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Executive Session- Land Acquisition, Litigation & Personnel
6:30 pm- Oak Room

Bellefonte Borough Council Business Meeting
7:30 PM, Tuesday, February 17th, 2026
In-Person, Council Chambers
301 N. Spring St, 1st Floor

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Recordings can be viewed on CNET, Comcast’s Government Education Channel 7, or at www.cnet1.org **ATTEND IN PERSON.** The meeting room is open with normal occupancy limits.

I. CALL TO ORDER – Council Vice President Cleeton

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. ROLL CALL

Mr. Brachbill, <i>South Ward</i>	Mr. Kelly, <i>West Ward</i>	
Ms. Cleeton, <i>Vice-President, South Ward</i>	Ms. Tosti-Vasey, <i>Pro Tempore, West Ward</i>	
Ms. Dann, <i>South Ward</i>	Ms. Wilson, <i>North Ward</i>	
Mr. Eaton, <i>North Ward</i>	Ms. Meckley, <i>Junior Council Member</i>	
Mr. Johnson, <i>President, North Ward</i>	Mayor Johnson, <i>At Large</i>	
Ms. McKean, <i>West Ward</i>		

IV. ADDITIONS TO THE COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

Under Act 65 of 2021, if a matter is not on the Agenda, Council may not take official action on it with the following exceptions. Council can act on matters relating to potential or real emergencies. Council may add a matter of agency business to its agenda through a majority vote. The council must state why the action item is being added to the Agenda.
Council may vote to add an action item(s) to the agenda.

V. PUBLIC COMMENT (Oral)

Borough Council intends to take public comment related to the motion that is on the floor after it has been duly made and seconded. The order of comments will be public comment and then council comment, including proposed amendments by council members. If amendments are proposed to the original motion, the public will then only comment on the amendment(s) before final votes are taken. You must be a Bellefonte resident, a non-profit representative, a business owner, or an official representative of another governmental agency. Speakers shall identify themselves by name and street, municipality, if outside of the Borough of Bellefonte. Comments are limited to three (3) minutes.

VI. COMMUNICATIONS (written)

Seniors for Safe Driving is hosting a Mature Driver Improvement Course on Thursday, March 19, from 12:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Bellefonte Senior Center, 110 N. Spring St., Bellefonte . Informational item only; no Council action is requested.
2026 Pennsylvania State Association of Boroughs (PSAB) Annual Conference, May 31-June 3, 2026. If you are interested in registering for the conference, please contact Alyssa Doherty. Informational item only; no Council action is requested.
Correspondence received from the Centre County Recycling & Refuse Authority regarding an upcoming Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event and a recycling survey for residents. Informational item only; no Council action is requested.

VII. CONSENT AGENDA

All items listed on the Consent Agenda are considered routine and will be acted upon by a single motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless members of the Council request specific items to be removed for separate action. **Motion/2nd to approve the Consent Agenda.**

General	DRAFT Council Meeting Minutes February 2, 2026
Finance	Lamb McErlane PC Legal Invoice January 2026
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VIII. REPORTS

Elected Official and Staff Reports <i>Please limit all reports/rebuttals/deliberations to three minutes maximum.</i>		
DEPARTMENT	OFFICIAL/ STAFF	REPORT
Mayor ➤ Proclamation- Black History Month February 2026	Mayor Johnson	Submitted
Police ➤ January 2026 Report	Chief Witmer	Submitted
Parking ➤ January 2026 Report	Ms. McCullough	Submitted
Office of Community Affairs (OCA) ➤ Motion/2nd to approve the Final Plan for the Lot Consolidation of Lands of the Bellefonte Cemetery Association and Lot Addition of Lands of Andrew J. and Jennifer L. Youstic. ➤ Motion/2nd to approve the Preliminary/Final Land Development Plan for 821 E. Bishop Street (former Rite Aid), conditional upon completion of the required traffic study and Fire Department review. ➤ The next scheduled HARB meeting is Tuesday, February 24 th at 8:30am. ➤ The next Planning Commission meeting is Monday, March 9 at 5:00pm.	Ms. Thompson	Submitted
Interim Borough Manager ➤ January 2026 Report	Mr. Pribulka	Submitted

IX. COMMITTEE REPORTS

Elected Official Committee Reports <i>Please limit all reports/rebuttals/deliberations to three minutes maximum.</i>		
COMMITTEE	ELECTED OFFICIAL	REPORT
Environmental & Parks Committee ➤ January 2026 Report	Ms. Tosti-Vasey	Submitted
Finance & Administration Committee ➤ January 2026 Report	Mr. Eaton	Verbal
Ordinance ad hoc Committee ➤ January 2026 Report	Ms. Tosti-Vasey	Submitted
Streets, Infrastructure & Public Works Committee ➤ January 2026 Report	Mr. Brachbill	Submitted

X. LIAISON REPORTS

Reports will be submitted in writing for inclusion in the council meeting materials. Reports may include draft meeting minutes, notes, memos, etc. No verbal report is to be given unless there is a question regarding the report. If council action is requested, please clearly indicate it, including the wording, so that it can be stated on the council meeting agenda.

