Town of Moreland Minutes July 10, 2023

1. CALL TO ORDER / WELCOME VISITORS - David Dupree

2. INVOCATION and PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. ROLL CALL. QUORUM: Present-Alderman Jeff Burgess, George Cole, Lisa Washington, Mayor Dick Ford Absent: James Gipson

4. ADOPTION OF AGENDA- Alderman Cole made a motion to accept the agenda as written. **Alderman Burgess** second, all in favor.

5. APPROVE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS and COUNCIL MINUTES –Alderman Cole made a motion to accept the financial statements and minutes as written. Alderman Burgess second, all in favor.

6. MAYOR'S REPORT – **Mayor Ford** stated that he spoke with Henry Camp about the lease on the tennis courts. The land was leased in 1975 with the agreement the town would build two tennis courts within 18 months of the signed lease. The posts for the pickle ball court have been installed and the courts should be completed soon.

7. REPORTS AND COMMENTS FROM COUNCIL MEMBERS – Alderman Burgess stated that the county work on the downed tree on Couch St. The boardwalk has been repaired and is now back open.

8. NEW BUSINESS

A. SPLOST IGA- Alderman Burgess made a motion to have **Mayor Ford** sign the new SPLOST IGA. **Alderwoman Washington** second, all in favor. The money will be allocated over the five year period as follows: Streets & Sidewalks \$475,850.00, Mill \$ 125,000.00, Parks & Recreation \$75,000.00, Technology \$ 36,000.00, Sheriff's office support \$5000.00.

B. TRASH PICKUP IN PARK- Council decided the trash needs to be picked up in the park at least twice a week as needed.

C. PICNIC TABLES FOR PARK- Council decided to table until next month.

D. MUNICIPAL COURT- Council decided to table until next month.

9. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- A. **PAVILION- Alderman Cole** stated he received a quote for all the repairs to the pavilion from Multi-Property Services for \$10,720.00. **Alderman Cole** made a motion to proceed with the repairs to the pavilion as long as the repairs do not exceed \$10,000.00. **Alderwoman Washington** second, all in favor.
- B. **BOARDWALK- Alderman Burgess** stated that the rotten boards have been replaced as well as the all the rusted nails with screws. It will need to be pressure washed at some point and painted with no slip paint.

10. COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS-

11. ADJOURN- Alderman Burgess made a motion to adjourn. **Alderwoman Washington** second, all in favor.

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