

Special Meeting of the Westfield Borough Council  
For General Purposes  
June 27, 2023

COUNCIL PRESENT: Denis Landry, Elizabeth Rowland, Kristen Zaidi, Roger Watkins, JeanAnn Tubbs, and Constance Cummings

COUNCIL ABSENT: Roger McCullen

OTHERS PRESENT: James Streeter, Theresa McCullen, and D. Renee Verbjar (Verbjar arrived at 7:12 p.m.)

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Council President Denis Landry. The pledge of allegiance was said. A roll call was taken, and Roger McCullen was absent.

**Visitors – Agenda Items**

James Streeter questioned Council about the police cadet and clarified that he cannot be hired until he passes the training, which is correct.

**Personnel**

Motion was made by Elizabeth Rowland and seconded by Roger Watkins to approve a contract between the Borough and Kyle Mack which includes a \$7,000 lump sum payout to Mr. Mack for expenses incurred while attending the police academy. These expenses include tuition, living expenses, etc. Mr. Mack is required to submit an accounting of how he is using the money (receipts, etc.). It was noted that this is not a wage, and Mr. Mack has not yet been hired as an employee. Mr. Mack is required to pay back the \$7,000 if he does not complete the course. Those in favor were Cummings, Rowland, Tubbs, Watkins, Zaidi, and Landry. The motion was carried.

**Visitors**

Mr. Streeter noted that on the agenda Christopher Kaufman , the new superintendent of the school district, was supposed to be in attendance. It was noted that he will be attending the regular meeting in August.

**Other Business**

- Dangerous Structures Ordinance

Constance Cummings has been working on additions to Ordinance 114 pertaining to dangerous structures. She has copied her suggestions for everyone with the proposed revisions in bold.

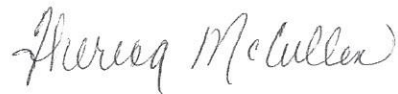
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**Adjournment**

D. Renee Verbjar arrived at the meeting at 7:12 p.m. just as Council was adjourning the meeting. She would like to be on the agenda for the next Council meeting.

Motion to adjourn was made by Elizabeth Rowland and seconded by Kristen Zaidi. All were in favor; the motion was carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:12 p.m.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Theresa McCullen".

Theresa McCullen  
Assistant Secretary