

YOE BOROUGH
150 NORTH MAPLE STREET
YOE, PA 17313

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The regular monthly meeting of Yoe Borough Council was held on May 5, 2026, at the Yoe Borough Municipal Building, 150 N. Maple Street, Yoe, PA 17313. The meeting was called to order by Council President Samuel Snyder at 7:00 PM followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Council members in attendance:

William Bankoske

Ryan Harper

Samuel Snyder

Seth Noll

Tim Ward

George Howett

Tyler Sprenkle

Others in attendance

Chris Kraft, Engineer

Seth Springer, Solicitor

Diana Dvorak, Secretary-Treasurer

Minutes

Councilman Snyder asked if everyone had a chance to review the minutes from the prior meeting. Councilman Sprenkle made a motion to approve the minutes, seconded by Councilman Bankoske. All in favor, minutes accepted.

Visitor's Report

There were no visitors in attendance at this meeting.

Engineer's Report

Report provided. We received the bid specs, but they came in much higher than anticipated. Overall JVI came in with the low bid for the base bid. In areas 3, 3A and 4 Farhat was the low bid; which are the areas that can be completed to get closest to the grant funds available, regardless of who does the project. These bids will be used as a base estimate for the remaining project areas when we are ready to move forward. JVI for those areas came in at \$402,873 and Farhat at \$388,570. Because of how this was bid Mr. Kraft feels that we are obligated to go with JVI because they had the overall low bid. Discussion continued. Councilman Noll made a motion to award areas 3, 3A and 4 to JVI. Areas 1 and 2 are not to be completed at this time. Councilman Sprenkle seconded the motion.

Councilman Noll feels that we should hold off on any street projects for this year. Discussion continued.

Sewer Billing

No updates.

Solicitor's Report

Ordinance 2026-01 – Industrial Waste Changes – Councilman Sprenkle made a motion to ordain. Councilman Bankoske seconded the motion. All in favor, motion carried.

Ordinance 2026-02 – Quality of Life Ordinance – Councilman Noll made a motion to ordain. Councilman Ward seconded the motion. All in favor, motion carried.

The Mayor has 10 days to accept or reject. If not action is taken the ordinances are deemed approved.

Maintenance Report

The trucks are due for inspection.

Council took the opportunity to thank Councilman Howett for all of the work he puts into the Borough.

Zoning Officer's Report

Patti has sent a few letters regarding grass.

EMA Report

Report Provided.

Mayor's Report

Report provided.

Secretary's Report

ATS wanted to inform us that they have extended our contract. No signature needed by them. Routine inspections will continue, maintenance work completed as needed.

Veteran Landscaping is potentially being sold. The new contractor has agreed to keep the contracted prices for the remainder of the year.

The cameras at the park are not working, this is most likely a WIFI issue with the beaming units not effective enough. The best solution would be to put cellular data at the park. The cost is \$350 for the device and \$30 a month. Councilman Noll made a motion to approve. Councilman Harper seconded the motion. All in favor, order approved.

Hamilton & Musser had a few extra comments in addition to their yearly review about the audit. The Borough has some unclaimed funds they should apply for.

Unfinished Business

None at this time.

New Business

No new business.

Payment of the Bills

Councilman Noll made a motion to pay the bills. Seconded by Councilman Sprenkle. All in favor, bills to be paid.

Adjournment

Councilman Ward made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:57PM. Seconded by Councilman Snyder, all in favor, meeting adjourned.