November 2, 2026

The committee meeting of the Laureldale Borough Council was called to order at 7:00PM by Council President Rick Heffner. The following members were present: Nytza Santiago, Beth Young, Janet Hess, Jeff Calpino, Dean Borrell, and Heather Sustello. Also present were Solicitor Alex Elliker and Street Supervisor Bill Kutz.

Borough Council went into an executive session to discuss personnel issues at 7:02PM.

Borough Council reconvened the open meeting at 7:06PM.

The following issues were discussed.

1. Plans for the Muhlenberg school district project phase 3 are being revised for approval.

2. Officer Thomas Link resigned for the purpose of retirement effective October 31, 2026.

3. Beth Young will be going to BJ's Wholesale to sign up the Borough as members for one year.

4. The Borough will be submitting the application for the LSA water and sewer grant by November 30, 2026.

5. Council reviewed and agreed on the 2027 meeting dates.

6. The Police Chief asked for 2 more licenses for Cody in the amount of $2640. Council determined that there is no need for 2 more licenses at this time.

7. Motion by Beth Young and seconded by Jeff Calpino to install a new chain link gate at the Rosedale Playground with AKA, The Fence Company in the amount of $5290.00. Carried.

8. Motion by Heather Sustello and seconded by Beth Young to replace the entry doors and garage door at the Rosedale Playground in the amount of $13,198.00. Carried.

9. Motion by Beth Young and seconded by Dean Borrell to hire RAM Siding Company to replace the roof at the Rosedale Playground building in the amount of $9620.00. Carried

10. Council will be renewing the 3 CD's that are coming due at Mid-Penn Bank for 15 months at a 4% interest.

11. Heather Sustello will be making a motion at the Council Meeting to contribute $250.00 to the Berks County Crime Alert.

12. Janet Hess will be making a motion at the Council Meeting to approve and advertise the 2027 Budget.

Borough Council then went into an executive session to discuss personnel issues at 8:19PM.

Borough Council reconvened open meeting at 8:55PM.

Motion by Janet Hess and seconded by Beth Young to adjourn the meeting at 8:56PM. Carried.