

**BOROUGH OF EDGEWOOD
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MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL MEETING HELD APRIL 6, 2026

Council President Petrolla called the meeting of the Borough of Edgewood to order at 7:35 pm.

ROLL CALL

Upon roll call the following responded: Dr. Blasiolo, Mr. Ellis, Ms. Furman, Mr. Love, Ms. Nielsen, and Ms. Yaney. Also present were Mayor Sherman, Police Chief Altieri, Assistant Manager Ault, and Patrick Gannon for Solicitor McDermott, who was absent. Dr. Petrolla was absent.

PLEDGE

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

ITEMS FROM THE FLOOR: The following public comment was received.

Jen Klara, 156 Rockwell Lane: Ms. Klara addressed Council concerning ICE policy and potholes on Greendale Ave. Discussion ensued over these matters.

AUTHORIZATION TO PAY BILLS

M-1 Dr. Blasiolo moved to authorize the payment of bills for goods and services received by the borough from the General Fund in the amount of \$41,498.67 and the sewer fund in the amount of \$11,549.68 for a total of \$53,048.35. Second by Ms. Yaney.

DISCUSSION: Dr. Blasiolo stated that there were a few notable items, including a tree removal on Elmer St and work on the fire engine.

Upon roll call vote the following responded yes: Dr. Blasiolo, Mr. Ellis, Ms. Furman, Mr. Love, Ms. Nielsen, and Ms. Yaney. **Motion carried.**

COMMITTEE ACTION

M-2 Ms. Yaney moved to authorize the Borough Manager to execute the 2026 Vactor 7-Day agreement with the Turtle Creek Valley Council of Governments at a rate of \$7,420. Second by Ms. Furman.

DISCUSSION: Ms. Ault noted that this allows us to do maintenance and preventative cleaning of storm drains.

Upon roll call vote the following responded yes: Dr. Blasiolo, Mr. Ellis, Ms. Furman, Mr. Love, Ms. Nielsen, and Ms. Yaney. **Motion carried.**

BUSINESS MEETING

VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT: Nothing was reported.

WATER AUTHORITY REPORT: Mr. Fuller stated that the recent Water Authority meeting did not reach quorum and was not able to pass any motions. They discussed several items, including lead line replacement which has reached 83 of 97 homes, bringing it to 81% completion in Phase IV. The general manager has obtained a grant allowing work on Washington and Vine and the intersection at Race St. The PA DEP is reviewing chlorine generation. The office will be renovated over the summer.

RECREATION REPORT: Ms. Ault provided the following recreation report. The Easter Egg Hunt went well, with chilly but sunny weather. The winter Basketball and Futsal seasons have ended. Registration for Summer Softball and Teeball are open now. We'll be scheduling our summer movies soon. Community Day planning is underway, and vendor applications are being accepted now.

PLANNING COMMISSION: Nothing was reported.

COG REPORT: Mayor Sherman noted an upcoming bylaw update being suggested to allow business to be conducted when quorum is not reached. Each municipality will have to approve the changes before they can take effect.

SOLICITOR'S REPORT: Mr. Gannon had nothing to report.

BOROUGH MANAGER'S REPORT: Ms. Ault provided the following report. There is a partially collapsed storm sewer on Dewey Street which is being explored via camera to find the source and location of the break. Soli Construction is performing the work. Line painting will take place at the borough office parking lot tomorrow. The fire engine is for repair due to an engine issue.

NEW BUSINESS –

Ms. Furman inquired about the budget included in packets. It was noted that there was a request from the Garden Club to sponsor a speaker. Discussion ensued on this matter. Ms. Nielsen will follow up with the Garden Club.

M-3 It was moved by Ms. Yaney and seconded by Dr. Blasiolo to adjourn at 8:05pm.
The aye vote on the motion was unanimous. **Motion carried.**

Respectfully submitted,



Rob Zahorchak, Borough Manager