

McSherrystown Borough Council
Meeting Minutes
Thursday December 26th, 7pm

CALL TO ORDER: The Borough of McSherrystown held its regular meeting on Thursday December 26th, 2024 at 7pm in the council chambers at 338 Main Street, McSherrystown, Pennsylvania with President Niedererr presiding. President Niedererr opened the meeting with the pledge of allegiance and invocation. The following council were in attendance:

Robert Niedererr
Joseph VonSas
Keith Lewter
Tom Snyder
Kim Wagner
Tim Klunk

Solicitor Luke Gibson, Jessica Freiert

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

A motion was made by Councilman VonSas to approve the minutes as written from the November 27th, 2024 council meeting. Seconded by Councilman Lewter.
Motion carries.

ANNOUNCEMENTS/COMMUNICATIONS:

Manager Freiert addressed Mayor Hagerman's request of the breakdown of the legal fees spent in 2024: Regular meeting/executive sessions \$12556, Contracts/Agreements \$2785, Ordinances/Resolutions \$1685, RTK Requests/Appeals \$12341, 2023 year end matters & Reorganizational meeting \$4356, Personnel Matters/Boro & PD(Mayor) Matters \$11022, Labor Council \$16484, Zoning Matters/Hearings \$6602, Conditional Use Hearings \$1490, Columbia Gas \$2211, Turkey Hill \$802, BrightSpeed \$1049, McKinsley Heights \$906, Liens & Collections \$1336, Litigation 1 \$8510, Litigation 2 \$8851.

MAYOR/POLICE REPORT

Chief Kitzmiller gave a police report for the month of November.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

No Public Comment.

NEW BUSINESS:

ADOPTION OF THE 2025 BUDGET

A motion was made by Councilman Klunk to adopt the 2025 budget. Seconded by Councilman Snyder.
Motion Carries.

RESOLUTION 2024-09 TAXES

A motion was made by Councilman Lewter to approve Resolution 2024-09 to set the tax rates for the 2025 fiscal year. No changes were made to taxes from last year. Seconded by Councilman Klunk.
Motion Carries.

RESOLUTION 2024-10 FEE SCHEDULE

A motion was made by Councilman VonSas to approve Resolution 2024-10 to approve the Fee Schedule for the 2025 fiscal year. Seconded by Councilwoman Wagner.
Motion Carries.

RESOLUTION 2024-11 SALARIES

A motion was made by Councilman Lewter to approve Resolution 2024-11 to approve the salaries for the 2025 fiscal year. Seconded by Councilman Klunk.
Motion Carries.

APPROVAL TO ADVERTISE THE 2025 BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETINGS

A motion was made by Councilman VonSas to approve advertising of the 2025 council meetings as the second and fourth Wednesday of each month at 6:30pm in the Council Chambers. This motion was seconded by Councilman Lewter.
Motion Carries.

APPROVAL OF EXPENDITURES

A motion was made by Councilman Snyder to approve the expenditures paid from 11/12-12/23. Seconded by Councilman Klunk.
Motion Carries.

A motion to adjourn was made by Councilwoman Wagner at 7:28pm.

End Minutes.
Respectfully Submitted,

Jessica Friert
Secretary/Treasurer