

**BOROUGH OF HANOVER**  
**BOROUGH COUNCIL**  
**PRESS RELEASE: November22, 2022**

The following are the highlights of the Borough Council's November meeting. You can read supporting documents on most items of Council business by following links under "[Agenda and Minutes](#)" on the Borough website.

**BOROUGH COUNCIL ACTIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**CHILI COOK-OFF PROCEEDS:** Mayor Whitman presented a total of \$35,000 to charitable organizations including: \$13,250 to the Exchange Club of Hanover; \$8,750 to the Guthrie Memorial Library; \$3,000 to the Friends of Codorus; \$3,000 to the Hanover Area Fire and Rescue; \$2,000 to the VFW Post #2506; \$2,000 to Veteran's Matter; \$1,500 to Boy Scout Troop #107; \$500 to the Black Rose Rollers, \$500 to the Young Marines; and \$500 to the Hanover Jaycees. She commended the Hanover Exchange Club for taking on the management of this important community charity event.

**EMPLOYEE SERVICE AWARD:** Public Works Department employee David A. Myers was presented with a Hanover Borough Employee Service Award for 30 years of service since September 1992.

**SPECIAL EVENTS:** Approval was granted for "2<sup>nd</sup> Saturdays" on May 13, 2023 and September 9, 2023 at the Hanover Market House.

**EXPIRING COMMITTEE TERMS:** Approval was granted to advertise expiring commission and board positions.

**EXTENSION OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANTS (CDBG):** Approval was granted for the extension of the following CDBG grants: Baer Playground Improvements; Doss Alley Green Street Improvements; West Hanover Park Improvements; and Wirt Park Improvements.

**2023 BUDGET ADVERTISEMENT:** Approval was granted for the advertisement of the 2023 Hanover Borough Budget for public inspection for a period of ten days from December 2, 2022, to December 16, 2022 prior to final adoption in December.

**REAL ESTATE TAX WAIVER:** Approval was granted to approve an ordinance and procedure for waiving additional charges assessed against a taxpayer who fails to pay their real estate taxes in a timely manner due to failure to receive notice.

**ACCOUNTING SOFTWARE PLATFORM CONTRACT:** Approval was granted for a fully integrated government accounting software platform with Springbrook Holding Company, LLC.

**CERTIFIED HIRING LIST:** Approval was granted to direct the Civil Service Commission to provide a certified hiring list to cover current vacancies in the Police Department.

EARLY RETIREMENT INCENTIVE PROGRAM: Approval was granted for applications for five employees to retire under the Early Retirement Incentive Program:

- Steven E. Wright, Water Dept. Meter Reader, 42 ½ years of service
- Robin L. Smith, Water Dept. Dams, Lead Caretaker, 35 ½ years of service
- Michael A. Harman, Water Dept Filter Plant Supervisor, 39 ½ years of service
- John E. Slagle, Water Dept. Filter Plant Lead Man, 35 ½ years of service
- Timothy N. Holland, Public Works Dept. Labor Foreman, 44 ½ years of service

ASSET CAPITALIZATION POLICY: Approval was granted for the 2023 Asset Capitalization Policy.

HANOVER MARKET HOUSE STUDY CONTRACTS: Approval was granted for contracts with Downstream Strategies and Bucharth Horn Architects for a Market Analysis/Feasibility Study and Architectural Evaluation paid in full by grants from the Warehime Foundation and the York County Economic Alliance (YCEA).

INFORMATIONAL ADVERTISEMENT: Approval was granted for a contract with Forever Media for a six-week, informational radio advertisement on the changes to metered parking.

SUBDIVISION PLAN FOR ASH DRIVE: Approval was granted for the Preliminary/Final Subdivision Plan for 712 Ash Drive.

CHERRY TREE RESTRICTED PARKING: Approval was granted to modify restricted parking in the Cherry Tree Phase I development.

DECEMBER MEETINGS OF THE COMMITTEES OF BOROUGH COUNCIL:

* Governance & Policy Committee	Monday, December 5, 2022 at 6:00 PM
* Public Safety Committee	Tuesday, December 6, 2022 at 6:00 PM
* Zoning/Conditional Use Training	Wednesday, December 14, 2022 at 6:00 PM
Conditional Use Public Hearing	Monday, December 19, 2022 at 6:00 PM
Council Workshop/Finance/Personnel Committee	Wednesday, December 21, 2022 at 7:00 PM
Hanover Borough Council	Wednesday, December 28, 2022 at 7:00 PM

*\* Meetings will be cancelled if there is no business.*