

Mill Village Borough Regular Meeting
Wednesday, March 4, 2026

The Regular Meeting of the Mill Village Borough Council was called to order at 6:30 p.m.
In attendance: President Linda Falconer, Vice President Mark Kuhn, and Council Members: Edward Falconer, David Alexander, Mark Costello, Shawn McLaughlin, Michael Yovich, Solicitor Patricia Kennedy, Mayor Steve Yovich and Secretary/Treasurer Catherine Wise along with Resident Sean Falconer and Mr. Joe Cunningham.

Edward Falconer motioned to accept the Proposed Agenda. David Alexander seconded. All voted yes.

Shawn McLaughlin motioned to approve the Minutes from the February 4, 2026, meeting and the February 28, 2026, Treasurer's Report. Michael Yovich seconded. All voted yes.

Discussion was held on 2 reports concerning chickens within Mill Village Borough, chickens are permitted on North Main Street but are not permitted in the Business Zone on West Center Street. A letter will be sent to the Resident on West Center Street, stating that she is not zoned for chickens.

Public Comment: Sean Falconer and Joe Cunningham were present and had no comment.

Shawn McLaughlin motioned to accept Tim Pietrasewicz's resignation. Mark Kuhn seconded the motion. All voted yes.

The Solar Speed Sign has been sent back for repair.

The Mill Village Borough Community Park pre-bid will be held March 18, 2026, at 10:30 a.m. and the Bid Opening will be March 26, 2026 at 1:00 p.m.

The Woods Road Project preliminary quote has been submitted as \$18,915.56. To be determined after the bids are accepted.

Mark will speak with LeBoeuf Township Road Foreman – Bill Phillips - about potholes on Dutchtown Road.

Maintenance Supervisor Mark Costello stated that if anything needs done by Brad, within the Borough, Council members will call Councilman Costello, and in turn he will contact Brad and tell him what needs done. This rule was established at the previous meeting. Brad has been plowing and salting the past month.

The Job Description for the Mill Village Borough Employee was reviewed and revised.

Discussion was held on the Mill Village Volunteer Fire Company concerning payments for calls and paid staffing. Council asked the Solicitor Patricia Kennedy what is legally acceptable in The Fire Tax Ordinance: Can it be paid on a per-diem for calls to various fire departments & EMS. Council also asked what would happen if the Mill Village Volunteer Fire Company would fold up. What would be done with the Assets of the Fire Company?
Additional discussion was held on Fire Company fund raisers, donations and payments from municipalities. Councilmembers asked about Audits, Financial Records, Budgets, etc.
Tabled until more information can be acquired.

General Comments from Council President: No Comment

General Comments from Solicitor: *The Knox Law Symposium is April 29, 2026 at 12:00 p.m.*

General Comments from the Mayor and Council:

Mayor Yovich– No Comment

Vice President Kuhn – No Comment

Councilman E. Falconer – No Comment

Councilman McLaughlin– No Comment

Councilman Alexander– Commented that a streetlight is needed by the bridge and cheese factory building on North Main Street.

Councilman Yovich– No Comment

Councilman Costello – No Comment

Michael Yovich moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:59 p.m. Seconded by Mark Kuhn, all in favor, motion carried.

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday – **April 1, 2026** at **6:30 p.m.**