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COUNCIL FOR THE BOROUGH OF DUNMORE

HELD:

Monday, March 9th, 2026

TIME:

6:00 P.M.

LOCATION:

DUNMORE COMMUNITY CENTER  
1414 Monroe Avenue  
Dunmore, Pennsylvania

C O U N C I L M E M B E R S :

- THOMAS HALLINAN - President
- MICHAEL DEMPSEY - Vice President
- KATHERINE OVEN
- JANET BRIER
- ELIZABETH ZANGARDI
- WILLIAM O'MALLEY, III
- PATRICK LOUGHNEY
- GREG WOLFF, Borough Manager
- MICHAEL P. PERRY, Esquire, Solicitor

MARIA McCOOL, RPR  
OFFICIAL COURT REPORTER

1 (Pledge of Allegiance.)

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3 MR. WOLFF: Roll call, Mayor Conway  
4 is absent. Mr. Loughney.

5 MR. LOUGHNEY: Here.

6 MR. WOLFF: Mr. O'Malley.

7 MR. O'MALLEY: Here.

8 MR. WOLFF: Mr. Dempsey is absent.  
9 Mr. Hallinan.

10 MR. HALLINAN: Present.

11 MR. WOLFF: Mrs. Mackrell Oven.

12 MS. OVEN: Here.

13 MR. WOLFF: Mrs. McDonald Zangardi.

14 MS. ZANGARDI: Here.

15 MR. WOLFF: Mrs. Brier.

16 MS. BRIER: Here.

17 MR. WOLFF: Number three, public  
18 comment on agenda items?

19 MR. HALLINAN: Does anybody from the  
20 public have comment on agenda items only?  
21 Seeing none, next, Greg.

22 MR. WOLFF: Number four, motion to  
23 approve the minutes from the February 9th, 2026  
24 meeting.

25 MR. HALLINAN: Can I have a motion

1 to approve the minutes from the February 9th  
2 meeting?

3 MR. O'MALLEY: So moved.

4 MS. OVEN: Second.

5 MR. HALLINAN: On the question? All  
6 in favor?

7 ALL MEMBERS: Aye.

8 MR. HALLINAN: I abstain.

9 MR. WOLFF: Number five, motion to  
10 approve and pay open bills.

11 MR. HALLINAN: Can I have a motion,  
12 please?

13 MR. LOUGHNEY: So moved.

14 MS. OVEN: Second.

15 MR. HALLINAN: On the question? All  
16 in favor?

17 ALL MEMBERS: Aye.

18 MR. HALLINAN: I abstain. I wasn't  
19 here.

20 MR. WOLFF: Number six, motion to  
21 appoint Police Officer Daniel Kapacs to the  
22 rank of Sergeant.

23 MR. HALLINAN: Can I have a motion  
24 please to appoint --

25 MR. LOUGHNEY: I'll make that

1 motion.

2 MS. ZANGARDI: I'll second.

3 MR. HALLINAN: On the question?

4 ATTY. PERRY: So just a brief  
5 explanation, our Officer Kapacs here has many  
6 years of dedicated service. So the Chief of  
7 the Police Department requested -- he's going  
8 to be seeking a -- he's going to be getting a  
9 disability pension tomorrow.

10 Unfortunately, he sustained an  
11 injury on the job due to an accident and is not  
12 going to be able to return. So we are tonight  
13 going to be promoting him to Sergeant. He is  
14 on the sergeant's list. So he is a qualified  
15 candidate. And that's what we're going to be  
16 doing tonight.

17 MS. BRIER: And there was an  
18 opening.

19 ATTY. PERRY: There is an opening as  
20 well, correct.

21 MR. HALLINAN: Can we have a roll  
22 call, please on that, Mr. Wolff?

23 MR. WOLFF: Yes. Mr. Loughney.

24 MR. LOUGHNEY: Yes.

25 MR. WOLFF: Mr. O'Malley.

1 MR. O'MALLEY: Yes.

2 MR. WOLFF: Mr. Hallinan.

3 MR. HALLINAN: Yes.

4 MR. WOLFF: Mrs. Mackrell Oven.

5 MS. OVEN: Yes.

6 MR. WOLFF: Mrs. McDonald Zangardi.

7 MS. ZANGARDI: Yes.

8 MR. WOLFF: Mrs. Brier.

9 MS. BRIER: Yes.

10 MR. HALLINAN: Congratulations.

11 CHIEF MARCHESE: We'll give you a  
12 new badge, buddy.

13 MR. HALLINAN: Would anybody from  
14 Council like to say anything from Mr. Kapacs?

15 MR. LOUGHNEY: Mr. Kapacs, I want to  
16 relive our history together a little bit.  
17 Danny, if you remember years ago, we both were  
18 employed at St. Mary's Center. At that time  
19 you approached me when I was there and said --  
20 I was the Mayor at the time you said, Mayor, I  
21 think I would like to become a policeman. I  
22 think I want to join the Act 120.

23 Myself and another man, Mr.  
24 Bynon{phontic} were down there. We both made a  
25 commitment to you that you go and get Act 120,

1 and we'll make you a police officer in Dunmore.  
2 And I was proud to do that. And I'm proud now  
3 to do this for you. So I wish you the best.

