

**TOWNSHIP OF O’HARA**  
**COUNCIL VIRTUAL REGULAR MEETING**  
**MARCH 9, 2021**  
**7:00 P.M.**  
**AGENDA**

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Join Zoom Meeting

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I. Opening Procedures

- A. Call to Order
- B. Pledge of Allegiance
- C. Roll Call

II. Approval of Minutes

- A. Council Workshop – February 2, 2021
- B. Council Regular Meeting – February 9, 2021

A motion will be needed to approve the subject Minutes, followed by a second to the motion and a **voice vote**.

III. Finance

- A. Vouchers – February 2021

A motion will be needed to approve the subject Vouchers, followed by a second to the motion and a **voice vote**.

- B. Receipts and Expenditures Records – January 2021

A motion will be needed to approve the subject Receipts and Expenditures Records, followed by a second to the motion and a **voice vote**.

- C. Treasurer’s Report

Ted Curran, Township Treasurer, will give a brief report concerning the status of the Township’s finances.

#### IV. Reports

##### A. Other Organizations and Agencies Reports

Individual Council members may have reports for the rest of Council and audience concerning certain organizations and agencies (North Hills COG, etc.).

##### B. Monthly Department Reports

Council may have questions or comments concerning the written monthly reports at this time.

##### C. Township Manager's Report

Council may have questions or comments concerning the Manager's written monthly report at this time, or the Manager may have additional information to report.

#### V. Old Business

##### A. Ordinances – Second Reading and Adoption

- (1) B-6-2021: Relocating the Stop Sign on Parkview Boulevard at Kirkwood Drive

Township Engineer Chuck Steinert, Jr., P.E. reviewed traffic at the intersection of Parkview Boulevard at Kirkwood Drive and is recommending relocating the stop sign from Parkview Boulevard to Kirkwood Drive, on the southbound approach with Parkview Boulevard. The existing Stop sign is positioned nearly 70 feet beyond the intersection, and traffic on Kirkwood Drive travels at a higher rate of speed. Relocating the Stop sign will create a safer intersection for motorists and pedestrians.

- (2) B-7-2021: Replacing the Yield Sign on Weir Drive at Oakhurst Road with a Stop Sign

Staff has been verifying authorized traffic signs by ordinance in connection with the Codification of Ordinances project. It was realized the YIELD sign, authorized by Ordinance No. 848 does not exist on Weir Drive at Oakhurst Road. Upon further investigation, staff is recommending a STOP sign on Weir Drive at Oakhurst Road instead of a YIELD sign.

#### VI. New Business

##### A. Resolutions

- (1) B-19-2021: Authorizing the Purchase of Police Vehicles

Police Superintendent Scott Slagel is requesting authorization to purchase one 2021 Ford police interceptor Utility AWD and one 2021 Ford F150 4x4 Responder from Laurel Ford through the SHACOG Purchasing Alliance Program. The cost of the two vehicles is

\$68,945, less trade in values of one (2019) Ford Police Interceptor SUV in the amount of \$14,000, and one 2014 Dodge Charger in the amount of \$4,000, for a total cost of \$50,945 for the two new vehicles, plus the cost of new equipment needed for the vehicles. The 2021 budgeted allocation for the vehicles is \$92,000.

- (2) B-20-2021: Authorizing the Execution of a Municipal Police Cooperative Agreement

Police officials from several area municipalities have recommended entering into an agreement to continue participating in the North Hills DUI Task Force, provide resources, and improve the ability to enforce DUI laws. Police Superintendent Slagel is requesting authorization to execute the Agreement.

- (3) B-21-2021: Authorizing the Purchase of Public Service Department Equipment

Public Service Superintendent Loren Kephart is requesting authorization to purchase one 2021 Ford F-250 4x4 Super Cab Pickup Truck and one 2021 Ford F-250 Regular Cab 4x4 Pickup Truck with the snow plow package from Laurel Ford of Windber, PA through CoStars Contract No. 025-043. The cost of the new Super Cab Pickup Truck is \$34,750, less the trade in value of \$18,000 for the 2015 F-250 Utility Truck, for a total purchase price of \$16,750. The cost of the Regular Cab 4x4 Pickup Truck with snow plow package is \$35,895. The 2021 budgeted allocation for Public Service Department equipment is \$71,000.

- (4) B-22-2021: Authorizing the Advertising of a Request for Proposals for a Long Range Comprehensive Plan Consultant

Representatives of the Joint Long Range Comprehensive Plan Review Committee presented a proposed Request for Proposals for a Plan Consultant at the March 2<sup>nd</sup> Council Workshop. The proposed resolution authorizes the advertisement to receive proposals.

VII. Communication

- A. Citizens
- B. Council
- C. Staff

VIII. Adjournment

IX. Executive Session – Labor and Legal Matters