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  - Pittston Township
    - Board of Supervisors Meeting
      - March 16, 2026
        - Pittston Township Municipal Building

Call Meeting To Order 6:00 PM

- Pledge of Allegiance

- A moment of silence was held for Corporal Timothy O'Connor, who died in the line of duty for the Pennsylvania State Police, and for the military serving our country on a daily basis.

- Roll Call Hawk \_\_\_P\_\_\_ Taroli \_\_\_P\_\_\_ Slezak \_\_\_P\_\_\_

- Executive session was held on 2/27/2026 and 3/2/2026 regarding personnel

**Minutes:** minutes of the Supervisors regularly scheduled February 17, 2026 general meeting was presented to Supervisors for their review comments and/or corrections.  
 Questions/Corrections – NONE HEARD

- **Motion:** To approve the minutes of February 17, 2026 general meeting.

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**Supervisors Comments**

**Consideration of Proposal from Spencer’s Construction and Painting for Roof Repairs to Old Fire Station**

A proposal was received from Spencer’s Construction and Painting for roof repairs to the old fire station on Bryden Street. With the last big snow storm we had, we had several leaks inside the roof inside the fire station in the kitchen area. The proposal for the repairs was for \$1,850.

- **MOTION:** To approve quote from Spencer’s Construction for roof repairs to old fire station for \$1,850.00.

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**Consideration of Adoption of A New Seal for Pittston Township**

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The supervisors are considering adopting a new seal for Pittston Township. The supervisors and township wanted to modernize our current seal with the township colors of maroon and gold. This seal was created at no cost to the township.



- **MOTION**: To adopt new seal for Pittston Township as presented.

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**Consideration of Proposal for Audit of Pittston Township Little League Stormwater Project**

A proposal was received from RKL, LLP regarding work for an audit of the Pittston Township Little League Stormwater Project. The proposal is for a fee of \$15,000.00.

- **MOTION**: To enter into an agreement with RKL, LLP for an audit of the Little League Stormwater Project for \$15,000.00.

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**Oak Street Railroad Bump Update**

Township officials recently attended an on-site meeting between the railroad and PennDOT regarding the project to repair the bump at the railroad at the top of Oak Street by Casey Dental and Lehigh Valley Health Network. The PUC ordered a couple of months ago for the railroad to repair that bump that has been there for quite a while. The project will entail ripping up Oak Street from Lehigh Valley Health Network driveway to Brown Street and raise the road by a foot. They will also fix the slope of the train tracks as well. The project will take place sometime this summer per railroad officials.

Just to inform the public ahead of time, for a period of about 3 weeks during the project, Oak Street will be shut down at the train tracks for the repairs and vehicles and tractor trailers will be detoured most likely through Dupont, down the bypass, and up Oak Street.

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**2026 Electronics Recycling and Paper Shredding Events Announcement**

The township has set dates for the electronics recycling drive and a paper shredding event. The electronics recycling drive is set for Saturday, June 27<sup>th</sup> from 9am-12pm and the paper shredding event is set for Saturday, July 18<sup>th</sup> from 9am-12pm. Both drives will be at the municipal building and the events will be for Pittston Township residents only and we will be checking IDs for access to the events. More details to come soon.

**Reminder of April 2026 Supervisor Meeting Date Change**

We just wanted to remind the public that the April 2026 supervisor’s meeting will be held on April 27, 2026 at 6pm at the township building, instead of April 20, 2026. It has been advertised in the newspaper and placed on the door at the township building.

**Financial**

- **Motion:** To ratify January-February pre-paid bills in the amount of \$316,734.50 and bills payable in the amount of \$43,395.52 and payroll and related expenses for payroll period ending
 

2/11/2026	98,486.02	(State of Emergency-Snowstorm)
2/25/2026	84,287.01	

**Automatic Debits:**

Amazon	\$92.31
GovX-Police Uni	\$228.93
Neopost	\$50.00
Vistaprint	\$36.02
Adobe	\$21.19
USPS	\$6.08
Bank Fee	\$110.00
Amazon	\$533.95
5-11 (Police Uni)	\$228.00
AmTrust	\$11,215.00
Highmark EDI	\$303.12
Amazon	\$260.51
Staples	\$27.02
Comcast	\$181.12
Alien Gear (Police Uni)	\$343.27
Standard Ins	\$3,906.09
UCC Fees	\$139.50
Amazon	\$436.49
Safariland (Police Uni)	\$107.05

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Safe Life Def(Police Uni)	\$111.53
Zero9 (Police Uni)	\$182.28
Adobe	\$13.77
Walmart	\$168.52
Neopost	\$100.00
Aflac	\$133.72

BHW—February 2026--\$8,761.82

QUESTIONS/CONCERNS – NONE HEARD

Motion to approve payment of bills and unpaid bills.

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**Emergency Management Report**

**Fire Department**

Incident Report – February 2026

QUESTION/CONCERNS – NONE HEARD

- Motion to approve incident report for February 2026

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**Request Received for Permission for Volunteer Fire Department to Utilize Bryden Street Grounds for Annual Picnic**

A request was received from the volunteer fire department to utilize the Bryden Street grounds for their annual picnic. The annual picnic will be held this year on June 10<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup>. Mr. Rozitski suggests granting permission conditioned on insurance coverage for picnic to be reviewed by Attorney Sanguedolce.