4 SERGEANT KAPACS: Thank you, Nibs.

5 MR. HALLINAN: Anybody else like to  
6 say anything?

7 OFFICER MENTZ: For those that don't  
8 know me, I'm Eugene Mentz. And I'm the  
9 Secretary of the Dunmore Police Benevolent  
10 Association. So on behalf of the Dunmore  
11 Police Benevolent Association, our President  
12 Corey Sohns who is here tonight and all of the  
13 members of the Dunmore Police Department, I'm  
14 extending congratulations to Dan Kapacs on his  
15 promotion.

16 I also want to acknowledge the many  
17 years -- 35 years of service to the Borough of  
18 Dunmore and our police department. Danny has  
19 always been a proud member of our department  
20 and served with exceptional professionalism.  
21 Tomorrow as you know, Danny will be retiring  
22 and though we don't have it in or possession  
23 quite yet, it's a tradition retirees to be  
24 presented with a retirement badge inlaid in a  
25 leather wallet from our association.

1                   So Danny will be receiving a gold  
2                   sergeant's retirement badge from the  
3                   association for the occasion of his retirement.  
4                   I believe it goes without saying that Danny  
5                   will be missed by all of us as well as all the  
6                   residents of the Borough of Dunmore.

7                   MR. HALLINAN: Anyone else like to  
8                   address Sergeant Kapacs? Seeing none,  
9                   congratulations. Oh, Mr. Dempsey who is the  
10                  police liaison wrote a note. He wasn't able to  
11                  be here this evening. So we'd like to read  
12                  that into the record.

13                  MR. WOLFF: Correct. This is being  
14                  read on behalf of Councilman Dempsey. Sergeant  
15                  Kapacs, although I am unfortunately unable to  
16                  be present this evening, I want you to know how  
17                  grateful I am for your years of dedicated  
18                  service to the people of our borough.

19                  Serving as a police officer is a  
20                  difficult often thankless job. And throughout  
21                  your career, you have carried out that  
22                  responsibility with professionalism, courage,  
23                  and commitment to the community.

24                  Your service and sacrifice will not  
25                  be forgotten. Your promotion as sergeant on

1 your final day is well deserved recognition of  
2 the dedication you have shown to protecting and  
3 serving our town.

4 Thank you for everything you have  
5 done for this community. I wish you strength  
6 in your recovery and the very best in the years  
7 ahead. Councilman Dempsey.

8 MR. HALLINAN: Thank you, Dan.

9 SERGEANT KAPACS: Thank you.

10 MR. HALLINAN: Mr. Wolff.

11 MR. LOUGHNEY: Maybe he has plans to  
12 go out with his family.

13 MR. HALLINAN: You guys are more  
14 than welcome to leave. You don't have to stick  
15 around for the whole meeting. We don't want to  
16 bore you. Okay, Greg, next.

17 MR. WOLFF: Okay. Number seven,  
18 motion to appoint Matthew Murray to truck  
19 driver classification within the Department of  
20 Public Works.

21 MR. HALLINAN: Can I have a motion  
22 to approve?

23 MS. ZANGARDI: I'll make that  
24 motion.

25 MR. O'MALLEY: I'll second.

1 MR. HALLINAN: On the question?

2 MR. O'MALLEY: On the question, Matt  
3 Murray's been doing a tremendous job at the  
4 DPW. He's a former student of mine. And I  
5 coached him in track. So I taught him  
6 everything he knew about running and he went on  
7 to win a silver medal in states in track.

8 MR. WOLFF: We had a CDL driver  
9 resign. So there is an opening as well.

10 MS. BRIER: Congratulations.

11 MR. HALLINAN: All those in favor?

12 ALL MEMBERS: Aye.

13 MR. HALLINAN: Those opposed?

14 (No response.)

15 MR. HALLINAN: Congratulations,  
16 Mr. Murray.

17 MR. MURRAY: Thank you.

18 MR. WOLFF: Number eight, Treasurer  
19 Financial Report.

20 MR. BURTON: Good evening, Council,  
21 a brief analysis for the month of February.  
22 For the month we had a net loss of  
23 approximately \$55,000 which brings our year to  
24 date net income to \$103,000.

25 As far as an income side, the real

1 estate collections have been a little bit  
2 slower with our transition to Berkheimer. But  
3 that seems to be rectified. And it's starting  
4 to flow in a more consistent manner.

5 Business licenses and permits, we  
6 received \$41,000 from Comcast for the fourth  
7 quarter 2025 franchise fees. And also  
8 miscellaneous revenue of \$21,000 for the 2024  
9 retire drug subsidy.

10 Expenses, as far as expenses are  
11 concerned, it's standard operating expenses.  
12 Highway maintenance, another \$43,000 in rock  
13 salt with the rough winter that we had. And  
14 also debt interested \$82,000 interest only  
15 payment to 2021 bond issue.

16 MS. BRIER: Mark, how come 24 grand  
17 for the Community Center?

18 MR. BURTON: That's the portion of  
19 the landfill fee that goes to the Community  
20 Center.

21 MS. BRIER: Thank you.

22 MR. HALLINAN: Thank you, Mark.

23 ALL MEMBERS: Thanks, Mark.

24 MR. WOLFF: Mr. Kearney is absent.  
25 Mr. Judge is absent. Chief Marchese.

1 CHIEF MARCHESE: Monthly report for  
2 February, 2026, during the month of February  
3 our department responded to 1,082 calls for  
4 service. This number is up by 301 from the  
5 previous month.

