

**MINUTES
SPECIAL MEETING
UNION CITY BOROUGH
OCTOBER 17, 2022**

VISION STATEMENT: “The Union City area is a thriving rural community of families, businesses and organizations dedicated to encouraging growth while maintaining small town values.”

The Special Council Meeting for the Borough of Union City was called to order at 6:03 P.M. by Councilor Cross. The meeting was at the City Building 13, South Main Street, Union City. The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence.

COUNCILORS PRESENT were Cross, Joyce, Warner, Winkler, Fitch, and Osborn. Daggett was absent.

OFFICIALS PRESENT were Mayor, Natalie Wilmoth and Borough Manager, Cindy Wells.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Motion made by Councilor Joyce and seconded by Councilor Winkler to adopt the agenda as amended adding time for public comment. Motion carried unanimously.

Charlie Steadman, Warden Street, asked about some work on Warden which had already been completed.

COUNCIL CONSIDERD BIDS FOR MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLING SERVICES: The bids were due on Friday October 14, 2022, at 3:00 PM and were opened at that time. The bid packages were scanned and emailed to the Solicitor for review. The Bid Forms were also emailed to Borough Council for review.

Solicitor Wachter notified the Borough that the bid from Rare Breed Refuse was not complete and must be rejected.

If the bid from Tri County is accepted the pickup day will be Fridays. They will start on November 4, 2022. They will be delivering containers in the next couple of weeks and may need to do some pickups without containers initially. One container will have a blue lid for recycling and one with a brown lid for garbage. If residents need a second container for additional garbage the cost will be \$15/month for a 96-gallon container. Also, they will offer sticker service at \$10/month plus \$6.00/sticker for those 65 and older on a fixed income. If the bid for two years is accepted it is the remaining of 2022 and ends on December 31, 2023. The four-year bid is for the remainder of 2022 and ends on December 31, 2025.

MOTION TO ACCEPT BID FROM TRI-COUNTY TO PROVIDE FOR MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLING SERVICES, FOR TWO (2) YEARS, AT THE RATE OF \$41.00/MONTH OR \$123.00/QUARTER, BEGINNING NOVEMBER 4, 2022 AND TO REJECT THE BID FROM RARE BREED REFUSE, LLC BECAUSE THE BID PACKAGE WAS NOT COMPLETE. Motion made by Councilor Winkler but there was no second, so motion died.

MOTION TO ACCEPT BID FROM TRI-COUNTY TO PROVIDE FOR MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLING SERVICES, FOR FOUR (4) YEARS, AT THE RATE OF \$39.0/MONTH OR \$118.00/QUARTER, BEGINNING NOVEMBER 4, 2022 AND TO REJECT THE BID FROM RARE BREED REFUSE, LLC BECAUSE THE BID PACKAGE WAS NOT COMPLETE. Motion made by Councilor Joyce and seconded by Councilor Warner. A roll-call vote was taken:

- Councilor Joyce-yes
 - Councilor Osborn-yes
 - Councilor Warner-yes
 - Councilor Winkler-no
 - Councilor Fitch-Yes
 - Councilor Cross-No
- Motion carried unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion made by Councilor Winkler and seconded by Councilor Warner that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 6:32 P.M.

ATTEST