

September 1, 2021
Kutztown, PA

A Special meeting of the Kutztown Borough Council was called to order at 7:30 p.m. in the Kutztown Train Station by the President, Mr. Kevin Snyder, with other members of Borough Council present: Mr. Edwin Seyler, Mr. Derek Mace, Ms. Arabel Elliott, Ms. Lisa Ladd-Kidder, Mr. George Kusterer and the Mayor, Mr. James Schlegel. Mr. Keith Mooney, Borough Solicitor; Mr. Gabriel Khalife, Borough Manager/Treasurer; Maxatawny Township residents Steve Wilson, Robert Grim, Jeri Wehr, Steve Wehr, Brenda Winkler, Herm Winkler, Anne Franke and Ken Franke were also present.

President Snyder moved to recess Council into Executive Session to review legal matters at 7:31 p.m. The Executive Session ended, and the meeting reconvened at 8:02 p.m.

A motion was made by Ms. Kidder, seconded by Mr. Seyler, Resolved, To authorize the Borough Solicitor to intervene in the land use appeal of R. Grim et. al. vs. Maxatawny Township Board of Supervisors and join in the Brief and argument of the Appellants. Passed by unanimous vote.

President Snyder opened the floor for public comment.

Mr. Grim noted that he was born and raised in Kutztown and is the leading plaintiff in the appeal regarding the land development in Maxatawny Township and the development will have a negative effect on the overall quality of life for the Borough and the region and the Kutztown Borough water supply. The 'argument' is scheduled for September 16, 2021, and he is looking forward to working with Mr. Mooney on this matter.

A motion was made by Mr. Mace, seconded by Mr. Seyler, To adjourn the Council meeting upon vote. Passed by unanimous vote. The meeting ended at 8:07 p.m.

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Attested by:

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