

**VILLAGE OF SOUTH LEBANON  
WORKSHOP MEETING MINUTES  
FEBRUARY 2, 2017  
8:07 P.M.**

1. Mayor Smith opened the workshop meeting at 8:07 p.m.
2. Randall Atkins – Present                      Bill Madison - Present  
Jim Boerio – Present                              Steve Riley – Present  
Sue Johnson – Present                              George Teasdale - Present
3. Mayor Smith stated that Teasdale has the floor. Teasdale said his presentation is labeled 2017 priorities but is more about what is the focus of our activities. Certainly a priority of the Village, from my observations, is growth. He stated we should also endeavor to spend the taxpayer/customer money for things that will bolster community pride and are obvious. The big project coming up is the Mason Morrow Millgrove intersection which will be an obvious and welcome improvement. I would also like to see us have a focus on modernization and rehabilitation. The school building is a classic example of rehabilitation and once completed to utilize the facility to benefit the taxpayers. An idea would be to use a room for a class on how to write resumes or financial planning things that help people daily. Teasdale asked Council to identify a couple of projects or input on what is on the top of their list, if you had unlimited resources, to do something for the citizens of South Lebanon. Riley said street repaving. Mayor Smith suggesting a monument to honor our revolutionary soldiers which would bolster community pride. Boerio said he would reiterate what Riley said and generalize it to infrastructure and a blue sky suggestion would be to improve the appearance when coming into town. When coming down Pike Street, we have utility poles all over the place and it probably would be hideously expensive to bury those utilities but it would improve the appearance and entrance into town and also new street lighting. Atkins said when repairing streets that we do the sidewalks as well. Teasdale agrees that the gateway to South Lebanon needs to be cleaned up. Madison said Council has made great strides over the last two terms revitalizing this town. The roads were a key item of mine when I was a rookie on Council and found that roads can only be funded through the State and a few other revenue sources. Madison also wanted to add is what we said earlier and that is our growth. The visual improvements and the bolstering of community pride all that comes as a community grows and hopes this Council realizes that. Teasdale said he agrees and what he is hoping for is that we can have the same kind of momentum in these other categories. Teasdale thanked everyone for their time.
4. Mayor Smith asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. A motion was made by Boerio, seconded by Madison, all yeas.



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