

Economy Borough Council
Borough Council Minutes
February 24, 2026

Borough Council President Mr. Frank Morrone called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM in Borough Council Chambers of the Economy Borough Municipal Building.

MOMENT OF SILENCE

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL –

Borough Council President Mr. Frank Morrone, Mr. John Hall, Mr. Jesse Hernandez, Mr. Bill Metz, Mr. Jeffrey Ruckert and Mr. Don Sivy

ABSENT –

Mr. Glenn Sylvester (Excused)
Mayor Jo Ann Borato (Excused)

STAFF PRESENT –

Borough Manager Travis Cavanaugh and representing the Borough Solicitor Mr. Joseph Askar, Esq.

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS –

Borough Council President Mr. Morrone welcomed everyone to the meeting and requested the discussion(s) regarding Borough business be kept to 3 – 5 minutes in length.

Frank Hernandez of 1382 Harmony Road, Baden

There were also five (5) participants via teleconference.

HEAR THE PUBLIC –

Mr. Hernandez mentioned that there are a couple of potholes along Harmony Road.

MINUTES –

Minutes of the Regular Meeting held on February 10, 2026, were presented to Borough Council. After some review and discussion, **on a motion by Mr. Sivy; seconded by Mr. Hall** to approve the Regular Meeting Minutes of February 10, 2026, as presented. The motion was unanimously approved.

FINANCE COMMITTEE –

A. 2026 1st Quarter Pension Review –

Mr. John Haynes with Caitlin Financial, reviewed the 2026 1st Quarter performance of the Police and Non-Uniform pension plans.

ORDINANCE COMMITTEE – No agenda item at this time.

PARKS and RECREATION COMMITTEE – No agenda item at this time.

PROPERTY and BUILDING COMMITTEE – No agenda item at this time.

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE – No agenda item at this time.

ROAD DEPARTMENT COMMITTEE – No agenda item at this time.

MAYOR’S REPORT – No agenda item at this time.

SOLICITOR’S REPORT – No agenda item at this time.

ENGINEER’S REPORT – No agenda item at this time.

OLD BUSINESS – No agenda item at this time.

NEW BUSINESS –

A. Police Department Administrative Assistant Hiring –

On a motion by Mr. Sivy; seconded by Mr. Hall to hire Mrs. Theresia Paterson, as the Part-Time Police Department Administrative Assistant at a rate of \$ 21.00 per hour. Motion was unanimously carried.

OTHER BUSINESS – No agenda item at this time.

EXECUTIVE SESSION –

On a motion by Mr. Ruckert; seconded by Mr. Hernandez requested that Borough Council go into Executive Session regarding personnel, following which a possible vote may be needed. Motion was unanimously approved at 7:17 p.m.

Borough Council reconvenes into Regular Meeting Session at 8:14 p.m.

There were no motions after the Executive Session therefore the Regular Meeting can adjourn.

MOTION TO ADJOURN –

On a motion by Mr. Sivy; seconded by Mr. Ruckert to adjourn the Regular Meeting. Motion was unanimously approved.

The Regular Meeting adjourned at 8:14 p.m.



Travis Cavanaugh
Borough Manager