

MONACA BOROUGH
January 2nd, 2024 – 6:00 pm
REORGANIZATION &
Workshop Meeting

A Reorganization Meeting of the Monaca Borough Town Council was held on the above date & time.

Oath of Office

At this time, Honorable Mayor John P. Antoline administered the Oath of Office to the following elected Officials.

- William Mitchell- 5th Ward Councilman -Christopher Shotter, Jr.- 4th Ward Councilman
- John Booher, Jr.- 1st Ward Councilman -Derek Wilson- 3rd Ward Councilman
- Patricia Majors- 1st Ward Councilperson - Daniel Coville- 4th Ward Councilman

The Meeting was then called to order by Mayor John P. Antoline.

Flag Salute

The Meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call

Mrs. Majors-present	Mr. Colville-present
Mr. Mitchell-present	Mr. Yothers-present
Mr. J. Wilson- present	Mr. Michel-present
Mr. LaPearle-present	Mr. Shotter-present
Mr. D. Wilson-present	Mr. Booher-present
Mayor Antoline- present	

Others

David L. Kramer, Jr.- present; Rich Urick, Esq.- present

Nomination of Council President

Mayor Antoline opened the floor for nominations of Council President.

Mr. Colville **nominated** John Booher, Jr. as Council President. Mayor Antoline asked two more times for any other nominations. No other nominations were made. Motion carried unanimously. President Booher thanked the board for their continued support and strongly stated he only works if the team works.

Nomination of Vice President

President Booher opened the floor for nominations of Council Vice President.

Mr. Mitchell **nominated** Christopher Shotter, Jr. as Council Vice President. President Booher asked two more times if there were any other nominations for Vice President; at which time no other nominations were made. Motion carried unanimously. VP Shotter thanked the board as well.

Nomination of President Pro-Tem

President Booher opened the floor for nominations of Council President Pro-Tem.

VP Shotter **nominated** Derek Wilson to hold the position of President Pro-Tem. President Booher asked two more times if there were any other nominations for Pro-Tem; at which time no other nominations were made. Motion carried unanimously.

Other Appointments

- A. Mr. D. Wilson **motioned** to re-appoint Borough Solicitor Richard Urick (McMillen, Urick, Tocci & Jones Law Firm). Second by VP Shotter. Motion carried unanimously. Solicitor Urick was present and said Thank You for the 39th time.

- B. VP Shotter **motioned** to re-appoint Borough Engineer Tony Sadaka (Widmer Engineering Inc.). Second by Mr. D. Wilson. Motion carried unanimously.
- C. Mr. LaPearle **motioned** to re-appoint Michael J. Groves (AG Squared Services LLC) as Sewage Enforcement Officer. Second by Mrs. Majors. Motion carried unanimously.
- D. Mr. Colville **motioned** to approve Mary Lou Turbish as Treasurer. Second by Mr. Yothers. Motion carried unanimously.
- E. Mr. J. Wilson **motioned** to approve WesBanco as the Depository Bank. Second by Mr. Mitchell. Motion carried unanimously.
- F. Mrs. Majors **motioned** to re-appoint Mark C. Turnley, CPA as Independent Auditor. Second by Mr. J. Wilson. Motion carried unanimously.
- G. Mr. Colville **motioned** to re-appoint Building Inspector Middle Department Inspection Agency. Second by Mr. J. Wilson. Motion carried unanimously.
- H. Mr. LaPearle **motioned** to re-appoint Jeff McKay as EMA Coordinator. Second by Mr. Colville. Motion carried unanimously.
- I. Mrs. Majors **motioned** to re-appoint Nick Vorrias as Local Health Officer. Second by Mr. Yothers. Motion carried unanimously.
- J. Mr. Mitchell **motioned** to appoint Code/Zoning Enforcement Officer Nick Vorrias. Second by Mr. D. Wilson. Motion carried unanimously.
- K. Mrs. Majors **motioned** to reappoint Mike Brandenburg to the Planning Commission Board at a 4-year term ending December 31st, 2027. Second by Mr. D. Wilson. Motion carried unanimously.
- L. VP Shotter **motioned** to reappoint James Blararik on the Zoning Hearing Board with a 3-year term ending December 31st, 2026. Second by Mr. J. Wilson. Motion carried unanimously.
- M. Mr. LaPearle **motioned** to reappoint Tom Tusick to the Civil Service Commission Board with a 6-year term ending December 31st, 2029. Second by Mr. Mitchell. Motion carried unanimously.
- N. Mr. Colville **motioned** to reappoint Thomas Ely to the Vacancy Board with a 1-year term ending December 31st, 2024. Second by Mr. Yothers. Motion carried unanimously.
- O. VP Shotter **motioned** to reappoint Judy Scassa to Library Board, with a 2-year term, ending December 31st, 2025. Second by Mrs. Majors. Motion carried unanimously.
- P. Mr. LaPearle **motioned** to reappoint Sarah Davis to Library Board, with a 2-year term, ending December 31st, 2025. Second by Mr. Mitchell. Motion carried unanimously.

New Business-

- 1. Mrs. Majors **motioned** to appoint Mike Rubino to the Library Board for a 2-year term, ending December 31st, 2025. Second by Mr. J. Wilson. Motion carried unanimously.

Announcements- Pres Booher read the announcements: Monaca Christmas Tree recycling will begin January 2nd through January 31st. Bare trees are to be placed at your curb and will be collected every Monday through January 31st, or upon appointment.

Executive Session: None

Adjournment: There being no further business, VP Shotter **motioned** to adjourn the meeting at 6:17pm. Second by Mr. Mitchell. Motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,

Brittany Bologna