6 Arrests for the month, we had 10  
7 criminal arrests, 11 non traffic, 34 traffic  
8 arrests and 19 written traffic warnings.

9 Officer Redmon is currently out on  
10 heart and -- he's out on a leg injury he  
11 sustained while on duty. Heart and lung  
12 benefits are pending. We have three candidates  
13 who successfully passed the written portion of  
14 the civil service testing process.

15 Scheduling, we have 15 overtime  
16 shifts sent out for the month. All other  
17 shifts were filled by part-timers. We had a  
18 total of 462 hours, 57 shifts given to  
19 part-timers for the month.

20 Training, implementation of our new  
21 policy and procedures are still ongoing with  
22 the new policies being trained as they are  
23 released. New business, from the start of the  
24 year until the end of February, we have  
25 collected \$1,127, including coin, credit card

1 and pay by phone transactions.

2 For the month of February, we  
3 collected \$650 in parking tickets and four  
4 citations were sent down for failure to pay.  
5 Officers have been assisting with traffic  
6 control on a daily basis outside of school  
7 since the first day of school.

8 We have begun a major overhaul of  
9 our evidence room and have implemented a new  
10 barcode scanner for better evidence management.  
11 The Lackawanna County District Attorney's  
12 Office is assisting us with the overhaul.

13 Officers provided an escort for both  
14 boys and girls basketball teams for their  
15 playoffs. And that's all I got.

16 MR. HALLINAN: Thank you.

17 ALL MEMBERS: Thank you, Chief.

18 MR. WOLFF: Chief DeNaples.

19 CHIEF DENAPLES: Good evening,  
20 Council. For the March -- as far as  
21 expenditures, we had our service done -- our  
22 annual service on our ladder truck. I  
23 mentioned that last month because it was  
24 originally supposed to be done in February. It  
25 got pushed by the service company.

1                   That was 4,851.37. Some issues were  
2 found with the truck during that service. The  
3 biggest problem that came to light was cracked  
4 springs. That was scheduled. Today I got  
5 confirmation to get new springs put on. That  
6 was not put on the monthly report because we  
7 didn't know about it then.

8                   So that is going to be around  
9 \$2,700. And then there's some other items that  
10 were noted that need to be further evaluated by  
11 Glick. That will be done in our station. And  
12 they'll provide us a quote for approval for  
13 some of them other items by another mechanic.

14                   It was a service technician that  
15 will come and evaluate them problems on the  
16 list. The other expenditure for this month is  
17 annual ladder inspections. That's going to be  
18 about \$1,400 roughly within a couple of dollars  
19 of that.

20                   We're going to be buying an exercise  
21 bike for the gym at the fire headquarters out  
22 of our rescue billing account. We're just  
23 waiting for the credit card to become  
24 available. And that will be purchased from  
25 Dick's. That will be about \$899 out of that

1 account.

2 We have a firefighter going to pump  
3 operations two, on the 21st and 22nd of this  
4 month. That is a \$98 tuition fee. And he's  
5 staying in a hotel. So that will be \$228, plus  
6 meals and fuel expenditures.

7 As far as overtime scheduled for the  
8 month, there was 228 hours. Lieutenant Stanton  
9 is back to work. He was back on the 3rd of  
10 March. We still have Lieutenant Shigo out on  
11 heart and lung.

12 And we also have one other  
13 firefighter on administrative leave which  
14 brings us to 12 full time firefighters  
15 operating currently. As far as part-time  
16 shifts for the month of March, there was 37 put  
17 out when this report was prepared.

18 The fire department on-duty staff  
19 will be assisting the Lions and Rotary Club  
20 with preparation for the Easter egg hunt which  
21 will take place in April. We are going to  
22 assist here on Wednesday, February 25th to  
23 prepare the candy and that.

24 On the 7th, Saturday, March 7th, we  
25 did an elevator refresher, eight hours. We did



1 trailer that they are going to have available  
2 for our career staff to utilize for brush fires  
3 and stuff of that nature. So it will add a  
4 second UTV.

5 We're going to be able to put our  
6 tank and skid unit on it. So they are  
7 purchasing all of that. And that should be  
8 available for us to use in the house at the  
9 Borough Building Fire Department within the  
10 next couple weeks. So that's a big huge  
11 purchase that is at no cost to us.

12 MS. BRIER: What's a UTV?

13 CHIEF DENAPLES: So that's like  
14 a -- it's a utility vehicle. It's like a side  
15 by side. It looks like a quad for off road  
16 rescues and brush fires and stuff. So we  
17 already have one. This will be a second one.  
18 But this one will have water on it.

19 So we have the unit with a tank and  
20 that available that we're going to put on that.  
21 Again, the Relief Association is loaning the  
22 trailer and the unit. The only thing that's  
23 going to be ours on that is the tank. We have  
24 that.

