

DURYEA BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING

April 14, 2026

WORKSESSION

- The agenda has been made available for public inspection. Council members have been provided with a copy of the agenda in advance of this meeting.
- Public comment regarding agenda items.

MEETING

- Pledge to the flag.
- An attendance roll call will now be taken by the Manager.
- With a quorum present, the meeting will continue.
- Council met in executive session on March 31st and again this evening to discuss fire department personnel.
- Please be advised that this public meeting was advertised in the legal section of the Times Leader, which is attached.
- All minutes, correspondence, bills, and reports are available for inspection.
- Reports from department heads.
- Council and Mayor comments.

Old Business

- Dump box sale
- Parking ordinance changes
- Gaming Ordinance changes
- Solicitation permits – copies of Duryea and local towns applications located in the packet

New Business

- 2026 Liquid Fuels Paving Project - cost estimates received
- Spring cleanup – Duryea Wetlands – April 18th
- Repair Centennial Clock
- Building permit fee schedule
- Major Lane – removing one-way
- Blueberry Hills paving – possible loan/possibly add to the multi modal grant

Meeting

Motion:

1. to accept the minutes as posted.
2. that all correspondence be accepted, action be taken where necessary and placed on file.
3. that all bills, wages, salaries, and commissions be paid when funds are available.
4. to approve payment of bills that were paid after the last meeting, but before approval of bills for this meeting.
5. that all reports be accepted, action be taken where necessary and placed on file.
6. to appoint the following part-time police officers for the month of May 2026, as necessary for the general welfare, health, and safety of the public: Giles – Wall – Anderson
7. to authorize the solicitor to advertise Ordinance 2026-1 regarding parking along streets in the borough for the May 2026 meeting.
8. to approve Resolution 2026-5 to apply for the C2P2 Grant through DCNR to aid in the development of the Duryea Wetland Trails.
9. to approve a handicap sign to be placed in front of the residence at 224 Swetland Street.
10. to approve a handicap sign to be placed in front of the residence at 317 Bennett Street.
11. to approve payment for reimbursement #3 to Multiscape for the Excelsior Building Update Phase II Local Share Account grant in the amount of \$116,457; reimbursement from DCED has been received.
12. to reinstate the work session 2 weeks prior to each council meeting at 6:15 p.m.
13. to choose the following streets to go out to bid for paving using 2026 liquid fuels funds (approximately \$116k –500-600 block New St/Fulton St – Stephenson to Swetland).
14. to authorize the engineer to put the street(s) listed above out to bid using the 2026 liquid fuels funds.
15. to adopt Pittston City's building permit fee schedule.

PUBLIC COMMENT

CLOSING COMMENTS - COUNCIL/MAYOR

With no further business to transact, the chair will entertain a motion to adjourn.