CITY OF FARRELL COUNCIL RETREAT
AVALON BUHL – HERMITAGE, PA
SATURDAY, MAY 19TH, 2018
8:30 TO 4:00 PM

WORK SESSION AGENDA

Welcome/Introductions
Welcome and Introductions
Agenda Review
Norms and Expectations for the retreat

Council Dynamics and Expectations
What does it mean to be part of this Council? What is the role of elected officials?
Identify and discuss mutual expectations as a Council
Articulate and agree on mutual expectations for members of the Farrell City Council.

Understanding the Environment
Identify Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities, and Threats and key initiatives and projects
City Manager Presentation and Overview
Develop a clear understanding of "where we are" to build a foundation for goal setting conversation.

Identify Strategic Focus Areas
Key Focus Areas
What “truth statement” would you like to express 5 to 10 years from now about the City of Farrell?
What must go well in order for this vision to be realized? Define Key strategic focus areas.
Define what success looks like for each Key Focus Area.
What emerging priorities do you see that the City needs to address?
Identify Key Focus Areas to secure a positive future for Farrell.

Council Goals
Given the Key Focus Areas that have been identified – what critical action items will ensure the City moves in the right direction?
Agenda Item Outcome: Brainstorm strategies for achieving each Key Focus Areas
Closing/Next Steps
What support does the Council need from staff to maintain focus on their Key Focus Areas?
Summarize the items agreed upon during the retreat
Public Notice: Sharon Herald – May 4th, 2018

Roll Call: PRESENT – Bishop Bennefield, Mr. Burich, Ms. Doss, Ms. Morrison & Mayor McKeithan
ABSENT – Ms. Dragicevic & Mr. Gregory

Motion by Ms. Doss seconded by Mr. Burich to adopting the Act 47 Coordinator recommended exit plan has provided on May 1, 2018.

Roll Call: YEAS, Bishop Bennefield, Mr. Burich, Ms. Doss, Ms. Morrison & Mayor McKeithan.
NAYS, none.

Motion by Mr. Burich seconded by Ms. Morrison to adjourn the meeting at 12:30PM.
Roll Call: ALL IN FAVOR