25 And they are going to cover the

1 insurance on it for the trailer as well, all  
2 the service that needs to be done on it.  
3 They're going to pay for it annually. So  
4 that's a huge, huge --

5 MR. HALLINAN: Chief, if we could  
6 get a letter out to them to thank them. That  
7 was very nice.

8 CHIEF DENAPLES: I'll share that  
9 letter with you guys before I sign it just so  
10 you could review it.

11 MR. HALLINAN: Thank you.

12 CHIEF DENAPLES: As far as calls for  
13 February, from February 1st to the 28th, we did  
14 6 fire calls, 9 hazardous situations, one other  
15 type call, 10 medical calls, 12 nonemergent  
16 calls, 19 public service calls, 2 rescues. And  
17 for the month, that brought us to 59 total  
18 calls for February. That's all I have if there  
19 is no questions.

20 ALL MEMBERS: Thanks, Chief.

21 MR. HALLINAN: Before we get to  
22 public comment, I would like Frank, our Borough  
23 Engineer to give us a little update about  
24 what's going on at the Bunker Hill bridge.

25 And also, Frank, if you could get

1           into where we are with the project of getting a  
2           new bridge, okay, from start to finish so maybe  
3           we could stop some questions or, you know, and  
4           then if people have comments during public  
5           comment, you could ask your questions then,  
6           okay? Thanks, Frank.

7                     MR. SUMMA: Frank Summa, engineer.  
8           The situation with the Bunker Hill Bridge, Mill  
9           Street, so on Sunday there was a report of a  
10          hole opening up on the bridge deck. Greg  
11          Wolff, Borough Manager, relayed the report to  
12          me. I was able to visit the bridge with Greg.

13                    And we did find approximately 1 foot  
14          long in the direction of traffic by about 3  
15          foot wide in the transverse direction in the  
16          bridge closer to the south end. We immediately  
17          closed the bridge and started the communication  
18          with PennDOT.

19                    PennDOT is aware of the closure. We  
20          now need to come up with a repair in order to  
21          get the bridge open under short-term conditions  
22          until the full PennDOT replacement project can  
23          go through. We do have to review both the top  
24          side and the underside of the bridge deck in  
25          order to confirm some repairs.

1                   But we've already started  
2                   brainstorming and coming up with some possible  
3                   solutions. It's not going to be instant.  
4                   There's a little bit of work to do first in  
5                   order to do those evaluations.

6                   I was mentioning that to Greg today.  
7                   The first step is going to be the bituminous  
8                   overlay on top of the concrete deck will have  
9                   to get milled off so we could do a proper  
10                  sounding to see how far this hole goes.

11                  There's a good chance the concrete  
12                  is failing further than the extent of the hole  
13                  that we see. And, Greg, for your update just  
14                  late breaking news since we spoke earlier  
15                  today, I do have a gentleman from a local  
16                  construction company that can meet with us as  
17                  soon as tomorrow to give us some cost estimates  
18                  if the Borough wants to proceed immediately  
19                  with the milling.

20                  The second part of the evaluation to  
21                  confirm repair conditions would be doing the  
22                  underside of the bridge. Under clearance, you  
23                  have railroad corridor under it with the  
24                  stream. But fortunately, timing is with us and  
25                  we actually were already coordinating for the

1           underside access because that bridge is already  
2           on this month's list for annual inspection.

3                       So we already do have a date that's  
4           approved with the railroad company. And from  
5           the equipment rentals for not this coming week  
6           but the following week for the underside.

7                       So our goal would be to get through  
8           milling, assess the top deck through proper  
9           sounding and site visit and come up with some  
10          possible solutions before that underside  
11          inspection and then essentially confirm  
12          hopefully that our proposed solution will work  
13          when we do the underside inspection.

14                      As far as the future project with  
15          PennDOT, it is in PennDOT's court now. They  
16          did hire a consultant engineer, not GIP, their  
17          own consultant engineer. They have been  
18          working on it for approximately a year now.

19                      They are at the process where they  
20          are through their historical report and -- we  
21          need historical approval at PennDOT's  
22          District's 4 level, once they get that  
23          approval, they'll be able to enter the  
24          preliminary engineering phase which will  
25          take -- I want to say probably -- it's typical

1 to probably at least a year.

2 And during that phase is step for  
3 them coming to the Borough to assess  
4 alternates. I know they'll be looking at  
5 upstream alternate, a downstream alternate.  
6 And that's when they'll seek community and  
7 Borough input and feedback.

8 Once they get through and vet the  
9 most desired alternate, they will then move  
10 into the final design, which through PennDOT  
11 process will take probably no less than a year,  
12 usually about a year and a half. So put  
13 realistically puts you out to -- timeline is  
14 fluid.

15 It's tentative, but probably mid to  
16 late 2028 for PennDOT to start soliciting for a  
17 contractor. And, Greg, I know you've been in  
18 contact --

19 MR. WOLFF: Just a little  
20 background, Borough Council we knew -- no one  
21 took ownership of the bridge. Borough Council  
22 in late 2022 took ownership of the bridge.  
23 Shortly thereafter, we were able to secure  
24 funding, federal, state, and local. We will  
25 have a share as well.

1                   We'll have to pay 5 percent. But  
2                   the bulk of is through the fed, 80 is federal,  
3                   15 percent state, and then 5 percent us. So I  
4                   did reach out just to make sure. And she sends  
5                   me some regular updates.

