGH OF STOCKERTOWN HELD A COUNCIL MEETING ON MONDAY,
FEBRUARY 3, 2025 AT 7:30 PM AT BOROUGH HALL.

Attendance

- Council Members present were: Council President Amy Richard, Vice President Kathleen Zdonowski, Cindy Hower, and Katie Santiago. Pam Davis, Joe Gosnell and Renee Cantwell were absent.
- Attorney Steven Mills, Mayor Rosemarie Wenzelberger and Candace Keller, Borough Secretary were present.

The meeting was called to order by Council President, Amy Richard at 7:33 PM.

Pledge of Allegiance

Agenda Approval

- No additions

Secretary / Treasurer Report

- **Motion** by Cindy Hower, Seconded by Katie Santiago to approve Council Meeting Minutes of January 6, 2025. Motion carried unopposed.
- **Motion** by Katie Santiago, Seconded Cindy Hower to approve accounts payable for the General and Sewer Funds through February 3, 2025. Motion carried unopposed.

Sean Dooley, Project Coordinator, along with Nathan Pritchard, Northampton County Conservation District Director gave a presentation explaining the progress of the Streambank Stabilization Restoration Project. The project seeks to restore the eroding embankment along various areas of the stream. Funding for the majority of the project will be through grant awards. The Borough's contributions will be mostly in kind, involving Public Works and equipment. Fish & Boat and Stockertown Rod & Gun are also involved in the project, as well as others in the district. The restoration start date is projected to be early 2027 due to grant awards and construction scheduling. Grant applications require all parties to be in agreement as supporting partners.

- **Motion** by Cindy Hower, Seconded by Kathleen Zdonowski for Council to agree to support the Stream Stabilization Restoration Project as presented and to contribute any in-kind labor and equipment in the Borough's capacity toward the grant from Growing Greener and other grants that are applied for regarding this project.

Mayor's Report

- Mayor Rosemarie Wenzelberger reported on State Police 911 calls. Katie Santiago reported the Tatamy Police Department expected to provide a proposal for police contract by end of February, 2025. Amy Richard reported Tatamy PD stated they would not be able to service us until at least October of 2025. Slate Belt Regional reported they are waiting until 3 candidates graduate from the academy and get trained. They would not be able to send a proposal until at least the end of October 2025.

Public Works

- Nothing to Report

Solicitor:

- Attorney Steve Mills reported the developer for 103 Commerce Way (Sunoco Land Development) which is going through the Planning Commission, has requested for a 90-day extension.
- **Adjournment**
 - **Motion** by Cindy Hower, Seconded by Katie Santiago to adjourn the Council Meeting at 8:18pm. Motion carried unopposed.

The next regular meeting of Borough Council is scheduled for Monday, February 17, 2025 - Cancelled

The foregoing was approved the 3rd day of **March, 2025**.

President of Council

Attest: _____