Mercersburg Borough Public Hearing & Council Meeting

113 South Main Street, Mercersburg, PA 17236 Monday, August 11, 2025 AGENDA 7:00 PM

I. Zoning Ordinance Amendment Hearing Called to Order

- A. The Zoning Ordinance Text Amendment was duly advertised in the Mercersburg Journal on July 23, 2025 & July 30, 2025.
- B. The Zoning Ordinance Text Amendment was submitted to the Franklin County Planning Commission and the Mercersburg Borough Planning Commission for review and comment.
- C. Ordinance _____ is a text amendment amending the Zoning Ordinance by adding uses, definitions, and provisions related to solar energy systems.
- II. Public Comments on the Zoning Ordinance Text Amendment
- III. Regularly scheduled meeting Public Comments/Guests
- IV. Minutes
 - A. Minutes for June 30, July 14, July 28, 2025, will be presented for approval at a future meeting
- V. Treasurer Report/Bills Payable
 - A. To approve the Treasurer's Report for the month ending July 31, 2025
 - B. To approve the Bills Payable List for the month ending July 31, 2025
- VI. Mayor's Report Scheduled to be present
- VII. Solicitor's Report Scheduled to be present
- VIII. Borough Manager's Report Scheduled to be present
- IX. Committee Reports
 - A. Act 537- No meeting
 - B. Finance No meeting
 - C. Fire Board Update provided at meeting
 - **D. HARB** No meeting
 - E. Nominating Committee No meeting
 - **F. Personnel** No meeting
 - **G. Planning** No meeting
 - H. Property/Technology 8/6/2025 Meeting Recommendations in New Business
 - **I. Steering Committee** No updates.
 - J. Streets No meeting
 - K. Summer Playground No meeting
 - L. Zoning Hearing Board No meeting

X. Old Business

- A. Oregon Street Project Update Borough Office to provide Solicitor with list of Non-Compliance addresses.
- B. Band Building Demo Project Update

XI. New Business

- A. Retroactively approve transfer of \$50,000 from General Fund to July-August Payroll
- B. Administrative Professional, Angela Alleman scheduled to start Monday, August 18, 2025
- C. Approve participation of Fire Police for non-emergency event in St. Thomas Township on August 16, 2025 from 8:00 AM until 5:00 PM. Event supports Make-a-Wish-Franklin County Truck Convoy.
- D. Property Committee August 6, 2025 Meeting Recommendations for Approval:
 - Approve purchase of Mercersburg Police Department Server (\$8,550)
 - Approve purchase of Mercersburg Police Department Workstation (\$1,800)
 - Approve purchase of Borough Office Computer (\$3,840.00)
 - Authorize Borough Staff to begin to explore options regarding the repair or replacement of the Borough Road Treatment Storage (Salt Shed)
 - Retroactively approve the sale of 2 seats from discarded Street Sweeper to Ed Twine (\$100)
- E. Approve Resolution 2025 -____ RESOLUTION DECLARING THAT IT IS DESIRABLE FOR THE HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE OF THE PEOPLE OF THE BOROUGH OF MERCERSBURG FOR THE MERCERSBURG BOROUGH GENERAL PURPOSE AUTHORITY TO FINANCE A PROJECT FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE REGENTS OF THE MERCERSBURG COLLEGE BY THE ISSUANCE OF THE AUTHORITY'S REVENUE BONDS; APPROVING SUCH ISSUANCE UNDER SECTION 147(f) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, AS AMENDED; AND REPEALING ALL PRIOR INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS (Included Draft 2025.07.30 General Purpose Authority Minutes)
- F. Approve Mercersburg Borough Ordinance _____ related to the Zoning Text Amendment amending the Zoning Ordinance by adding uses, definitions, and provisions related to solar energy systems.
- G. Approve Resolution Waiving Police Pension Contributions for 2022-2025 as drafted by the Solicitors' Office
- H. Executive Session Enter Executive Session to address Personnel Matters with possible action to be taken

XII. Correspondence - None

XIII. Meeting Schedule

A. Council: 8/25/2025 & 09/08/2025
B. Sewer: 8/14/2025 & 9/11/2025
C. Water: 8/21/2025 & 9/18/2025

D. Finance: TBD

E. HARB: 9/2/2025 & 11/04/2025
F. Personnel: 8/18/2025 & 9/15/2025
G. Planning: 8/20/2025 & 9/17/2025
H. Streets: 8/27/2025 & 09/24/2025
I. Property: 9/3/2025 & 10/01/2025
J. General Purpose Authority: TBD

^{*}ALL GUEST/CORRESPONDENCE IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER PER REQUEST/RECEIPT*