6                   But we have been basically approved  
7                   almost two years now for the replacement of the  
8                   bridge. If you remember last year, there was  
9                   some people working around. They were doing  
10                  surveys. And if you look, there is some survey  
11                  flags down in the woods. But that was last  
12                  April.

13                  So Frank is accurate. They actually  
14                  have had boots on the ground for about a year  
15                  now. So just to kind of read what she wrote,  
16                  consultant is in preliminary engineering, which  
17                  includes environmental scoping, surveys,  
18                  historical bridge assessment and alternatives  
19                  analysis.

20                  Spring, 2026, which is obviously  
21                  now, will be presentations of alternatives to  
22                  state historic preservation office stakeholders  
23                  and public. Environmental clearance estimated  
24                  fall of 2027. Contract letting which is  
25                  bidding, estimated fall, 2029. So that is the

1 latest update from PennDOT.

2 Once PennDOT's done with the  
3 project, they'll sign it back over to the  
4 Borough and we'll have ownership. We'll take  
5 ownership. So there's -- the Borough, we have  
6 done including what Frank has been doing  
7 recently, to my knowledge, everything is in  
8 PennDOT's hands. But we're moving as fast as  
9 we can.

10 MS. BRIER: Frank, can you just  
11 explain to everyone that there is the three  
12 pieces. We just learned that this evening.  
13 The bridge itself and --

14 MR. SUMMA: Yeah, so where the  
15 bridge hole is located, Mill Street -- so there  
16 is actually -- for those of you who are  
17 familiar what the bridge looks like from the  
18 underside, there is actually two different  
19 structure types that meet where the hole's  
20 opening.

21 So on the south end, there's a steel  
22 through --- truss bridge that adjoins the main  
23 concrete. It's an open spandrial concrete arch  
24 bridge. And where those two structure types  
25 meet, is where is the hole starting to form

1           where those two structures are.

2                   MR. HALLINAN: That's almost like an  
3           expansion --

4                   MR. SUMMA: There's movement there.  
5           There's movement. To what extent, we won't  
6           know until we get the bituminous off and see  
7           what part of the concrete deck is failing.  
8           Yes, Janet, you're correct that there is  
9           multiple structure types that adjoin where the  
10          hole is.

11                   MR. LOUGHNEY: I'm sorry, when you  
12          say you have a contractor coming as soon as  
13          tomorrow, does contractor have the capability  
14          of fixing that or will he then just -- would he  
15          be the one to fix is what I'm saying or would  
16          he recommend what acts should be taken?

17                   MR. SUMMA: No fixing or action or  
18          work on the bridge can happen until the  
19          bituminous asphalt is taken up and we could get  
20          bridge engineers there to do a concrete  
21          sounding and testing to see the extent of the  
22          concrete failure.

23                   And so once we find that out, we'll  
24          come up with some type of solution possibly  
25          steel plates or concrete repair or combination

1 of both.

2 MR. LOUGHNEY: So at this time you  
3 have no idea.

4 MR. SUMMA: But we don't know yet  
5 until this initial contractor could get the  
6 asphalt off the bridge so we could see the  
7 actual concrete --

8 MR. LOUGHNEY: So you have no idea  
9 as to time frame as to when that would be open.

10 MR. SUMMA: No, best case scenario  
11 is they are, you know, meet with a paving  
12 contractor that could get the bituminous off  
13 and best case scenario and you all agree to his  
14 emergency price, we get that done within a week  
15 so we get our guys out there next week.

16 Our goal would be to come up with a  
17 potential solution that we can confirm the week  
18 after when we already have our scheduled  
19 underside inspection. And then we'll -- that  
20 was already in the works a few weeks ago. So  
21 timing was on our side.

22 And then we'll take that design and  
23 we want to get PennDOT's blessing and then  
24 implement the work. But the original question,  
25 that contractor that will meet with us

1 tomorrow, they likely will have the capability  
2 to do the type of solutions we are likely going  
3 to recommend or others.

4 You know, once we know better what  
5 the bridge looks like when the bituminous  
6 asphalt comes off, we'll have a better idea  
7 what other potential contractors we could loop  
8 in. I would imagine everybody wants the bridge  
9 back open as soon as possible.

10 MR. HALLINAN: Yes. Frank, I also  
11 explained to Council earlier, only being from  
12 PennDOT's background, this is a complicated  
13 bridge. This is not an easy run of the mill,  
14 put up a bridge over a road. You got water.  
15 You got railroad. Three different sections of  
16 bridge.

17 So this is a nightmare to put a  
18 bridge back in there. So obviously everybody  
19 wants this bridge tomorrow or even yesterday.  
20 But it takes time. And we are now in PennDOT's  
21 hands. And they are the professionals. They  
22 are going to build us a bridge.

23 We're in motion. We're not holding  
24 anything back -- money, no, but besides that  
25 we're all ready to go. So just so everybody

1 knows. So that's why we brought the engineer  
2 tonight that if anybody had any questions that  
3 we are moving forward, this work is in  
4 progress, is in motion. We're going to get it  
5 done.

6 MR. O'MALLEY: I know Mr. Wolff  
7 mentioned today that he called State Rep Kyle  
8 Mullins and urged him to try to fast track  
9 this, if possible. And he was actually going  
10 into meet with the Secretary of Transportation.

