

January 3, 2022

**HARMONY BOROUGH  
REORGANIZATION COUNCIL MEETING  
January 3, 2022**

**COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Greg Such

Phyllis Metz

Frank Luek

Dave Szakelyhidi

Joe Dippold

Don Sims

Jason Sarver - virtually

Mayor Cathy Rape

**OTHERS PRESENT:**

Frank Grannon

Ann John, Tax Collector

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**CALL TO ORDER:**

A quorum was reached and the meeting was called to order at 6:30 pm by the 2021 Council President, Greg Such. This meeting was held in-person and remotely through Zoom virtual meeting.

**PLEDGE OF ALLIGANCE:**

**SWEARING IN OF NEWLY ELECTED OFFICIALS:**

Mayor Cathy Rape swore in Joe Dippold, Don Sims and Greg Such as Council Members and Ann John as Tax Collector.

The meeting was turned over to Mayor Cathy Rape.

**NOMINATION FOR COUNCIL PRESIDENT:**

Mayor Rape asked for nominations for President. Frank Luek nominated Greg Such for Council President. The Harmony Borough Council unanimously approved Greg Such for Council President.

**NOMINATION FOR COUNCIL VICE PRESIDENT:**

Mayor Rape asked for nominations for Vice President. Greg Such nominated Don Sims for Council Vice President. The Harmony Borough Council unanimously approved Don Sims for Council Vice President.

**NOMINATION FOR PRO-TEM:**

Mayor Rape asked for nominations for Pro-Tem. Don Sims nominated Dave Szakelyhidi for Council Pro-Tem. The Harmony Borough Council unanimously approved Dave Szakelyhidi for Council Pro-Tem.

The meeting was turned over to President Greg Such.

**APPOINTMENTS:**

**Solicitor:** Racunas Law Group, LLC

In a motion made by Dave Szakelyhidi and seconded by Jason Sarver, the Harmony Borough Council unanimously approved Racunas Law Group, LLC as Borough Solicitor.

**Engineer:** Tom Thompson of Gannett Fleming

In a motion made by Dave Szakelyhidi and seconded by Frank Luek, the Harmony Borough Council unanimously approved Tom Thompson of Gannett Fleming as Borough Engineer.

**Authorized Check Signers:** Council President Greg Such, Dave Szakelyhidi, Amy Brown and Cathy Funkhouser.

In a motion made by Don Sims and seconded by Phyllis Metz, the Harmony Borough Council unanimously approved the authorized check signers.

**Auditor:** Maher Duessel

In a motion made by Don Sims and seconded by Frank Luek, the Harmony Borough Council unanimously approved Maher Duessel as the Borough Auditor.

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**APPOINTMENTS CONT.:**

**Secretary/Treasurer:** Amy Brown

In a motion made by Phyllis Metz and seconded by Don Sims, the Harmony Borough Council unanimously approved Amy Brown as the Borough Secretary/Treasurer.

**Code Enforcement Officer:** Allen Bayer

In a motion made by Don Sims and seconded by Dave Szakelyhidi, the Harmony Borough Council unanimously approved Allen Bayer as the Borough Code Enforcement Officer.

**Depositor:** Nextier Bank

In a motion made by Don Sims and seconded by Phyllis Metz, the Harmony Borough Council unanimously approved Nextier Bank as the Borough Depositor.

**Planning Commission:** Frank Luek

In a motion made by Don Sims and seconded by Phyllis Metz, the Harmony Borough Council unanimously approved Frank Luek for a 4-year term on the Planning Commission Board.

**Zoning Hearing Board:** Jim John and Neal Nanna (Alternate)

In a motion made by Don Sims and seconded by Phyllis Metz, the Harmony Borough Council unanimously approved Jim John and Neal Nanna as Alternate for a 3-year term on the Zoning Hearing Board.

**Public Library Board:** Kathy Luek

In a motion made by Don Sims and seconded by Frank Luek, the Harmony Borough Council unanimously approved Kathy Luek for a 4-year term on the Public Library Board.

**Water Authority Board:** Nick Hewlett

In a motion made by Don Sims and seconded by Dave Szakelyhidi, the Harmony Borough Council unanimously approved Nick Hewlett for a 5-year term on the Water Authority Board.

**Building Inspector:** Tom McCosby of TW McCosby LLC

In a motion made by Frank Luek and seconded by Dave Szakelyhidi, the Harmony Borough Council unanimously approved Tom McCosby of TW McCosby LLC as the Borough Building Inspector.

**Adjourned: 6:40pm**

As there was no further business to discuss, the Harmony Borough Council adjourned the January 3, 2022 Reorganization meeting at 6:40 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,



Amy Brown, Recording Secretary