Pennsylvania State Association of Boroughs

Junior Council Person

To: Steel Valley High School Juniors and Seniors

From: Mayor Richard T. Brennan, Munhall Borough

Re: Jr Council Member

The Junior Council Person (JCP) Program provides youth in our community with an opportunity to engage in borough government and develop leadership skills. It also allows borough officials to serve as mentors to student who will be future leaders in their communities.

Some of the guidelines include:

The JCP should be a borough resident. (Steel Valley consists of Munhall, Homestead and West Homestead. Each has its own Mayor and council. If you are interested in this program, please contact the Mayor of your borough.)

Boroughs can have more than one JCP serving at a time.

High school and college students are encouraged to apply. Students should write a letter of interest to borough council outlining why they want to be a JCP. Deadline for this is September 25, 2020.

An interview process with council members may occur if there are several applicants.

Once selected, the JCP will take the “Junior Council Person Pledge”.

If a Junior class person is selected, they will serve a two-year term.

Attendance is required at council monthly meetings. Due to Covid 19 these meetings have been on zoom. If in person meeting, you will be seated next to the Mayor, participate in borough business, and observe all council rules. You cannot vote or participate in the executive session.

Attendance at budget session, public hearings, and community events is encouraged.

Any student interested in being considered for the Junior Council Person Program, please call 412-464-7310 x 1 for Munhall Borough.