11 So he said, hey, can you ask him --  
12 whatever he could do for us to speed it up,  
13 we'd appreciate because it's a really dangerous  
14 situation. If there's a fire in Bunker Hill --

15 MS. BRIER: He also recommends for  
16 you to call Kyle Mullins, call your  
17 representatives and ask them to speed this.  
18 This is entirely up to the state. It's in the  
19 state's hands now.

20 MS. SANTARSIERO: Maybe two years  
21 ago I had a small kitchen fire.

22 MR. HALLINAN: Excuse me, I don't  
23 mean to be rude. Let's let Frank finish. And  
24 then you could come up, ask any question you'd  
25 like and then you would be on the record, okay?

1 Fair enough?

2 MS. SANTARSIERO: Yes.

3 MR. HALLINAN: Thank you. Anybody  
4 have a question for Frank about the bridge?

5 MR. SUMMA: Bridge related, closure  
6 related, PennDOT replacement related?

7 MR. O'MALLEY: How long will it take  
8 to build the bridge?

9 MR. SUMMA: It depends on what  
10 alternative everyone's going to want to move  
11 forward with. There may be different  
12 construction durations, whether you choose the  
13 upstream alternative, downstream alternative.

14 But I would say this is probably a  
15 two year construction project. It's  
16 complicated. Like it was mentioned, we have  
17 environmental protections. Those streams may  
18 have stream restrictions, some seasonal  
19 restrictions. There might be bat restrictions  
20 for tree clearing. There is lots of  
21 environmental red tape.

22 And you have the interstate above,  
23 the PennDOT right of way above. So it's a very  
24 complicated project. But the short answer is  
25 approximately two years for a project like

1           that.

2                   MR. HALLINAN: Again, they won't  
3 know anything until they start digging for the  
4 piers. So that is whole other nightmare.

5                   MR. LOUGHNEY: Just keep us posted  
6 as progress is being made.

7                   MR. HALLINAN: Does anybody have any  
8 questions about the bridge? Thank you, Frank.

9                   MR. SUMMA: I'll stick around if  
10 there is other public questions.

11                   ALL MEMBERS: Thank you, Frank.

12                   MR. HALLINAN: Okay. Public  
13 comment?

14                   MS. SANTARSIERO: Rosemary  
15 Santarsiero from 205 Sand Street in Bunker  
16 Hill. So that was our major concern is for a  
17 fire truck or an ambulance to get through.  
18 Like I said a few years ago, I had a small  
19 kitchen fire. They had to go all the way  
20 around through, not Ash Street but I think is  
21 there a smaller bridge --

22                   MR. HALLINAN: Myrtle Street.

23                   MS. SANTARSIERO: Okay, so there's  
24 my question. Isn't that under repair also? So  
25 now, what happens if that is in repair and now



1            underneath the Ash Street railroad bridge. And  
2            there's also a weight restriction on that  
3            bridge that is just short of -- on Ash Street.  
4            So we're in the process of posting no parking  
5            signs on Sand Street.

6            So essentially what's going to have  
7            to happen is the fire trucks are going to have  
8            to go over Wheeler Avenue or they are going to  
9            have to go over 307; 81, get off on 307, come  
10           up 307 and go down through Watres Drive -- same  
11           thing for Scranton going into the Scranton part  
12           over on Matthew Avenue and all over that  
13           section.

14           So we do have a plan. It's going to  
15           take a little while to get there. You know,  
16           there's a fire station in East Mountain that is  
17           going to assist us: They'll respond.

18           MS. BRIER: They'll respond, the one  
19           on East Mountain Road.

20           MR. HALLINAN: Up by Mountain Lake,  
21           there's a -- Scranton has a firehouse up there  
22           which would come straight over. And we're  
23           going to probably try and get into an agreement  
24           with them.

25           CHIEF DENAPLES: As soon as that

1 bridge is off limits over on Myrtle Street,  
2 that will all be in place. But the no parking  
3 sign is in the process of going up. We got to  
4 notify the residents. It just has to be  
5 posted. So they gave a two week period to post  
6 that.

7 MS. SANTARSIERO: So if there's an  
8 issue with a fire, that fire station would  
9 come.

10 CHIEF DENAPLES: Yeah, we would be  
11 responding. But as soon as that bridge is  
12 closed over there, they'll be responding  
13 automatically with us. But right now that  
14 bridge is not closed.

15 MS. SANTARSIERO: Do we know when  
16 that bridge is closing?

17 CHIEF DENAPLES: We haven't been  
18 given a date yet -- at least I haven't been.

19 MS. SANTARSIERO: From what you were  
20 saying when Mr. O'Malley asked how long it take  
21 to build a bridge, you said about two years.  
22 But yet, by the time it goes through all the  
23 steps, you're basically not going to even start  
24 until 2029, 2030.

25 MS. BRIER: That's why we are asking

1           the public to call your state reps, please,  
2           because if we put some pressure on them they  
3           may -- they could move it. They could move  
4           that timeline.