ADMINISTRATIVE	LIAISON	REPORT
Bandshell/Performance Center Project Committee	Mr. Pribulka	
Bellefonte Emergency Medical Services	Mr. Rhoat	Submitted
Bellefonte Intervalley Chamber of Commerce	Ms. Thompson	
Bellefonte Police Pension Board	Mr. Pribulka	
Nittany Valley Joint Recreation Authority	Mr. Pribulka	
Penn State University Sustainability Projects	Mr. Pribulka	
Shade Tree Commission	Ms. Doherty	
Union Cemetery Association	Mr. Pribulka	
Workplace Safety Committee	Ms. Doherty	Submitted
AUTHORITIES / COUNCIL APPOINTED	LIAISON	REPORT
Bellefonte Borough Authority	Mr. D. Johnson	
Centre County Airport Authority	Mr. D. Johnson	
COMMISSIONS / COUNCIL APPOINTED	LIAISON	REPORT
Civil Service Commission	Mr. Brachbill	
Spring Creek Watershed Commission	Mr. Brachbill	
SPECIAL COMMITTEES / COUNCIL APPOINTED	LIAISON	REPORT
Bellefonte Fire Department Executive Committee	Mr. Brachbill	
Centre County Library Board	Ms. Cleeton	Submitted
Centre Region Council of Governments (COG) Public Safety Committee	Mr. Brachbill	
Public Transit Task Force Committee	Ms. Tosti-Vasey	Submitted
SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS / APPOINTED	LIAISON	REPORT
Nittany Valley Joint Planning Commission (NVJPC)	Ms. Thompson	
Centre County Metropolitan Planning Organization (CCMPO)	Ms. Tosti-Vasey	

XII. CURRENT and OLD BUSINESS

Public Hearing – Ordinance No. 02172026-01
Public Hearing to receive public comment on proposed Ordinance No.02172026-01, titled “Chapter No. 530 Vehicles and Traffic.”
Approval of Ordinance No. 02172026-01 amendment to parking prohibitions in Chapter No. 530 Vehicles and Traffic. Motion/2nd to approve Ordinance No. 02172026-01 amendment to parking prohibitions in Chapter No. 530 Vehicles and Traffic.
Public Hearing – Ordinance No. 02172026-02
Public Hearing to receive public comment on proposed Ordinance No. 02172026-02, titled “Chapter 249 Disorderly Conduct.”
Approval of Ordinance No. 02172026-02 amendment to Chapter 249, Article II, permitting possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages during Borough-approved Special Events. Motion/2nd to approve Ordinance No. 02172026-02 amendment to Chapter 249, Article II, permitting possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages during Borough-approved Special Events.

XIII. NEW BUSINESS

The Streets, Infrastructure, and Public Works Committee recommends that Council authorize the Borough to engage Vialytics for the implementation of its AI-powered road and infrastructure management system. Motion/2nd to authorize the execution of an Agreement with Vialytics for the implementation of its road and infrastructure management system, with payment to be made from Liquid Fuels funds.
Resolutions to the Pennsylvania State Association of Boroughs (PSAB). Current PSAB legislative policy priority information is included in the council meeting materials. Council may discuss new policies that would be submitted to PSAB in the form of a Resolution for their legislative priority process to take place at the annual conference in June. Council may approve Resolutions to be submitted to PSAB for consideration in their annual legislative priorities process. A Work Session will be scheduled in March to discuss resolutions to submit to PSAB. Informational item only; no Council action is requested.

XIV. PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING ISSUES NOT ON THE AGENDA

This Public Comment period is for oral comments regarding items not listed on this meeting agenda. Speakers shall identify themselves by name and street, municipality, if outside of the Borough of Bellefonte. Comments are limited to three (3) minutes maximum.

XV. COUNCIL MEMBER COMMENTS/FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER

Please try to limit all comments/rebuttals to three minutes maximum.

XVI. ADJOURNMENT

The council meeting will be adjourned at or as close to 9:00 PM as possible.

The Council Public Comment Policy will be included with each Agenda.