

**Policy Committee Meeting
Tuesday, April 25, 2023
7:00 pm**

MINUTES

Committee: Chairman, Mr. Kirkner, Ms. Burckley, and Mr. Ewald

Staff: Ms. Getzfread and Mr. Boelker

- I. Call to Order at 7:00 pm – Ms. Burckley and Mr. Krack excused.
- II. Public Participation - None
- III. Presentations - None
- IV. Committee Member Updates/Discussions - None
- V. New Business

- A. Motion to recommend Borough Council schedule and advertise an Ordinance amending Chapter 10, Health and Safety, by adding a new Part 5 Plastics.

Committee members discussed many aspects of the proposed Ordinance including the enforcement, push back from retailers, potential fees, materials for approved bags and exemptions for organizations like PACS, 501c3, soup kitchens and the Hospital.

Mr. Ewald asked the committee and Staff to continue looking into this for the next meeting.

- B. Motion to recommend Borough Council schedule and advertise an Ordinance amending Chapter 15 – Motor Vehicles

Ms. Getzfread explained the Ordinance will add the new Church Street Parking Lot and cleans up some no parking and one-way issues on Heckle Street.

Motion to recommend approval by Mr. Ewald. Seconded by Mr. Kirkner.
Motion passed 2-0.

- C. Motion to recommend Borough Council schedule and advertise an Ordinance amending Chapter 1 Administration and Government, Part 4 Bureaus, Boards, Commissions and Agencies, A – Beautification Advisory Commission.

Ms. Getzfread explained this is to sunset the Beautification Advisory Commission. She stated the part will remain reserved should the Commission need to be reinstated.

Motion to recommend approval by Mr. Ewald. Seconded by Mr. Kirkner.
Motion passed 2-0.

VI. Current Focus Business

A. Discussion regarding HARB/Sign review and approval. – No Action to Report.

B. Enforcement of bans on reproductive health services. – No Action to Report.

VII Adjournment at 7:28 pm by Mr. Ewald.

Next Meeting Date: Tuesday, May 23, 2023 at 7:00 pm.