5                       MR. SUMMA: These types of projects  
6           take years in the making.

7                       MS. SANTARSIERO: I understand.  
8           Thank you.

9                       MR. HALLINAN: And we understand  
10          your safety concerns. And we've talked about  
11          it too. So it's not --

12                      MS. SANTARSIERO: It's been like  
13          that for years. It never should have gotten to  
14          this point. That's the frustration of the  
15          residents. We are not the only one that uses  
16          the bridge. You got Mount Margaret, Elmhurst  
17          Boulevard, a lot of people use that bridge.

18                      And unfortunately it's been  
19          deteriorating for years. It shouldn't really  
20          have gotten to this point. I think that's  
21          our --

22                      MR. HALLINAN: And I agree with you.  
23          And this is where we've gotten condemned or  
24          accolades, I'm not really sure. Is the fight  
25          was over who owned the bridge and it went on

1           for years. And we would go back and forth with  
2           the county, we own it, you own it.

3                       Where finally we stepped up and  
4           said we'll take ownership of the bridge. Now  
5           we got condemn or some accolades, but we  
6           started doing something, where nothing -- it  
7           was just in limbo. So we've done something and  
8           I would have to say Councilman Amico got this  
9           going with this.

10                      So we're the ones that, you know,  
11           moved forward, took responsibility for owning  
12           that bridge because if we didn't own the  
13           bridge, we wouldn't be where we are at now.

14                      MS. SANTARSIERO: Thank you.

15                      MR. HALLINAN: Thank you. Anybody  
16           else for public comment?

17                      MR. CUMMINGS: Hi. My name is John  
18           Cummings. I'm at 133 Williams Street. I'm  
19           here again tonight on the ongoing landscaping  
20           equipment problem at 141 Williams Street. I  
21           brought other neighbors with me to strengthen  
22           our issue.

23                      As you see, I'm not the only one  
24           complaining. I have lived on Williams Street  
25           all my life. I was born and raised on Williams

1 Street. I raised my family on Williams Street.  
2 My daughter owned the house next door to us on  
3 Williams Street, both my parents and  
4 grandparents were born and raised in Dunmore.

5 They all died as Dunmore residents.  
6 For years I've tried to talk to Tony Messana.  
7 I tried to talk to Tony Messana and the  
8 homeowner, Mrs. Evans, about the landscaping  
9 equipment blocking the roads and ruining the  
10 wooded landscaping in our neighborhood.

11 My last resort was to come to  
12 Council almost two years ago. According to  
13 minutes from the February 9th Council meeting,  
14 Corrine Flynn, the daughter of Tony Messana  
15 indicated that they have attempted to resolve  
16 this ongoing problem.

17 Corrine has never tried to reach out  
18 to me or any other neighbor and no one knows  
19 them. I have repeatedly reached out and have  
20 gotten no cooperation whatsoever from Tony  
21 Messana.

22 Corrine Flynn also mentioned that  
23 her family has owned the business at the  
24 location for 50 years. Mr. Evans who was a  
25 good friend of mine rented the Quonset huts

1 down the street. That is where he stored his  
2 equipment.

3 There was only certain things that  
4 were up at his house. And it was kept  
5 immaculate. And it has gone downhill ever  
6 since. And I don't understand why at the last  
7 meeting -- after the last meeting I was given a  
8 call by the Solicitor saying it's been solved.  
9 He could stay there.

10 As long as he just -- he's abiding  
11 by whatever they want. They also mentioned  
12 that if someone wanted to see their loved ones  
13 in the cemetery next door -- there's no where  
14 to park. He has the entire alley blocked up.  
15 And it's actually, I believe, Taylor. It's the  
16 end of Taylor Avenue.

17 It's completely -- no one could park  
18 there except him. And I have been here so many  
19 times. And it's just getting redundant. I'm  
20 from Dunmore all of my life. He doesn't live  
21 there. He doesn't own it. If someone gets  
22 hurt on the property, who's at fault? Who's  
23 insurance does it go on?

24 Because I checked the Google maps  
25 going through everything, he doesn't own any of



1 to call you. That is basically what he told  
2 us.

3 MR. CUMMINGS: That was the answer I  
4 got it's over and he's cooperating, I believe.  
5 Greg, he's cooperating?

6 MR. WOLFF: Yeah, so I wasn't on the  
7 call obviously. But that has been a discussion  
8 from a legal standpoint.

9 MR. CUMMINGS: But all of his  
10 equipment is still on Borough --

11 MR. WOLFF: I just drove through  
12 there today actually and I could drive through  
13 there. I had no problem driving through.

14 MR. CUMMINGS: Oh, no, I'm not  
15 saying driving through there. He's talking  
16 about parking and other neighbors parking  
17 there. You can't park there. He has a  
18 trailer, two backhoes, a triaxial, a wood  
19 chipper and none of it is on his land.

20 ATTY. PERRY: So I'll -- I'm Matthew  
21 Perry. I'm covering for Michael Perry. I will  
22 look into it about the conversation that you  
23 had with him. And I'll find out what was said  
24 and what needs to be done and we'll do what we  
25 can.

