Rochester Borough Council Regular Meeting for Stormwater Management in Council Chambers February 19, 2019, 6:00 p.m.

Present: Ben Rader, Howard Howe, Ron Becker, Marty Knafelc, Marge White, Bernie Rabik, Manager John Barrett

The meeting was called to order.

Manager Barrett stated that tonight's meeting would provide an open forum for any topic related to stormwater.

Persons in Attendance:

Mrs. White stated that her neighbor's downspout runs onto the sidewalk which causes ice to form when it's cold. She said it has been like this for years but wondered what could be done. Manager Barrett advised Mrs. White to visit DEP's web site. They have a number of options identified to collect and retain rain water on a residential property. She could discuss these possibilities with her neighbor or the Code Officer could approach the neighbor if needed.

The Borough will continue to have these public meetings and encourages all residents and businesses to attend when possible. Public participation and involvement in the overall stormwater management of the Borough is key to a successful program that will ensure we protect the quality of our waterways and are good stewards of the environment.

Submitted by,

John M. Barrett Borough Manager