

LUZERNE BOROUGH
Monthly Council Meeting
September 10, 2025 @ 6:30PM

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

The September 10, 2025, meeting was called to order @ 6:30PM at the Luzerne Volunteer Fire Department by Chairman Michael Jancuska

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

Officials Present

Council- Michael Jancuska, Joseph Kovalick, John Yarmel, Dave Baker, Mayor Ron Reino
Also Present –Solicitor Jonathan Spohrer
Absent – Jason Tarreto

APPROVAL TO ACCEPT MEETING MINUTES AS WRITTEN

August 13, 2025 – Motion by Joseph Kovalick 2nd Dave Baker to accept the minutes as written

All In Favor – None Opposed – Motion Carried

August 25 ,2025 Special Meeting – Motion by John Yarmel 2nd Joseph Kovalick to accept the minutes as written.

All In Favor- None Opposed – Motion Carried

AUTHORIZATION TO PAY BILLS – as of September 10, 2025

Expense Report read by Chairman Michael Jancuska

Motion by John Yarmel 2nd Dave Baker to accept the report as written

All In Favor – None Opposed – Motion Carried

AUTHORIZATION TO DEPOSIT FUNDS – as of September 10, 2025

Income Report read by Chairman Michael Jancuska

Motion by Joseph Kovalick 2nd John Yarmel to accept the report & deposit the funds in their appropriate accounts.

All In Favor –None Opposed – Motion Carried

TREASURERS REPORT – as of August 31, 2025

Motion by John Yarmel 2nd Dave Baker to accept the Treasurer's report as written.

All In Favor-None Opposed-Motion Carried

REPORTS

Mayor Ron Reino – In the absence of Councilman Jason Tarreto, Mayor Ron Reino read the Police Report for August 2025 – 249 calls for service.

Michael Jancuska – July 2025 Code Enforcement

Jason Tarreto – Absent

John Yarmel – Food & Fun program handed out 2,290 lunches & 3 ton of food at the Food Giveaway

Joe Kovalick – Nothing

Dave Baker – Update on power for Main St Christmas lights, Yellow Dot Program Pamphlets

Report by Solicitor – None

Report by Engineer – None

Correspondence – Verdantas

OLD BUSINESS/NEW BUSINESS

- ❖ Hazard Mitigation Resolution – Motion by Joseph Kovalick 2nd John Yarmel to adopt the Hazard Mitigation Resolution.
All in Favor – None Opposed – Motion Carried
- ❖ Handicap Request 499 Vaughn St – Discussed but did not meet Ordinance Criteria.
- ❖ LSA Grant Charles Street Park Resolution – Motion by John Yarmel 2nd Joseph Kovalick to adopt the Charles Street Park Resolution.
All In Favor – None Opposed – Motion Carried.
- ❖ Drug Paraphernalia Ordinance Discussion – will be drafted by Atty Sphorer for Vote at October Meeting
- ❖ LSA Grant – Get quotes for Police, Fire and DPW equipment.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Mary Kovalcin – Light up Luzerne

Natalie Goodman- Grants, Stephen, Police


Sue Phillips – Police, John Cordaro- Police, Pamela Slavish - Police, Amanda Phillips-Police

ADJOURNMENT - Motion by Joseph Kovalick 2nd Dave Baker to adjourn

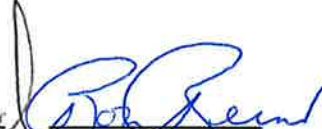
All In Favor – None Opposed – Motion Carried



Nicole Lord
Secretary



Michael Jancuska
Chairman



Ron Reino
Mayor