



West Pikeland Township

ATTENDING BOARD OF SUPERVISORS	ATTENDING TOWNSHIP PERSONNEL
Noreen Vigilante, Chair	Dorene Guistwhite, Township Treasurer
Harold M. Hallman III, Vice Chair	Joseph L. Romano III, Township Manager
Tom McLewee, Supervisor	Guy Donatelli, Solicitor
Carin Mifsud, Supervisor	Sergeant Wayne O'Connell, Officer-in-Charge

Ms. Vigilante called the meeting to order on May 5, 2025, at 7:36 PM and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

MOMENT OF SILENCE: Mr. Hallman asked for a moment of silence in remembrance of former Board of Supervisor Chairman, Dr. George Irwin. Mr. Hallman shared that Mr. Irwin was instrumental in seeking Federal recognition of Anselma Mill, and the establishment of the West Pikeland Land Trust.

EXECUTIVE SESSIONS

Ms. Vigilante stated that an executive session regarding personnel was held on May 5, 2025

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Ms. Mifsud made a motion to approve the agenda for the May 5, 2025, Board of Supervisors meeting. Seconded by Mr. McLewee. The motion was unanimously approved.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Mr. Hallman made a motion to approve the minutes of April 21, 2025, Board of Supervisors meeting. Seconded by Ms. Mifsud. The motion was unanimously approved.

REPORTS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Chester County Consortium Renewal Engagement Letter. Mr. Romano explained that the Township's cable franchise agreement with Comcast is set to expire in November 2026. This renewal presents an opportunity for West Pikeland Township to secure important benefits and asserts the Township's legal rights with the cable provider. This proposed action was coordinated with Mr. Donatelli, the Township Solicitor, who recommended the BoS to proceed.

- Ms. Mifsud made a motion to approve the engagement of the Cohen Legal Group to represent West Pikeland Township in negotiations with COMCAST. Seconded by Mr. Hallman. The motion was unanimously approved.

Personnel – Officer McCarron Discharge. Ms. Mifsud moved to table the action. Seconded by Mr. Hallman. The motion was approved.

PUBLIC COMMENT

-Ms. Dawn Catteau opined that the presence of a township police force may have prevented the death of a neighbor.

- Linda Reilly sought an explanation for the police hours being reduced.

- Sergeant O'Connell explained the hours for April were adjusted to align with budget. Currently the police are maintaining their standard operating hours of service.

- Mr. Edward Gallen further explained his comment from the Board of Supervisors meeting on April 21, 2025, regarding police response to incidents at Montgomery School. Mr. Gallen explained the on-scene command role, as well as the responsibility of responding to law enforcement personnel.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next Board of Supervisors meetings are scheduled for: Monday, May 19, 2025, at 7:30 PM, and Monday, June 2, 2025, at 7:30 PM

ADJOURNMENT

Ms. Mifsud made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:59 PM. Seconded by Mr. Hallman. The motion was unanimously approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Dorene Guistwhite
Township Treasurer