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- 1) Presented the October 2020 Residential Community Enhancement Award to Jeffrey and Jennifer Orman, 108 Corcoran Avenue.
- 2) Presented the October 2020 Commercial Community Enhancement Award to Shenandoah Pentecostal Holiness Church, 310 Shenandoah Avenue.
- 3) Received the September 2020 Computer Center Stats for review.
- 4) Received a thank you from Luray/Page Chamber of Commerce for hosting the September Business After Hours.
- 5) Received a flyer from the owner of T-Bowl Lanes advertising the sale of the bowling alley.
- 6) Reviewed bids received and approved a bid of \$5,000 from Constable Construction for sewer connections for two new houses on Edgewood Drive. An outside contractor is necessary due to the depth of the main line and specialized equipment needed to reach the Town's sewer main. Authorized payment to be taken from the Utility Capital Outlay Reserved for Contingency budgeted line item.
- 7) Approved \$4,200 to Shenandoah Valley Electric Coop for the installation of two lights at Big Gem Park, to improve the lighting at the Park. Authorized payment to be taken from General Park & Recreation Maintenance budgeted line item.
- 8) Received a thank you from Shenandoah Valley Soil & Water Conservation District for the Town's \$375 donation for the 2020-2021 fiscal year.
- 9) Heard the sewer main on Long Avenue is open and the issue reported earlier was on the customer.
- 10) Heard the Town is waiting on bids for the water line replacement on 340 between 222 N. Fifth Street and Williams Avenue.
- 11) Heard the Town is waiting on the Health Department regarding the new well.
- 12) Heard letters sent and other actions will be taken for several properties in need of mowing, removal of inoperable vehicles and other violations.
- 13) Approved the donation of two out of service police vehicles (2010 & 2011 Dodge Chargers) to the Page County Sheriff's Department. The Sheriff's Office is aware there are some maintenance issues with these vehicles.
- 14) Heard the biking and hiking trails at Big Gem have been cleared and are re-opened to the public.

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- 15) Heard more secure options are being researched to replace the hand sanitizing and toilet paper dispensers at the Town's parks restrooms, to discourage vandalism.
- 16) Authorized two Community Enhancement Awards for November 2020.
- 17) Following a closed session, approved \$230,242.56 of the Town's allocated CARES Act funding. These funds will no longer be available after 12/30/2020 and must be spent and reimbursed to the Town by Page County. In addition, approved \$5,000 plus shipping to add radar capability to two of the message signs being purchased with the funds. A list of the other approved items is available at Town Hall and will be included in the council minutes.