## COMMUNITY & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Monday, April 9, 2018 - 6:00 p.m.

<u>Present</u>: Chairperson Don Berk, Joe Frederick, Noni West, and Ben Bell. Also present were Mayor Ron Strouse and Borough Manager John Davis.

The **Minutes** of the February 2018 meeting were approved.

John presented the proposed **Hanging Flower Basket Memorandum of Understanding**. The MOU is between the Borough, Discover Doylestown, and Delaware Valley University, and has already been approved by Discover Doylestown and DelVal. The MOU returns the program to DelVal University where it began. The Committee unanimously voted to recommend that Council approve the MOU.

Don Berk presented a **draft letter and a draft resolution supporting gun control and gun safety** for consideration by the Committee, Whichever was preferred, Don felt that it should be sent to both our state and federal representatives. The Committee discussed the proposed language of both at length. The Committee unanimously approved the language of the resolution with the elimination of specific Bill numbers. The letter was not approved.

Under <u>Old Business</u>, Ben raised again the issue of arborist services to the Borough. After a brief discussion, the meeting was adjourned with the subject to be revisited later.

Adjourned: 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

John Davis Borough Manager

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