TOWN OF GLEN RIDGE

COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

2 November 2022 --7:00 P.M.

President Ussery called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. John Deal called the roll. A quorum was attained. Council Member Eckerson was excused.

Town Officials: Matt Hadden Council Member

Gary Sullivan Council Member

Jim Ussery Council President

Allen Minars Council Member

Alice McLane Mayor

Also present: Town Attorney Doug MacGibbon, Town Manager John Deal.

PBSO/PBCFR MONTHLY REPORT

* Deputy Schnell reported on progress with noise complaints; 10 calls were received by PBSO; she contacted road patrol and County park system and passed complaint on to her supervisor; she expressed displeasure that so many calls were made with no outcome; also reported one vehicle burglary in Glen Ridge—now in the hands of a detective. Council Member Hadden lodged a concern about cars speeding through Town.
* Chief Adams reported on a number of community events concerning Fire/Rescue; reported that F/R collected more than $105,000 toward the Muscular Dystrophy Fill the Boot campaign. Reported one medical call in GR.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

* Kevin Wellman
  + Reported flatbed truck in and out of 1275 Taylor.
  + Reported witnessing F/R respond to 1288 Glen Rd. on 10/23.
  + Inquired if Waste Management changed collection dates, as pickup has been late; they have not and Manager will investigate.
* Leila Rothe
  + Discussed proposal for roundabout and landscaping at the intersection of Gem Lake and Glen Rd.; she will send drawing to Manager for further investigation.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES 5 October 2022 (Hadden /Sullivan, M/S/C unanimously).

FINANCE REPORT – Filed report for September 2022 – End of FY 21-22

MAYOR’S REPORT- Reported considerable activity throughout the Town for Trick or Treat.

COUNCIL’S REPORT – Council Member Sullivan requested that Manager send a forceful letter to PBC Parks Dept regarding the noise issue with a copy to the appropriate County Commissioner.

ATTORNEY’S REPORT – None

CORRESPONDENCE – None

CLERK’S REPORT – See attached printed report

OLD BUSINESS

* Manager reminded Council of Election Qualifying Dates (11/22 to 12/13).
* Manager reported that PBC Ethics Audit was completed successfully.
* Minimal discussion of 75th anniversary picnic happening perhaps in January or February.

NEW BUSINESS

* Discussion of installation of street light to help light new parking lot; Council Member Sullivan will look into options.
* Manager reported that Code Violation at 1285 Churchill (Vlahos) will now go to Special Magistrate.
* Manager thanked Gary Eckerson for spraying invasive growth in duck pond.

ADJOURNMENT: 7:30 PM (Hadden /Minars, M/S/C unanimously).