Borough of Susquehanna Depot

Minutes – September 9, 2026

Meeting was called to order at 6 pm, by Sue Crawford, followed by The Pledge of Allegiance

PRESENT: Mayor Dennis Gow, Council: Sue Crawford, Mark Hendrickson, Rose Hendrickson, Tom Jensen, Terry Tingley, Chet Walker, Secretary, Melissa Parraga

ABSENT: Barb Lawson, Alyssia Krall, Student Council

GUESTS: Andreas C. Plonka, Alan & Denise Bloomer, Peter Baumann, Mary Butler, Sue Evans, Troy Roberts, Lillian Senko, Jackie & Corey Thorpe, John Szuch, Doug Arthur, Devan Sueben, Marla Tinklepaugh

MOTION: By Rose Hendrickson, Seconded by Chet Walker to approve The Agenda
All were in favor, Motion carried

PUBLIC COMMENT: Doug Arthur still has problems with neighbor's chickens over the legal limit, buildings on his property line and a water and paving concern. John Szuch representing our Little League gave council an update on the park and grants. Said the tractor needs service and spoke of the need to replace the roof on one structure, including some cost-effective suggestions on replacing the building all together. Troy Roberts voiced concerns about the Borough's security cameras, Chief Burman was present to address those concerns. There was a concern about a truck parking on the sidewalk on Washington Street. Chief Burman was also able to address that as well.

MOTION: By Mark Hendrickson, Seconded by Tom Jenson to approve the August 12, 2026 Minutes
All were in favor, Motion carried

MOTION: By Chet Walker, Seconded by Terry Tingley to approve the Bill List
All were in favor, Motion carried

MOTION: By Tom Jenson, Seconded by Mark Hendrickson to approve Mel Parraga as the Chief Administrative Officer for the Police Pension. All were in favor, Motion carried

MOTION: By Terry Tingley, Seconded by Tom Jenson to approve The 2027 Minimum Municipal Obligation for our Police Pension. All were in favor, Motion carried

Mayor Gow: Mayor handed the floor to Chief Burman. Chief read and added to the 911 reports for the month
DPW- Sue Crawford read the monthly report as Kevin McKee was absent
Emergency- Absent
Parks- Terry Tingley announced that the Moose Lodge is donating a Swing Set to the Ira Renolds Park. He also touched upon the meeting with the Little League committee about improvements needed to the park. A citizen asked about the need for a sign marking the Frank Reddon Park
Codes- Sue Crawford read the monthly report as Butch Kelsey was absent

Council entered Executive Session at 6:50 and concluded at 7:05

Motion: By Chet Walker, Seconded by Mark Hendrickson to give Dan Vinsko Sr a one time stipend of $250.00 for EMA Services. To be revisited each year

Meeting adjourned at 7:10