

PUBLIC HEARING – FY-2020 CDBG MODIFICATION  
Council Chambers, City Hall, Franklin, PA  
March 4, 2024

Members Present: Douglas Baker, Mayor  
James Johnson  
Ryan Rudegeair  
Christian Marshall  
Todd Zahner

Members Excused: Donna Fletcher, Deputy Mayor  
Samuel Lyons

In Attendance: James Wetzel, City Manager  
Brian Spaid, Esq., City Solicitor  
Harmony Motter, Deputy Manager  
T.J. Parks, Recording Secretary  
Amanda Power, Community Development  
Cindi Power, City of Franklin  
Deb Eckelberger, FICDA  
Matt Beith, HARB/324 16<sup>th</sup> Street  
Alex Spaid, Dale, Woodard, Gent, McFate  
Helen Fielding, The Derrick  
Tammy and David Bible, 1247 Liberty Street  
Jake Smith, 1346 Elk Street  
Travis Siegel, Northwest Commission  
Brian Funkhouser, Michael Baker International  
Roxanne Spaid, Shade Tree Commission  
Bev Hart, 1333 Elk Street

Mayor Baker called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

Mrs. Power announced that all of the FY-2020 CDBG contract activities were completed under budget. The FY-2020 contract included \$239,477.50 to pave Buffalo, Otter 9<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and Elk streets, and totaled \$215,631.66. After speaking with the DCED grant manager, it was suggested that the City use the remaining \$23,845.84 to carry out work at the 11<sup>th</sup> Street playground, as it has already been determined to serve a low-moderate income neighborhood.

Mrs. Power recommended purchasing an outdoor musical equipment ensemble, two (2) picnic table sets and two (2) ADA picnic tables. These items will encourage multigenerational play and provide ADA accessibility to the playground.

Public comments will be received until 4 P.M., March 15, 2024. Pending no adverse comments, the activity modifications will be brought before Council for approval at the April 1, 2024 meeting.

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There being no comments or questions from the Council, the hearing was adjourned at 7:02 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "T.J. Parks", written in a cursive style.

T.J. Parks,  
Recording Secretary