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Marietta Boro Council raises zoning hearing fee

Marietta Borough Council amended its zoning and housing ordinances at the regular May session last week.

The fee for a regular zoning hearing was raised to \$40.

A two-hour fire retardant wall is now required for all new commercial or industrial structures for multiple units within the borough. This new amendment will be enforced by the housing inspector in cooperation with the zoning officer.

The Marietta Jaycees were granted the use of certain streets to sponsor 2 and 5 mile footraces on July 5 during the 4th of July "Stay at Home" celebration. The borough will assume no liability or responsibility for this project.

Bids to be opened at the June meeting will be prepared by the borough engineer, Alan Lake, for street construction of Bridge St., repaving of Gay St., and overlay of Chestnut St.

The solicitor was instructed to prepare an amendment updating the boro's dog ordinance.

Judy Bass, housing inspector, reported that all rental units will be inspected by June 9. One hundred and ninety-eight of 311 units have been inspected so far, and 17 property owners have been found to be in violation of the code.

Owners of rental units who have not requested inspection will be prosecuted.

The second installment of the Redevelopment Authority's request for \$66,444, for the borough's storm sewer

drainage project, has been forwarded.

Council also adopted the revised personnel plan for borough employees, which includes ten holidays and one floating holiday, and a mileage reimbursement for policemen who use private cars to travel to and from courtroom appearances.

Council also accepted the insurance package offered by Paul Murray Associates, Lancaster.

Council agreed to pay \$5,147 for repairing Mulberry Street, if that will do the job; this amount is higher than the original contract price.

The zoning officer reported that permits were granted to Donald Miller, Sr. (to build a garage) and John Carruthers (to convert a residence to four apartment units).

Other permits were granted for:

—complete restoration at 250 W. Walnut St.

—a patio at 360 E. Market St.

—a new roof at 142 W. Front St.

—and additional three trailers for a plot at Hazel and Decatur Streets, bringing the total to 4.

Seven fires were reported for the month, with \$11,500 damage to property, and \$63,000 in property saved. Three hundred and fifty feet of 1½ inch hose will be obtained by the fire company.

Council voted a \$350 contribution to the Marietta Recreation Association, sponsors of the supervised summer playground activity at Marietta Memorial Park.

Mayor J. Robert Flanagan read a letter of commendation from the Pioneer Fire Company complimenting the police department for their cooperation in connection with recent burglaries, and another letter from Ken Fortney commending the police on action taken in response to a complaint.

The sale of the former police cruiser will be negotiated as soon as the equipment has been removed.

A stop sign will be erected at the corner of Apple Alley and James Street.



This little boy just participated in a pie eating contest held at the Riverview Elementary School last week. The results of the contest are written all over his face. For more photographs on the contest see page 5.

Memorial Day events planned for Maytown

Rev. F. R. Wiest, Pastor of the First Church of God, Greenvillage, Pa., will present the Memorial Day Address for the annual Maytown Memorial Day Services on Monday, May 26, at 5 p.m. Rain date is Saturday, May 31, at 2 p.m.

Ceremonies will be held at three locations: Reformed Cemetery, Union Cemetery, and the square. At the square, musical selections will be presented by Harmonic Reflections (a quartet composed of Scott Sener, Bob Schellhamer,

Jerry Roland, and Mark Branstetter) and the Bainbridge Band.

Rev. Robert Lescallete, Pastor of the St. John's Lutheran Church, Maytown, will offer the invocation. The Rev. Edgar H. Steedle, pastor of the Reformed Church, will repeat the benediction prayer.

John H. Drace will serve as chief marshal of Donegal Post #809, of which he is past commander. Hiram J. Mayers, former chief custodian of the former Maytown

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Annual Anything Goes in Mount Joy, Sat.

The Mount Joy Jaycee's fourth annual Anything Goes will be held Saturday, May 24, at 6:00 pm at the Mount Joy Borough Park.

Pitted against one another in events of skill and dexterity will be groups from AMP, NCR, the Florin

Fire Company and the Mount Joy Friendship Fire Company No. 1.

The master of ceremonies for the event will be Stan Tucker.

All are invited to come out and cheer their favorite group on to victory.

Donegal school board approves prelim. budget

The Donegal School Board adopted the preliminary 1980-81 budget at its Thursday, May 15, meeting. No tax increases will be necessary to finance the \$5,117,865 budget.

The final budget must be adopted at the June 19 board meeting. It will be available for public inspection in the district office, Market Avenue, Mount Joy, for 30 days.

The budget is 4.1% higher than last year's \$4,917,790 figure due primarily to a 24% increase in transportation and a 16.7% increase for fuel.

The various expenditures are as follows (percentage increase appears in parenthesis): Administration, 209,250 (4.6); Instruction, 2,659,656 (5.5); Pupil Personnel, 83,735 (18.1); Health Services, 51,065 (6.8); Transportation 231,725 (24); Operation & Maintenance, 797,200 (16.7); Fixed Charges, 491,770 (13.1); Extra Curricular, 84,500 (15); Community Service, 7,508(54.8); Capital Outlay, 36,237 (decrease 35.4); Debt Services, 130,972 (down 5); inter-system, 232,347 (down 6.2); and Reserve, 25,000 (down 87.7%). Liability Accounts are 76,900.

Revenue from local sources is broken down in the

following manner: 106 mills on real estate (the same rate as 1979-80); \$10 per capita tax on adult residents; one percent on earned wage and income (½% shared with local municipalities); One half of a \$10 occupational privilege tax; and one percent real estate transfer tax.

Receipts are: local 2,684,417; state 1,862,008; federal 105,974; and receipts contra 500.

In other business, the graduation date was set for Thursday, June 5, at 6:30 pm. Commencement will be held in the football stadium weather permitting. Board president Jere Duke will award diplomas. Tickets will be needed to attend the indoor event (in case of rain) but no ticket will be needed if the event is held in the stadium.

Baccalaureate will be held Sunday, June 1, at 7:45 pm in the high school auditorium. No tickets are necessary for this event.

Board member Edgar Jones was appointed treasurer for the Donegal School District replacing Hamilton Bank which will now act as depository. The board made an amendment to the effect that the treasurer must be a member of the school board.

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Mount Joy parade

The Mount Joy Memorial Day parade will be held this Saturday, May 24, beginning at 2:00 pm. The parade route is Main Street, extending from Florin to Park Avenue.

The US Air Force Honor

Guard and the Police Academy mounted patrol will be featured in the parade, along with floats and marching bands.

The parade is organized by the Mount Joy Community Council.

This week's calendar

Saturday, Sunday and Monday, May 24-26, Memorial Day Weekend. Attend the many events being held in your home town community this year. Check the **Susquehanna Times** for details on this weekends happenings.

Thursday, May 22, at 7:30 pm, a meeting of the Marietta Recreation Association, at the JC center.

Thursday, May 22, at 7:30 pm, a gymnastics show at the Riverview Elementary School.

Memorial Day in Marietta

Harold L. Jordan, ret. sgt., executive director of Rehabilitation Inc., 230 S. Queen St., Lancaster, will be the speaker for the annual Memorial Day Services, sponsored by the William Brenner Post #466 American Legion, Marietta.

The parade will be held [continued on page 2]