WORKSHOP MEETING WALKERTOWN TOWN COUNCIL THURSDAY – MARCH 11, 2021 6:00 P.M. – Virtual Meeting via Zoom

Present: Mayor Davis, Council members Vernon Brown, Wesley Hutchins, Peggy Leight and Marilyn Martin, Town Manager Scott Snow and Town Clerk Rusty Sawyer.

Mayor Davis calls the meeting to order at 6:00 pm and opens with a prayer.

Doc: Any additions to the agenda? NO.

I have two additions. #4 Senior Services Proclamation and #5 In Person Meetings.

Action Items for the March 11th, 2021 Meeting

1. Proclamation: Week of the Young Child

Doc: The *Week of the Young Child* Steering Committee would like to extend the opportunity for you to sign a proclamation declaring April 12 – 16 as the *Week of the Young Child* on behalf of the Town of Walkertown.

MOTION: TO APPROVE A PROCLAMATION DECLARING APRIL 12 - 16

AS THE WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD.

BY: PEGGY LEIGHT SECOND: MARILYN MARTIN

VOTE: UNANIMOUS BY ROLL CALL VOTE

(BROWN, HUTCHINS, LEIGHT, MARTIN)

Walkertown Volunteer Fire Department Meeting Briefing

Scott, Peggy and Vernon attended the meeting with the Walkertown Volunteer Fire Department and they led the briefing.

3. Preliminary Budget Discussion

Scott: We received the March 1st 2021 Property Tax Estimate of \$1,221,088.00 (.20 tax / 99% collection rate).

The revenue Neutral Rate = .16.

Potential COVID Relief Funds Allocation: \$1.5 Million

Peggy: Let's continue to base our budget on funds we can count on.

4. Senior Services Proclamation

Doc: Senior Services has asked the town to make March the National Nutrition Month to support the Meals on Wheels programs.

The Town Council is in unanimous agreement to make March the National Nutrition Month to support the Meals on Wheels programs.

5. When to Meet In Person

Scott: The Planning Board meeting April 6th will be outdoors in Town Center Park for WA-065, a Special Use rezoning from RS20 to GB-S.

Peggy: I'm fine with meeting outdoors.

Doc: Most of us have had 2 shots.

No decision was made.

MOTION: TO ADJOURN WORKSHOP MEETING @ 6:53

BY: MARILYN MARTIN SECOND: PEGGY LEIGHT VOTE: UNANIMOUS

(BROWN, HUTCHINS, LEIGHT, MARTIN)

Submitted by: Rusty Sawyer Town Clerk