Borough of Greencastle February 2023 Council Meeting Manager's Report

Administration

Task	Report	Timeline
	 Staff has submitted the initial required annual reporting for 2023 including the following: 	Completed January 2023
2023 Initial Annual Reporting	 DCED: Tax Information, Survey of Financial Condition, Elected & Appointed Officials 	
	- Liquid Fuels: Project Completion Reports, MS-965	
	- Pension Plans: Act 205, AG-385	

Budget & Finance

Task	Report	Timeline
Council Pay Ordinance	 Regulatory Statues: Borough Code – Chapter 43 Sections 2 & 4 Title 8 PA Cons. Statues – § 1001 E & F Total Impact = \$3,000/yr once fully implemented Change in salary is effective at the beginning of the next term of each member of Council Increase only impacts current Councilmembers if they run for and win another term of office 	Nov 2022– Council approved ordinance drafting Jan 2023 – Council approved advertising Feb 2023 – Council enacts ordinance as advertised
FY 2022 Audits	 Financial audit – Fieldwork will occur the week of February 21st with Boyer & Ritter to begin the financial audit for FY ending December 31, 2022 Workers Compensation & Liquid Fuels audits planned to be completed in Q1 2023 	Mar – financial audit fieldwork complete April – DCED-CLGS-30 August – DCED-CLGS-04

Community Outreach

Task	Report	Timeline
Updated Center Square Lighting	 New light fixture and pole chosen and ordered Total cost per light = \$3,000 Several local sponsors have already made contributions Borough staff coordinating installation with contractors Expenses and revenues included in 2023 budget 	Nov 2022 to 2023 – donations received Early 2023 – installation based on weather & contractor availability

Beautification Committee	 Council has noted a desire to re-establish a Beautification Committee comprised of community members This committee will assist in developing and pursing initiatives promoting the beautification of the Borough Several residents have volunteered to serve on this committee, staff will also contact more possible members 	Nov 2022 – Council discussed re- establishing committee Mar – potential first public meeting
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Economic Development

Name of Development	Zoning District	Proposed Use/Improvement	Status
Dollar General on N. Antrim Way	HC	 Subdivision of parcel 08- 2A00007000000 Land development plan for the construction of a Dollar General store 	 10/31/2022 – submitted plans Planning Commission reviewed at 11/14/2022 meeting Resubmitted plans will be reviewed at the February 13th Planning Commission meeting
Buchanan Flats	R-2	 10 multi-family structures 2 buildings with 48 units in Borough Total 288 units Proposed public road in Antrim Township allowing access to the development from Rt. 16 Agreements to establish: Traffic Signal Monitoring 10 year agreement to monitor and install signal if/when warranted Cemetery Access Easement Ensures unimpeded cemetery access Stormwater Operations and Maintenance (O&M) Confirms protection of water quality and BMP maintenance Developer's Agreement Outlines all offsite improvements including traffic calming measures 	 Concerns over the impact of this development on the level of service on I-81 Exit 5, may require reduction of units in development Waivers approved for preliminary plan including the location of the proposed connection of Moss Spring Avenue to Rt. 16 Planning Commission has recommended conditional preliminary plan approval Traffic calming measure estimate being conveyed to developer as a result of the survey responses provided by current Moss Spring community residents Time extension from Inch & Co extends deadline for action on the preliminary plan until March 7

Personnel

Task	Report	Timeline
Open Positions to be Filled	 The Borough is currently hiring for the following positions: Part-Time Receptionist Part-Time Borough Secretary Full-Time Public Works Laborer Part-Time Wastewater Treatment Operator Trainee 	Job descriptions available on Borough website Applications will be accepted until the positions are filled