- **MOTION** : To grant permission to volunteer fire department to utilize Bryden Street grounds for annual picnic from June 10-14, conditioned on review of insurance certificate by Attorney Sanguedolce.

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**Ambulance Report**

Monthly report for February 2026

- Motion to approve ambulance report

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**Police**

**POLICE REPORT** - submitted by Chief Angelella

- Motion to approve police report as submitted

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**Employment Application Received from Louis Galli to Become Patrolman in Pittston Township**

An application for employment has been received from Louis Galli to become patrolman in Pittston Township. Mr. Galli is in the police academy and is currently scheduled to graduate from the academy on April 23, 2026. If approved, upon graduation from the academy, Mr. Galli would become a patrolman for the Pittston Township police department.

- **MOTION**: To appoint Louis Galli as part-time patrolman for Pittston Township with hourly rate as per the police CBA, conditioned on Mr. Galli’s graduation from the police academy on April 23, 2026.

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**Consideration of Proposal for Server for Pittston Township Police Department**

A proposal was received from Novation Networks for a new server for down at the Pittston Township Police Department. The server currently down there is almost out of storage space,

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and the police department has to store sensitive items, such as body camera footage, reports, etc. The proposal received from Novation Networks is for a new server for 20 TB of data, and the quote is for \$4,000.00. With this new server, even with the CVSA, they would still be within the police department budget for capital purchases.

- **MOTION**: To accept proposal from Novation Networks for new server for Pittston Township Police Department for \$4,000.00.

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**Road Department –**

**Consideration of Payment of William Street Payment Application #3**

The township has received payment application #3 from MultiScape, the contractor for William Street, for \$15,462.72. The payment application was received by township engineers and was recommended for payment. The payment would be covered by the William Street CDBG grant received from the county. For the road project, Mr. Rozitski has also requested from township engineers and the contractor an updated construction schedule. The contractor was over on William Street last week working on the sidewalks for the project.

- **MOTION**: To approve payment application #3 for William Street Project for \$15,462.72 (funded by William Street CDBG grant received from the county).

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**Consideration of Marking of All Township Street Department Vehicles – OPEN DISCUSSION**

Mr. Rozitski just wanted to bring up to the board if they would like to consider marking all township street department vehicles with the street department logo on them. There are some that are marked and some that aren't. Mr. Rozitski just wanted to see what the boards thoughts on it were. All supervisors were in agreement with marking of all vehicles.

**Ridge Road Update**

Pittston Township continue having discussions with township engineers about the plans for the Ridge Road infrastructure project. The township was awarded a grant for the project back in January 2026. Township engineers have taken the feedback and are currently adjusting the plans. An open session will occur with interested township residents once plans are finalized.

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**Zoning**

**Consideration of Land Development Plans for Mericle Centerpoint East Lot 33**

At their September 3, 2025 meeting, the planning commission voted to recommend approval of Mericle Centerpoint East Lot 33, contingent upon the remaining conditions being met such as NPDES permit authorization and providing the Township with the requisite number of plan sets. The remaining conditions were met, and planning commission engineers recommended the Supervisors approve this plan.

- **MOTION**: To approve land development plans for Mericle Centerpoint East Lot 33.

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**Consideration of Land Development Plans for McDonald’s Drive-Thru Improvements**

At their February 4<sup>th</sup> meeting, the planning commission voted to recommend approval of the McDonald’s Drive-Thru Improvements land development plans. These plans make a second drive thru in McDonald’s which will reduce the amount of traffic in the parking lot. Additionally, McDonald’s has agreed to put a no left-turn sign at the exit of the property as part of the plans. The plans have been recommended for approval by township engineers.

- **MOTION**: To grant waiver requested by applicant for the requirements of Article V of the SALDO, requiring separate applications for preliminary and final plan approval, as recommended by township engineers. (Applicant wishes to process preliminary and final plan approval with the same application)

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- **MOTION**: To approve land development plans for McDonald’s Drive Thru Improvements (as recommended by township engineers).

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**Engineering Report –February 2026-March 2026**

Mr. Rozitski dispensed with the highlights of the engineering report and projects with the planning commission.

**MS-4 Report**

Supervisor Taroli reported that at 2/28/2026, there was \$47,335.84 in the MS-4 stormwater account. She also reported catch basins will be cleaned in March-April 2026 with no cost to the township.

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**Jeff Tomko—**

Mr. Tomko inquired on status of Powdermill Road stormwater project. Supervisor Taroli commented on how many years the problems have been ongoing, and engineers are working on the plans for the project. Attorney Sanguedolce will follow up with easements.

**Dennis Fritz—**

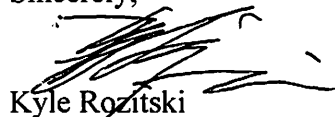
Mr. Fritz inquired on status of Decker Lane issues, septic issues, SpringBrook creek issues, etc. and commented on the various issues occurring.

**Adjournment:** Motion to Adjourn

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Meeting adjourned at 6:48pm.

Sincerely,



Kyle Rozitski  
 Secretary to the Board of Supervisors  
 Pittston Township