

South Pymatuning Township Regular Meeting

The Regular Meeting of the South Pymatuning Township Board of Supervisors was opened at 6:00 p.m. with Supervisors Matthew Chalupka, Chairman, Johnathan Leyshon and Michael Anglin present.

The meeting was opened with the pledge to the flag.

There were seven residents present.

A motion was made by Chairman, Matthew Chalupka, and seconded by Supervisor, Johnathan Leyshon to dispense with the reading and approve the minutes of the December 10, 2025 Regular Meeting and the December 30, 2025, Budget Approval Meeting. The motion was unanimously approved.

Supervisor Chairman, Matthew Chalupka, announced an Executive Session was held on December 16, 2025, for personnel issues and the Township will receive a \$50,000.00 Local Shares Account grant to be used for a new police vehicle.

The Police Department report was given by Johnathan Leyshon, Supervisor and the Fire Department Report was given by Supervisor Michael Anglin. Supervisor Anglin also announced the Fire Department have made improvements to the department's kitchen and will be holding fish dinners during lent.

Matthew Chalupka, Supervisor Chairman, announced the following approved building permits: Dairy Farmers of America, 1690 Oneida Lane – chemical storage and dewater building addition.

A motion to pay the bills totaling \$151,027.09 and the December payrolls totaling \$79,007.43 was made by Chairman, Matthew Chalupka and seconded by Supervisor Johnathan Leyshon. The motion was passed unanimously.

There was no correspondence or old business.

A motion by Supervisor Chairman, Matthew Chalupka, to adopt Resolution No. 1-2026 for the 2026 Mercer County Joint Seal Coat bid program. The motion was seconded by Michael Anglin, Supervisor and was passed unanimously.

Matthew Chalupka, Supervisor Chairman, made a motion to approve the 2026 Workshop and Meeting dates and times. Workshops will be the first Wednesday and Monthly Meetings will be the second Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. (If any Wednesday is a holiday, the Workshop or Meeting will be held on the prior Tuesday). Johnathan Leyshon, Supervisor, seconded the motion and it was unanimously approved.

Resident, Jim Keating, asked for a wider path for driving on Crestview Drive.

Bob Germano, resident, asked about the multi-purpose playground to be built at the Sharpsville Elementary School. It was explained the Township had to partner with the school district to apply for a grant. The Township does not have any obligation for the grant or the playground. Mr. Germano also asked again about the pole reflectors.

Resident, Dennis Sump, asked if the Township has given any thought concerning merging with Sharpsville Borough regarding police protection. A lengthy discussion transpired about this subject.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:33 p.m.

Keith McKnight, Secretary