KOPPEL BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA – Tuesday, May 18, 2023 at 6 PM Koppel Borough Municipal Building

Call Meeting to Order Opening Prayer Pledge of Allegiance Approval of Minutes from April 18 Meeting Borough Bills from the General Fund Borough Bills for the Fire Dept. Zoning Officer Report Police Dept. Report Fire Dept./Emergency Coordinator Report Maintenance Report Engineer Report Solicitor Report Mayor Report

Guests

Those residents who desire to address council during the meeting and the business topic is not listed on the Meeting Agenda must contact the Borough Office 24 hours prior to the meeting so that the topic can be added to the Agenda. Your comments during the meeting should be limited to 5 minutes.

New Business

- Zoning Enforcement Permitting and rental inspections
- Traffic ordinance
- Playground Grant

Old Business

• Hose replacement on leaf picker \$1,609.60 Old Dominion Brush Co.

Motion to Adjourn

A basketball hoop on the street is considered an encumbrance of the right-of-way and poses a safety risk if it is not removed.

- (a) No person shall place or permit to be placed a portable basketball hoop or similar equipment onto any land be it a public right-of-way, highway, street, easement, or other area or thoroughfare, whether improved or unimproved, which is owned by or under the control of the Borough; other than a private driveway or backyard in the Borough.
- (b) If any portable basketball hoop is placed on any public right-of-way, except within the end of a local dead-end street, the city shall have the right to remove the portable basketball hoop after providing the Borough with ten days written notice. Any portable basketball hoop removed by the city shall be claimed within ten days, otherwise the portable basketball hoop will be disposed of. If the owner or person responsible for the portable basketball hoop wishes it returned, a fee set by resolution of the Borough council shall be charged for each portable basketball hoop.
- (c) If a property owner wishes to place a portable basketball hoop within the end of a local dead-end street, the owner shall:
 - (1) Notify all neighbors on the dead-end street.
 - (2) Supervise young children using the portable basketball hoop.
 - (3) Keep the basketball rim behind the back of the curb when not in use.

(4) Remove the portable basketball hoop from the public right-of-way if it is determined by the city to interfere with street maintenance or public safety.

Whoever violates this section is guilty of a misdemeanor of the first degree and subject to confiscation of the unlawfully placed equipment.