

BUDGET MINUTES
Bloomfield Borough Council
September 27, 2022

Bloomfield Borough Council met this evening in the Bloomfield Borough Council Chambers in special session for the purpose of budget and any other business that may come before Council with the following Council members present: President Malinda C. Anderson, Vice President J. Kevin Fitzpatrick, Brenten S. Dum, Karl L. Cless, Jessica L. Grindle and John J. Patterson V.

Also present: Borough Secretary Danielle Shope, Assistant Secretary Susanne Woolever, Borough Employees Damon Hartman, and Becky Smiley.

President Anderson called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

Recording of the Meeting – President Anderson reported that except for the budget discussion, the meeting is being recorded for the accuracy of the minutes.

2023 Budget - Council spent the evening comparing figures, determining projects that will be completed in 2023 and adding/deleting classifications as needed.

Borough Building Fund

Councilman Cless made a motion, seconded by Vice President Fitzpatrick, to apply for an Amazon business account. Motion carried.

Sewer Fund

Vice President Fitzpatrick made a motion, seconded by Councilman Cless, to increase the sewer rates by \$5.00 a quarter starting in the 1st quarter 2023. Motion carried.

General Fund

Vice President Fitzpatrick made a motion, seconded by Councilwoman Grindle, to combine the Borough Enforcement Office position and the Zoning Officer position into one position, with the new hourly rate to be determined. Motion carried.

There being no further business, upon motion by Councilwoman Grindle, seconded by Councilman Dum, the budget meeting adjourned at 8:32 p.m. to meet on Tuesday, October 4, 2021 for the regularly scheduled meeting. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Danielle L. Shope, Secretary