



Borough of Mount Joy
Public Works Committee
Meeting Minutes February 9, 2026
Meeting time: 6:30 PM

ROLL CALL - Councilors: Deering, Haigh, Mayor Bradley

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT: Councilor Deering, Councilor Haigh

STAFF PRESENT: Borough Manager Mark Pugliese, Parks Superintendent Barry Geltmacher, Public Works Crew Leader Jake Houck

OTHERS PRESENT: Raeann Schatz, Emanuel Hoffer

I. APPROVAL OF AGENDA OF FEBRUARY 9, 2026, PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE MEETING

AGENDA- Motion by Haigh, second by Deering, motion carried, Agenda approved

II. PUBLIC INPUT PERIOD – Comments of Any Borough Resident or Borough Property Owner. Time limit of three minutes per individual- No input.

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES of January 12, 2026, meeting. Motion by Haigh, seconded by Deering, motion carried.

IV. ITEMS OF BUSINESS

1. Review with possible motion any change orders for the Borough Municipal Building Project.

2. Streets and Alleys

1) 2026 Project Bidding

2) Review and possible motion to move the Seal Coat Contract 2 to Council for approval to advertise and bid. Motion by Haigh, seconded by Deering, moved to March council meeting.

3) S. Market Ave. project – Property owner meeting scheduled for February 18, 2026 @ 6:30 PM Councilor Haigh requested to make sure that the property owners on S. Plum, Wood St. and Liberty Ct. received letter.

4) After Action Analysis of Snowstorm Fern

5) Winter Maintenance and Snow Removal Policies- Deering suggested having a policy book for each department and we need to revisit and update the snow event policy. Haigh suggested we have a performance measure to determine what a successful storm response is.

3. Stormwater

1) Grandview Park Swale Analysis- Borough Manager asked Rettew to review plans. Haigh made a motion to move discussion to Full Council, Deering seconded, motion carried. Public works will possibly need to make a temporary bridge or walkway for baseball season. Discussion to be held at March Public Works meeting.

2) BMP 107 discussion about design concepts- Kara Kalupson from Rettew presented a few options to correct the deficiencies of BMP 107. Committee has asked the Borough Manager to send a letter.

4. Equipment

1) Motion to recommend that Council approve the Purchase Order for a John Deere Loader- Committee asked that other John Deere dealers were checked for pricing. Haigh made a motion to move to full council and Deering seconded with the stipulation that other Deere dealers are checked for pricing.

5. Parks

1) Motion to recommend that Council approve Music in Memorial Park on July 26, August 2 & 9, 2026. Haigh motioned to recommend to full Council, Deering seconded.

V. Grants Update

- A. Streambank Project
- B. Act 101 Section 902 DEP Recycling grant
- C. ARLE grant – Safety Enhancement Project
- D. MTF
- E. C2P2

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Emanuel Hoffer commented that Sassafras Alley does not get plowed behind his residence.

VII. ANY OTHER MATTER TO COME BEFORE THE COMMITTEE- Haigh asked about the Streets/Alley ordinance.

VIII. ADJOURN- Motion by Haigh to adjourn, second by Deering @ 11 pm