

August 5, 2025

Derry Borough Council met in special session Tuesday, August 5, 2025 7:00pm at AV Germano Hall, 100 W. Second Street, Derry, PA with the following members present: Barbara Phillips, Rob White, Nathan Bundy, Jasen Lentz, Sara Cowan, and Rich Eikenburg. Jim Ritenour was absent. Lee Demosky, solicitor, was present. Grant Nicely, Mayor was present.

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS

No visitors

COMMUNICATIONS

Derry Borough Public Service Announcement on Stormwater

Derry Borough would like to remind all residents and employees who work within the Borough that our storm sewer inlets, curbs and gutters, drainage ditches and storm pipes discharge directly and untreated into McGee Run, Garlane Mills, Ethel Springs and other natural waterways within the Borough. In order to help keep our waterways clean, we remind residents and businesses to please:

- Do NOT discard leaves, grass clippings, used oil, paints, solvents, pet wastes or other wastes into the storm drains, onto the street or into streams or other waterways.
 - Clean up after your pet. Don't let pet wastes get washed into the street or down the storm drain.
 - Wash your vehicle at a commercial car wash or if washing it at home, wash your vehicle in a grassy or gravel area. Or divert your washwater into the grass or gravel area.
 - Properly dispose of used motor oil, oil-based paints, solvents, household cleaners and other hazardous household chemicals. Go to www.westmorelandcleanways.org for more info.
 - Maintain the grass height in your yard at 3 inches or more. Longer grass is healthier and requires less fertilizer.
 - If using fertilizers or pesticides, always follow the directions and never apply immediately before a rain storm.
 - If draining your pool, allow your pool to dechlorinate first by keeping it uncovered and waiting ten (10) days after its last chlorination to allow the chlorine to dissipate in the air.
 - Do NOT discard leaves onto the street, into the storm drains, streams or other waterways.
- ~Together, we can protect and preserve the streams and lakes of our community.

SPECIAL BUSINESS

1. **MOTION** by Nathan Bundy to approve workers compensation settlement with Employee No. 1 with the Borough's insurance carrier paying a total of \$1,500.00 in exchange for a compromise and release of all past and future workers' compensation benefits. Motion SECONDED by Sara Cowan. All members present voted "aye" in favor of the motion. Motion passed.
2. **MOTION** by Nathan Bundy approve PA Heart & Lung Act settlement with Employee No. 1 with the Borough crediting a total of 16 hours of sick time back to the employee in exchange for a full and final release. Motion SECONDED by Sara Cowan. All members present voted "aye" in favor of the motion. Motion passed.
3. **MOTION** by Jasen Lentz to enter Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement with the Derry Borough Municipal Authority to cooperate in the bidding, contract award and

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overseeing the 2025 paving of their respective roadways identified in a plan attached to said Agreement. Res. 694-25. Motion SECONDED by Rob White. All members present voted “aye” in favor of the motion. Motion passed.

4. **MOTION** by Nathan Bundy to approve Memorandum of Understanding between the Borough of Derry and the Friends of Derry for the contribution of funds to pay wages to lifeguards at the Derry Community Pool. Res. 695-25. Motion SECONDED by Rich Eikenburg. All members present voted “aye” in favor of the motion. Motion passed.
5. **MOTION** by Jasen Lentz to advertise part-time police officer position. Motion SECONDED by Rob White. All members present voted “aye” in favor of the motion. Motion passed.
6. Public Hearing – no comments made.
Ordinance No. 819 Amending the General Industrial Zone to permit additional uses and establish off street parking and loading requirements (Advertised for approval 8-12-2025 council meeting).
7. Public Hearing – no comments made.
Ordinance No. 820 amending Nuisances - Disorderly Houses (Advertised for approval 8-12-2025 council meeting).

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Sara Cowan to adjourn meeting. Motion SECONDED by Rich Eikenburg. All members present voiced “aye” in favor of the motion. Motion passed.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:07pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Lori L. Latta
Secretary