Public Facilities

Task	Report	Timeline
	 Borough-wide GIS mapping efforts began in 2022 Budgeted \$25,000 in 2022 	June 2022 – Council approval to begin
GIS Mapping	 \$23,840.22 expensed to date Finalizing database and code enforcement module Data sharing agreement with Franklin County provides Borough access to County GIS information \$5,300 budgeted in 2023 to purchase tablets for implementation of the GIS program 	Aug 2022 to Mar 2023 – ARRO data collection & database building 2023 – implementation
N. Carlisle Street Rehabilitation Project	 The Borough has provided correspondence and notices offering options and timelines for project finalization Staff, legal and engineering involved with negotiations 	July 2022 to current – consistent correspondence
Other Upcoming Projects	 Stan, legal and engineering involved with negotiations 2021 CDBG – ADA Ramps Scope: install 20 ADA ramps Funding: \$110,000 Timeline: finalize by end of 2023 N. Washington Street Construction Scope: install sidewalks, curbs, base repair, and trees Funding: DCED & PennDOT multimodal grants submitted for \$300,386.38 Timeline: finalize by end of 2023 2022 CDBG – Walter Ave & Rt 11 Intersection Funding requested = \$224,153.00 Scope: install 4 new pedestrian crosswalk signals, 10 ADA ramps, and reconfigure crosswalk walkability Timeline: finalize by end of 2024 	

Stormwater and MS4	 On November 17, 2022, the workgroup established initiatives including increasing public awareness, prioritizing education and public outreach 	Feb 16, 2023 at 4pm – public MS4 workgroup meeting
	 The next meeting will include reviews on local projects and potential funding sources as well as focus on tasks for progress and involvement 	

Public Safety

Green Light Go Grant	 Staff submitted an application to PennDOT for a Green Light Go grant to replace outdated traffic controllers at all Borough intersections This project will improve traffic flow and appropriate traffic signaling to ensure public safety \$229,080.00 in funding requested with a 20% municipal match of \$ 57,270.00 if awarded 	Jan 31, 2023 – application submittal Jul 2023 – award notifications May 2026 – construction completion
Flashing Beacon Repairs at N. Linden Avenue	 Accident resulted in the total loss of the flashing beacon on the NW side of the Linden Ave and Rt. 16 intersection Insurance claim processed and full reimbursement has been received based on contractor quote Signal contractor ordered parts and will schedule repair 	Dec 2022 – accident Jan 2023 – insurance reimbursement Early 2023 – repair completed

Public Works Department Operational Updates

- Winter weather related responsibilities snow plowing/shoveling and ice removal
- After hours assistance for sewer blockage on Addison Street
- Organization of subdivision and land development plans at Borough office
- Numerous daily PA One calls processed
- Assisted with the removal of roots at the GAFCWA springhouse
- Coordination with Columbia Gas for gas main replacement projects
- Oversight of construction activities at the Sheetz development project
- Completed plumbing repairs and coordinated carpet cleaning at the Borough office

Sewer Department

Task	Report	Timeline
	 Drafted by William Hill and Borough staff 	Jun 2022 – legal review
Updated Sewer Ordinance	 More comprehensive; provides greater protection for the Borough and clearer specification of sewer regulations 	Feb/Mar 2023 – Council review & advertise
Chapter 155	Salzmann Hughes is currently reviewing the documentCouncil will review at an upcoming workshop meeting	Early 2023 – adopt ordinance

Sewer Department Operational Updates

- Assisted the Public Works department with sewer lateral replacement on Addison Street
- Fielded phone calls and showed sewer equipment to numerous potential bidders
- Participated in the public sealed bid opening for the sale of sewer equipment
- In house repairs made to water softener at the WWTP
- Prepared grease trap permits for issuance
- Worked on annual report for DEP to evaluate plant and collection system for adequacies to project future conditions and identify needs
- Use of sewer camera equipment in January included the following areas:
 - Addison Street inspect and identify location of sewer blockage
 - S. Carlisle Street inspect mainline, verify integrity of adjacent laterals during scheduled repairs
 - E. Baltimore Street ruled out a problem suspected by plumber
 - N. Washington Street assess lateral integrities
- Assisted Public Works and Water departments with the removal of roots at GAFCWA springhouse
- Oversaw the replacement of three sections of sewer main on S. Carlisle Street by T. Byers Excavating
 - Sewer line inspection work by Mr. Rehab had identified deficiencies severe enough to warrant digging and replacing the mainline in these areas.
- List of anticipated rehabilitation work to Mr. Rehab for pricing, work to be completed in 2023