## Mt. Holly Springs Borough Council Meeting Minutes-April 10, 2023

**Call to Order** – Mr. Collins called the April 10, 2023, meeting of the Borough Council to order at 7:00 p.m.

**Attendance**– The following members of the Borough Council were present; James Collins II, Sherry Boyles, Gay Bowman, Lois Stoner, Debra Halpin-Brophy, Cindy Goshorn. Cathy Neff was absent. Also present, Mayor, Dr. Brian Robertson and Borough Manager, Thomas Day and Secretary/Treasurer, Nanette Dusharm.

**Pledge of Allegiance –** Jim Collins II led the Pledge of Allegiance

**Approval of Minutes -** The minutes of the Borough Committee meeting on March 30, 2023, were approved as presented. The motion was made by Mrs. Brophy and seconded by Mrs. Boyles. The motion passed unanimously

**Approval of March 2023 Bill List and Payment** - Approval and payment of the bills for February as presented. Motion was made Mrs. Stoner and seconded by Mrs. Goshorn. The motion passed unanimously.

**Public Comment** – Magdelini Drivis of 2670 Spring Road, Carlisle, PA, a teacher of Mount Holly Springs Elementary presented council about having a little free library that would represent students from the Mount Holly Springs Elementary. She had brought letters from three students. Alexandra, one of her students was present and read one of the letters to council. They are asking if it would be possible to have a small wooden library to be placed somewhere in the Borough in a secure area. Borough Manager Tom Day offered to supply materials and help construct the library box if they need assistance.

**Mayor's Report** - Mayor Robertson reported that we had 47 traffic citations for the month and 22 parking tickets. Mayor Robertson stated that he would like to read the proclamation into record:

PROCLAMATION IN HONOR OF MT. HOLLY SPRINGS SESQUICENTENNIAL

Whereas: Let it be known, that 150 years ago, on April 10, 1873, the village of Mt. Holly Springs was incorporated as the Borough of Mount Holly Springs.

Whereas: This incorporation was enacted through the authority vested in the Senate and The House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Whereas: The community authority rested on the charter of April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1851, in which 94 Acts of Governance was established.

Whereas: The Act of incorporation also established the boundaries of this Borough with the township of South Middleton, Cumberland County.

Whereas: This included over 1000 acres on both sides of Mountain Creek, to include the Holly gap and the Springs from which its name is derived.

Whereas: Having been blessed with bountiful clean water, fresh air and many resources, both industry and recreation have flourished in and around the Borough. Therefore: Be it resolved that I, Dr. Brian Robertson, as Mayor of the Borough of Mt. Holly Springs, along with the approval of the Borough Council of Mt. Holly Springs, do hereby proclaim that the rest of this year, 2023, be a celebration of the Borough's heritage and accomplishments, hereafter known as the Mt. Holly Springs Sesquicentennial.

**Borough Manager's Report** – Borough Manager Tom Day informed council that we had received the bid results from the COG for materials and the lowest bidder on most everything is York Building Supply. A motion from Ms. Bowman was made to accept the bid results from the COG for York Building Supply for the materials listed and the motion was seconded by Mrs. Goshorn. All council members are in favor. Borough Manager Tom Day informed council that the public works crew have been working up at Trine Park installing the light poles around the volleyball, basketball and pickleball courts. They are pouring the concrete tomorrow and hope to have everything complete by the end of the week.

**Planning & Zoning Report** – nothing to report

**Solicitor's Report** – nothing to report.

**Committee Reports** – nothing to report.

Chairman Collins said there would be an executive session with no action to be taken after the meeting.

**Any Other Business to Come Before Council:** There was no other business to be brought before council.

**Adjourn** – Ms. Goshorn made a motion to adjourn that was seconded by Mrs. Brophy. The motion passed unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Nanette Dusharm Borough Secretary/Treasurer