

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

February 11, 2026

The regular monthly meeting of the Dennison Township Board of Supervisors was called to order by Chairman Sheila Weaver. After Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, roll call was taken as follows:

Sheila Weaver, present
Chris Bender, present
Angela Kaminski, present

Attorney Justin Richards, excused
Kathleen Stortz, present

The minutes of the January 5th reorganization and regular monthly meeting were approved on a motion by Chris Bender, second by Angela Kaminski. There were no questions. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

The Treasurer's Report was approved on a motion by Angela Kaminski, second by Chris Bender. There were no questions. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

The bills were read and approved to be paid on a motion by Angela Kaminski, second by Chris Bender. There were no questions. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

BUSINESS:

POLICE REPORT – There were 75.83 hours of patrol minutes, and 14.22 hours of incident minutes reported by the White Haven Police Department for the month of January.

PNC BANK – The secretary reported that after much confusion she has the necessary paperwork from PNC Bank to change signatories for the checking and savings accounts. She also reported that the account manager she met with to obtain the paperwork suggested that the township consider paying as many bills as possible electronically due to an increase in fraud as a result of paper checks. The supervisors agreed that it was a good idea. The secretary will get more information regarding the process.

DATA CENTER ORDINANCE – Sheila Weaver reported that Angela Kaminski attended a meeting last week regarding Data Centers. There is another meeting February 24th in Sugarloaf and Angela was invited to tour Data Center Alley by Representative Jamie Walsh. Sheila stated the supervisors have a lot to learn but they will be able to come up with an ordinance that will work for Dennison Township.

ZONING REPORT -Two zoning permits were issued in December, one for a prebuilt shed and the other for a detached deck. One zoning permit was issued in January for a second-floor addition.

ROAD REPORT – Roadmaster Jim Yackiel reported he plowed snow and cleaned snow off culverts. Recycle bins have been emptied and he ordered Anti-Skid. The secretary ordered a load of salt but that is the last load the township can get in this winter season. The township ordered 44 tons of salt for the 2026-2027 winter season but can change the amount requested up to March 15th. The supervisors decided to change the amount of salt requested for 2026-2027 from 44 tons to 66 tons. Sheila Weaver informed Jim that a resident complained about cars going the wrong way on 4th Street, parking in the

wrong direction with tires on the road and some signs missing. She stated she believed there were two "No Parking Between Signs on 4th Street and one is missing. There was some confusion as to where the missing sign was supposed to be. Jim Yackiel will look into it.

ENGINEER REPORT – Sheila Weaver reported that the Ice Lake Bridge Project is ongoing. Letters were sent to property owners whose properties require access to in order to get to the bottom of the bridge. Some trees need to be cut on both properties and they need to be cut by April 1st because that is when the bats move back in and the trees need to be cut before that happens. To date, one property owner has responded.

FIRE REPORT - There were 2 calls during the month of January, a motor vehicle accident in Dennison Township and a structure fire Tunkhannock Township. The motor vehicle accident call was cancelled by police, and the fire company was unable to move the tanker that was requested for the structure fire due to a snowstorm. There was also 2.5 hours of maintenance.

TAX COLLECTOR - Margaret McNamara stated at Tax Collector training she was told that she does not have to accept cash. She said she will see how things go this year and inform anyone bringing cash that she will not accept cash next year. Her hours will be every Monday night starting February 23 through April 22. In addition, she will have hours on one or two Saturdays toward the end of April which is the end of the rebate period. She said she may also be available every Monday through June 23 but she will decide that at a later date.

ADJOURNMENT – On a motion by Angela Kaminski, second by Chris Bender, the meeting was adjourned at 6:40. Motion carried.