

JOHNSTOWN CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
Wednesday, February 17, 2021

City Council met virtually in a stated session for the general transaction of business.
Deputy Mayor Marie Mock called the meeting to order at 4:31 p.m.

Reverend King offered the invocation. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

The following members of Council were present for roll call:

Mr. Arnone, Mr. Britt, Mr. Capriotti, Reverend King, Mrs. Mock, Mr. Vitovich (6).
Absent: Mayor Janakovic (1).

Elizabeth Benjamin, Esquire, City Solicitor; John Trant, Interim City Manager; Bruce Graham, Gibson-Thomas Engineering, were also present.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

Resolution No. 10407

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOHNSTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA, ADOPTING AND AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION FOR ITS APPROVAL CERTAIN REVISIONS TO THE OFFICIAL SEWAGE FACILITIES PLAN OF THE CITY OF JOHNSTOWN AND FURTHER ASSURING COMPLETE AND TIMELY IMPLEMENTATION OF SAID PLAN.

Mr. Arnone made a motion to approve. Mr. Vitovich seconded the motion.

Bruce Graham, Gibson-Thomas Engineering explained that DEP requires this resolution of the City with regard to enactment of the Act 537 Plan to DEP. They officially reviewed the resolution and sent a letter requesting six stipulated changes, which were made. He noted the Act 537 Plan was complete with this resolution and could be sent back to DEP for final review. The resolution would then be advertised in the Pennsylvania Bulletin. DEP will then issue a letter stating that the Act 537 was complete and accepted. At which point, all liabilities that the City was facing for the sewage would be turned over to Greater Johnstown and PennVEST loans at closing on March 28, 2021. Mr. Graham stated, at that time, the City would be out of the sewage collection business.

The motion passed by the following vote:

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Yeas: Mr. Arnone, Mr. Britt, Mr. Capriotti, Reverend King, Mrs. Mock,
Mr. Vitovich (6).

Nays: None (0).

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting concluded at 4:38 p.m.