**AGENDA FOR THURSDAY May 9, 2024 – AVOCA BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING**

1. LOMR submission to FEMA regarding Mill Creek Flood Protection Project
2. Main St & McAlpine Street Project – PENNDOT Multimodal Grant: Awarded $1.55 million

Borough received a letter stating that the **30% match needed ($465,000) will be waived.**

CFA Multimodal Grant: Applied for $500,000 originally, revised application was for $650,000

Awarded $325,000. Will be utilizing exemption request for Municipalities for match needed.

1. **ACTION ITEM:** remain/withdraw from Northeast Pa Land Bank Authority
2. **ACTION ITEM**: authorize PennEastern Engineers, LLC to provide professional services for the 2024 EDCDI Grant – Gedding Street Sewer and Road Project.  Services include providing the required surveying and engineering services for preparing contract documents, construction plans and Penn DOT Highway Occupancy Permit application.  Services also include inspection, construction management and assisting with the grant administration.
3. **ACTION ITEM**: approve/adopt the Rental Property Inspection and Occupancy Ordinance
4. **ACTION ITEM**: approve/adopt Garbage and Refuse Collection Ordinance
5. **ACTION ITEM**: approve/adopt Failure to Receive Real Estate Tax Notice Ordinance.
6. **ACTION ITEM:** Hire Part-Time Police Officer, Eric DANAHER pending MPOETC Certification and Background Investigation.

**Street Department:**

New Utility Trailer purchased through Rescue Fund and in service.

Street Department cell phone crashed, new phone ordered and now is service.

Stan attended compost meeting – anything to report?

BHW for April $384.75

Paper Shred Event – September 12, 2024 Thursday here at Borough Building lot 3pm to 6pm