

BOROUGH OF HANOVER
BOROUGH COUNCIL
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The following are the highlights of the Borough Council’s November meetings. You can read supporting documents on most items of Council business by following links under “Agendas and Minutes” on the Borough website.

BOROUGH COUNCIL ACTIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

HANOVER EMPLOYEE SERVICE AWARDS: Julie Moul and Thomas Musselman for 40 years of service and Douglas Rummel for 30 years of service

PROCLAMATION HONORING THE HANOVER SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA – on their 25th anniversary

2021 HANOVER CHILI COOKOFF - Presentation of the event’s proceeds were made to:

- HART Center \$ 5,000
- Guthrie Library \$ 5,000
- Friends of Codorus \$ 4,000
- Adams Co. SPCA \$ 2,000
- York Co. SPCA \$ 2,000
- Boy Scouts \$ 1,500
- EMS \$ 500
- Black Rose Rollers \$ 500
- \$20,500

FIRE COMMISSION: Approved the Fire Commission budget, including an additional administrative position at a cost of \$50,000 to the Borough.

2022 BOROUGH BUDGET: Approved the 2022 Borough Budget for advertisement for public inspection. The Borough Budget will be available Friday December 3rd on the Borough website and at the Borough Office and Library. Final adoption of the budget is scheduled on Wednesday December 22, 2021.

2022 BOROUGH GOALS: Approved Borough Goals which are now posted for the public on the Borough website.

CODES ENFORCEMENT: Approved the Contract for Codes Enforcement Services with the Pennsylvania Municipal Code Alliance until December 31, 2023, at the rate of \$50 per hour, not to exceed 20 hours per week; contract to include additional administrative and support services.

SPACE PLANNING FOR POTENTIAL RENOVATIONS FOR PUBLIC SAFETY, BOROUGH OFFICE AND LIBRARY:

- Approved architectural and engineering services from Buchart Horn for a feasibility study for the Public Safety Facility at the current Hanover Municipal Building at 44 Frederick Street, Hanover at a cost of \$13,800.
- Approved architectural design services from Buchart Horn to complete a detailed programming phase in order for the Borough of Hanover to determine the next step in developing the Guthrie Memorial Library, 2 Library Place, Hanover at a cost of \$8,200.

SOCIAL MEDIA: Adopted a policy to guide the actions of elected officials posting to social media.

PERSONNEL ACTIONS:

- Established the annual compensation of the Human Resources Manager at \$71,551 in 2022 at the conclusion of the employee's service as Interim Borough Treasurer/Human Resources Manager.
- Established the compensation for the following Library positions in 2021:
 1. Adult Department Manager to \$20.00 per hour
 2. Youth Department Manager to \$20.00 per hour
 3. Technical Services Supervisor to \$15.82 per hour

FIREWOOD: Agreed to move forward with a public auction for sale of firewood from the former Blackrock Landfill site.

AMENDMENT TO THE BOROUGH MANAGER ORDINANCE: Approved advertisement of an ordinance to amend Chapter 16, Powers and Duties of Borough Manager, to allow the Borough Manager to send a designee to meetings of Council and its Committees.

GREATER HANOVER HOUSING CORPORATION: Acknowledged, with gratitude, the payment in lieu of taxes of \$1500.

APPOINTMENTS: Appointed Amy Ehrhart to the Library Board of Governors for a term ending 1/31/22.

SPECIAL EVENTS: Approved the YWCA Coats of Friendship event.

DECEMBER MEETINGS OF THE COMMITTEES OF BOROUGH COUNCIL:

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| 1. Public Safety Committee: | Monday, December 6, 2021 6:00 PM |
| 2. Public Works & Facilities Committee: | Wednesday, December 8, 2021 6:00 PM |
| 3. Water & Sewer Committee: | Thursday, December 9, 2021 6:00 PM |
| 4. Council Workshop/Finance & Personnel: | Wednesday, December 15, 2021 7:00 PM |
| 5. Hanover Borough Council: | Wednesday, December 22, 2021 7:00 PM |