

Minutes
West Middlesex Borough
Work Session Meeting
January 14, 2026
6:30 pm

Call to Order: The West Middlesex Borough Work Session meeting was called to order at 6:30 pm by the Borough Council President Mr. Tim Webster

Pledge of Allegiance

Council Present: President Mr. Tim Webster Conducted the Meeting, Vice-President Mr. Dennis Bollinger, Mr. Robert Rankin, Mr. Keiuffer Ritter, Mrs. Cristal Bollinger, Mayor Stacey Curry was absent.

Others Present: Secretary/Treasurer: Paula Luca, Streets Department Senior Laborer: Mr. William Schwartz, Mr. David Dye, Mr. Ray Lucich.

Public Comments: None

Street Department Report:

New Electrical Box for Garage: Bill is waiting on bids to have the electrical box replaced in the Garage. It is outdated. Possible fire hazard. The breakers do not trip when they are supposed to. Bill will also reach out to Donatelli Electric to try to get information concerning the street lights on the bridge.

Testing of North Street Pump Station: Bill reported that the cost to have the oil material tested that is showing up at the North Street Pump Station will cost appx. \$400. This will be added to the Council Meeting Agenda to be voted on.

Items for Muncibid: The items to be advertised for sale on Muncibid are the Lawn Mower, Air Compressor, and the Back Hoe. We do not have a title for the back hoe, so it will have to be advertised as is, for scrap. The account is set up to place the items to be sold, Paula requested assistance in posting the items to be sold. Mr. Lucich recommended including that the 9% premium has to be paid by the buyer.

Outlets in Office/Furnace & Air Conditioner: Mr. Bollinger suggest that the electric lines be traced. This will show what is on each breaker.

Vandalism/Skate Park: Secretary Paula Luca will check on Insurance Policy. It was discussed that possibly the signs will need to be re-done.

Heater at the Borough Garage: The heater has not been installed as of yet. Bill updated the Council that he has ordered 3 loads of salt so far this year. He also had to replace the belt for the salt spreader on Scott's Truck. He also ordered 2 additional belts to have as back up.

Town Hall Meeting/ Meet the Police: Council discussed scheduling a Town Hall Meeting to have the Residents Meet the Police, and also to update the Residents on the projects the Council is planning on possibly addressing this year. The location of the meeting was discussed. Secretary Paula Luca will get information on the cost of possibly scheduling at Good Shepherd Church Social Hall. Also, the cafeteria at the WMHS was mentioned. This item will be added to the Council Meeting Agenda to vote on a date and location. Once the date is set, it will be advertised in the February Newsletter, and on Face Book. Flyers can also be sent to the Residents.

2026 Projected Projects:

Penn Ave:

Blighted Property: Attorney Tesone will be instructed to follow up with Mr. Richardson to confirm that everything is in order legally to move forward on the removal of 9 Penn Ave.

Storm Sewer Issues: The pipe is getting bad under the roadway on Penn Ave. GPI has been working on the project, but Council has not received a project update from them.

Street Repair Project: The Borough received Grant Money from the LSA Grant in the amount of \$53,000 to be used towards Street Repairs. Council will need to determine what street project this money will be used towards.

Garfield Street: Storm Water Issue.

Chestnut Street: Storm Water Sewer Issues. Mr. Bollinger will reach out to PennDOT concerning the replacement of the 10-inch pipe in the ditch on Rt. 18.

Community Pool: Mayor Stacey Curry was not at the meeting to give an update concerning the ACT 13 Grant Request. Mr. Keiuffer Ritter did update Council that he has sent Mayor Stacey Curry the Application for possible Sponsorship from UPMC.

Mr. Lucich brought to the attention of Council the carbon monoxide issues at the Walker Building apartments. The Fire Department had responded to 2 separate calls. It was discussed to write a letter to the Owner of the Apartments to update him on the situation

Adjournment