

Regular Meeting February 9, 2026 @ 7:00 PM

The meeting was called to order with the Pledge of Allegiance. Roll call was taken with Austin Dombeck, TJ Edinger, Jim Ferrante, Frank Ferrucci, Chuck Kelly Sr., Charlie Kelly Jr. (By Phone), Bob Shrock and Mayor Fuller present. Also present at the meeting was Solicitor Perrotta.

A motion was made by Ferrante, seconded by Edinger to approve the previous regular meeting minutes. All were in favor, motion carried.

A motion was made by Edinger, seconded by Dombeck, to approve the listed bills for January with additional ones from Book & Proch- Sewer \$11630.00 and Water - \$10,388.00. All were in favor, motion carried.

Communications

There will be a meeting of the League of Municipalities on March 5, 2026 @ 11:00. RSVPs are due to the borough office by February 26, 2026.

Tax Collector's Report – None***Mayor's Report***

The Police totals for January 2026 were 534 miles patrolled, 99.5 hours on duty with 32 incidents. The total mileage on the police cruiser as of 1/31/26 was 15,495.

Visitors

Leslie Hardy – Wampum VFD

The fire department would like to request that the Borough pay for the cost of the port-a-johns for the night at the races on March 7, 2026.

A motion was made by Ferrante, seconded by Shrock, to approve the payment for the portable toilets for the Night at the Races on March 7, 2026. All were in favor, motion carried.

Unfinished Business***Bid DCNR Park Grant Project***

Jim and Bob will meet this week to work on the project.

New Business***WABA Dues***

A motion was made by Shrock, seconded by Ferrucci, to approve paying the 2026 WABA membership dues. All were in favor, motion carried.

Stonecrest Development Bond Reduction

The Solicitor sent the information to Mark Smith at HRG Engineering. Kelly Jr. spoke with Mark Smith, and he is comfortable with it and will send it in writing.

A motion was made by Kelly Jr., seconded by Ferrante, to approve the Stonecrest Bond reduction request contingent upon correspondence from HRG stating the same in writing. All were in favor except Ferrucci, motion carried.

Columbia Gas Street Opening Permit

Council is concerned that the project is being done in the cold weather. If a line is hit the home will be without heat for a while.

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A motion was made by Kelly Jr., seconded by Dombeck, to revoke the street opening permit for Columbia Gas until next month's meeting. A roll call vote was taken with all in favor, and Ferrante abstaining, motion carried.

Transfer of Funds – None

Report of Committees

Electric – None

Sewer & Water

Kelly Sr. stated that the borough is operating on one well right now because they are unable to get to the other well on the hill due to the snow.

Budget – None

Insurance

Bob Shrock met with Steve from Eber & Associates and discussed some changes in deductibles. He has not heard back from him yet.

Police – None

Streets – None

Buildings

A heater in the gym is not working and Homer Nine will be down tomorrow to take a look at it.

Park & Recreation

A motion was made by Kelly Jr., seconded by Ferrante, to obtain pricing for new picnic tables for the main shelter. All were in favor, motion carried.

A motion to adjourn for an executive session for a legal matter at 7:30PM, was made by Ferrucci, seconded by Ferrante. All were in favor, motion carried.

A motion was made by Ferrucci, seconded by Ferrante to end the executive session at 7:45 PM. All were in favor, motion carried.

A motion to adjourn was made by Edinger, seconded by Ferrante. All were in favor, meeting adjourned at 8:00 PM.

Sue Dean, Secretary