

**Albion Borough  
Council Meeting  
January 27, 2022**

**PRESENT** President Jason Harayda, Vice President Jim Vorse, Brett Hall, Donald Bambarger, Jacqueline Ksenich, Scott Seaton, Borough Mayor Will Rogers, Manager Gary Wells.  
Absent:

**CALL TO ORDER** 6:30pm

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**Approve  
01/27/22  
Agenda** **J. Ksenich:** motion to approve 01/27/22 agenda  
**D. Bambarger:** second motion  
**Vote:** All in favor. Motion passed

**Letters of  
Interest for  
Council Seat** Rebecca Marshall  
Laurie Vorse  
Raleigh Gilkinson

**Nomination of  
Candidate** **Candidate:** Rebecca Marshall  
**Nominated by:** Scott Seaton

**Nomination of  
Candidate** **Candidate:** Laurie Vorse  
**Nominated by:** Jim Vorse

**Nomination of  
Candidate** **Candidate:** Raleigh Gilkinson  
**Nominated by:** Jacqueline Ksenich

**Motion to  
Appoint  
Candidate** **Candidate:** Rebecca Marshall  
**Roll Call Vote:** S. Seaton, Yes; J. Ksenich, No; B. Hall, No; D. Bambarger, No; J. Vorse, No; J. Harayda, No. 1-4, Motion does not pass

**Motion to  
Appoint  
Candidate** **Candidate:** Laurie Vorse  
**Roll Call Vote:** S. Seaton, Yes; J. Ksenich, No; B. Hall, No; D. Bambarger, No; J. Vorse, No; J. Harayda, No. 1-4, Motion does not pass

**Motion to  
Appoint  
Candidate** **Candidate:** Raleigh Gilkinson  
**Roll Call Vote:** S. Seaton, No; J. Ksenich, Yes; B. Hall, Yes; D. Bambarger, Yes; J. Vorse, No; J. Harayda, Yes. 3-2, Motion passed

**Oath of Office** Oath of Office given to Raleigh Gilkinson by Mayor Rogers

**Letters of  
Interest for  
Zoning Board** Pete Rotko

<b>Motion to Approve Zoning Board Alternate</b>	<b>D. Bambarger:</b> motion to approve Pete Rotko as Zoning Board Alternate <b>B. Hall:</b> second motion <b>Vote:</b> All in favor. Motion passed
<b>Approve of Minutes 01/13/22</b>	<b>J. Ksenich:</b> motion to approve Council Meeting minutes 01/13/22 <b>J. Vorse:</b> second motion <b>Vote:</b> All in favor. Motion passed
<b>Approve Purchase Order</b>	<b>B. Hall:</b> motion to approve purchase order listing dated January 27, 2022 for a total of three hundred seventeen thousand five hundred sixty-six dollars and twenty cents (\$317,566.20). <b>J. Ksenich:</b> second motion <b>Vote:</b> All in favor. Motion passed
<b>Public Comment</b>	<b>Laurie Vorse, 236 East Pearl Street:</b> I want to thank the Borough crew for a great job handling all the snow. We do need to remind the citizens about keeping their sidewalks cleaned.
<b>Cares Program</b>	Country Fair Cares Program will have a charity pump for the Albion Area Library
<b>Consultant Interviews</b>	Consultant Nicholas Sohyda will be conducting interviews with Elected Officials, Managers, and AVFD February 12 <sup>th</sup> thru the 13 <sup>th</sup> .
<b>Senator Laughlin</b>	Senator Dan Laughlin is scheduled to hold a Pop-Up Office in Albion February 9, 2022 and May 11, 2022. This will be open to the public
<b>PSAB</b>	PSAM Annual Conference is May 22-25, 2022 at the Hershey Lodge
<b>Snowplowing</b>	Snowplowing in Albion and Cranesville have received many thanks for a job well done, and a few complaints. There was a resident questioning why the sidewalks on West State Street are not being plowed like East State Street.
<b>Motion to Award Centrifuge Bid</b>	<b>J. Vorse:</b> motion to award Chivers Construction bid of \$674,600.00 for the WWTP centrifuge. <b>D. Bambarger:</b> second motion <b>Vote:</b> All in favor. Motion passed
<b>Circus</b>	Kathy Ross spoke with an interested circus about coming to Albion during in our July celebration. After reviewing the information, they require a \$15,000.00 minimum in ticket sales. If that minimum is not met then we would be responsible for paying the difference. The ticket prices were very high as well.
<b>Raccoon Refuse</b>	The contract with Raccoon Refuse is scheduled to expire 12/03/2022. Would like to go out for bids sooner rather than later so we are better able to get the best prices for the residents as possible.
<b>Rabell LSSE</b>	Drafting RFP for Phase 1 at the Albion Area Library

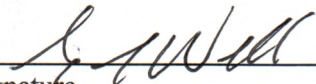
**Motion  
Meeting  
Recordings**

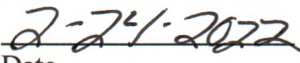
**J. Vorse:** motion to dispose of meeting recordings after the minutes have been approved by Council.  
**D. Bambarger:** second motion  
**Vote:** All in favor. Motion passed

**Adjourn  
Meeting**

Motion made by **J. Vorse** seconded by **S. Seaton** to adjourn the meeting at 7:34pm. All in favor.  
Motion carried.

Minutes submitted by Angela Telega

  
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Signature

  
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Date

