



BOROUGH OF YEADON  
DELAWARE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA  
BOROUGH COUNCIL LEGISLATIVE MEETING MINUTES  
JULY 20, 2023

Meeting began.

I. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

II. ROLL CALL

Rohan K. Hepkins, Mayor	Present
Learin Johnson, President	Present
Sharon Council-Harris, Vice President	Present via telecommunication
Nicole Beaty	Present
Carlette Brooks	Absent
Tomeka (Taliah) Jones-Waters	Present
LaToya Monroe	Present
Liana Roadcloud	Present
Isaac Dotson, Manager	Present
Chris Boggs, Solicitor	Present
Yolonda Hughes, Tax Collector	Absent
Joseph Viscuso, Engineer	Present
Nafis Nichols, Finance Director	Present

III. SWEARING IN CEREMONY FOR POLICE OFFICERS

1. Danielle PettyJohn hired to the Yeadon Police Department.
2. Justin O'Donnell hired to the Yeadon Police Department.
3. Dalton Menasion hired to the Yeadon Police Department.
4. Nicholas Tokonitz promoted to Sergeant of the Yeadon Police Department.

IV. CITIZEN'S FORUM (agenda items only – comments limited to 3 minutes)

1. Ms. Liz A. is requesting the shade tree committee be formed. She also made mention of an event held at Community Park by Councilor Jones-Waters and feels this was not a community event but a family reunion.
2. Ms. Anna stated she was pleased with regard to public safety that the new police officers were hired. She also had concerns regarding the A/P with attention to the amount of money being spent on engineering services and now the new webmaster. She also had concerns about the vote from the last meeting about the change from Vice President to President.
3. Ms. Clara Johnson had concerns regarding the event that was held by Councilor Jones-Waters. She also had questions regarding hiring and firing.

4. Roy Lewis stated he was there as a representative from the YEAA, and they're requesting funding from the Borough to benefit the children of Yeadon.

\*Vice President Council-Harris no longer present at meeting\*

Motion to amend the agenda to move the vote for the funding of the YEAA to after Citizens Forum.

Moved By: Councilor Monroe

Seconded By: Councilor Roadcloud

Motion Passed: 4 – 1, President Johnson opposed.

5. Maleata Ragin stated she was the president of the home and school at Penn Wood High School that covers the 9th-grade academy on Cypress, also the Green Ave campus, and she came requesting support for a pilot prevention program. She asked that Council research this program and requested them to send letters of support to the school district.

## V. NEW BUSINESS

1. Motion to increase the amount of the YEAA donation from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

Moved By: Councilor Monroe

Seconded By: Councilor Beaty

Motion to amend the previous motion of increasing the YEAA donation to a motion to raise and allot a \$10,000 donation to the YEAA.

Moved By: Councilor Monroe

Seconded By: Councilor Beaty

Motion Passed: 4 – 1, President Johnson opposed.

2. Motion to remove Sharon Council-Harris as Vice President of Yeadon Borough Council.

Moved By: Councilor Monroe

Seconded By: Councilor Beaty

No vote was taken due to lack of quorum.

## VI. ADJOURNMENT

1. Meeting adjourned due to lack of quorum.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by the Borough Secretary.