1 MR. CUMMINGS: I have been here for  
2 two years.

3 MS. BRIER: I went by here too  
4 today, John.

5 MR. CUMMINGS: Okay, what do you  
6 think?

7 MS. BRIER: Well, I mean, I looked  
8 down at, you know, the cemetery is here --

9 UNIDENTIFIED WOMAN: It looks  
10 terrible.

11 MS. BRIER: There's a bunch of  
12 equipment. I didn't think that was acceptable.

13 MR. CUMMINGS: It's not.

14 UNIDENTIFIED WOMAN: It was never  
15 like that when Mr. Evans --

16 MR. HALLINAN: Okay, we're on the  
17 record. She can't --

18 MS. BRIER: So what can we do?

19 MR. WOLFF: I mean, this has been  
20 numerous times. Mickey said -- I mean, he took  
21 him to the magistrate. He satisfied -- when he  
22 took him to the magistrate, he satisfied that  
23 order. That is to the best of my knowledge. I  
24 know that is not to your satisfaction.

25 MR. CUMMINGS: Not mine, it's all on

1           Borough property. We Googled mapped it. Every  
2           inch is on Google property and they  
3           consistently say the same thing. It's their  
4           driveway. The alley is their driveway. And if  
5           you park there if you're a neighbor -- and I  
6           could bring many of them in, you're not allowed  
7           to park there. They'll come right out. You're  
8           not allowed to park in front --

9                   MR. WOLFF: Then you need to call  
10           the police on that matter. If you don't call  
11           the police when that happens -- and I know  
12           you've had concerns that he's yelled at you and  
13           you got into verbal arguments, you need to call  
14           the police. We can't do anything about that  
15           now.

16                   MR. CUMMINGS: No, I don't mean  
17           that. I mean, moving his equipment off of  
18           Borough land.

19                   MR. HALLINAN: John, I don't mean to  
20           interrupt you. But, Mike -- can you look into  
21           it, Mr. Perry, and see what's Borough property?  
22           I mean, is he parking on the street side of --  
23           is there -- we could all park on streets so  
24           even though we own the street.

25                   I know he's on our property. Let's

1 look into it and do what we have to do. And  
2 if we have to get in touch with the police,  
3 we'll do what you have to do there.

4 MR. CUMMINGS: No one is giving  
5 Mrs. Evans a hard time. She parks in the same  
6 place. The tenants park in front. And he has  
7 a trailer across the street so you can't park  
8 as she said at the last meeting you can't --  
9 the emergency vehicles can't come in.

10 That's because he has a trailer  
11 there. And then when you go back further, his  
12 equipment is there on the left. So you can't  
13 park on the right. So if anyone wanted to go  
14 see their loved ones that have passed, they  
15 would be parking in front of my house or  
16 somebody else on the street.

17 MR. HALLINAN: I gotcha.

18 MR. LOUGHNEY: Let me ask you a  
19 question because if I remember correctly, we  
20 were supposed to put up no parking signs.

21 MS. ZANGARDI: That's right.

22 MR. WOLFF: The last meeting that we  
23 had --

24 MR. LOUGHNEY: I'm talking months  
25 ago we were supposed to put up -- I believe one

1 member brought up about Jersey barriers but  
2 that wouldn't work. And then we said if it's  
3 our property, we would put up no parking signs  
4 and the cops would enforce it.

5 MR. HALLINAN: Especially on the  
6 cemetery side put up no parking.

7 MS. ZANGARDI: So they --

8 MR. CUMMINGS: So you can't park  
9 there. He has a trailer there.

10 MR. HALLINAN: But if we put up a no  
11 parking, he has to move the trailer.

12 MR. LOUGHNEY: We haven't put up any  
13 signs. So as far as enforcing it, I don't know  
14 how the cops can enforce it if it's an open  
15 road. It's a road. So we have to install no  
16 parking signs and that means no one would park  
17 there, nobody going to visit the cemetery, no  
18 one.

19 MR. CUMMINGS: Yeah, which  
20 doesn't -- in my opinion, doesn't make sense.  
21 But I don't think he should have all of this  
22 equipment when he doesn't live there, doesn't  
23 own it, doesn't pay taxes on it.

24 MR. LOUGHNEY: Let me ask, was he  
25 brought to the magistrate?

1 MR. WOLFF: He was.

2 MR. LOUGHNEY: And what was the  
3 finding?

4 MR. WOLFF: It was settled with --  
5 he met what he needed to do. He met myself and  
6 Mike Brazil walked -- told what to do and he  
7 moved it off of our property.

8 MR. LOUGHNEY: So he's in compliance  
9 as far as --

10 MR. CUMMINGS: No, it's still  
11 there.

12 MR. WOLFF: I just drove by there  
13 today.

14 MR. CUMMINGS: So did I 20 minutes  
15 ago. It's still right there.

16 MR. WOLFF: I mean, so he complied  
17 with our order. Months later he started  
18 squatting over. We told him again he needs to  
19 move. And since then, I drive by not every  
20 day, but I drive by randomly. He has been  
21 staying off.

22 So the last issue was he was parking  
23 his truck, like, when he pulls up to work or  
24 when he pulls up to do whatever he's doing, he  
25 will park his truck in the drive there, not a

1 piece of equipment.

2 So he was parking on Borough  
3 property. We had another conversation with him  
4 and we told him he cannot do that. And the  
5 times that I have spot checked, he has not had  
6 his truck there. So he's about -- honestly,  
7 where we had him line up is about where your  
8 shed is.

9 MR. CUMMINGS: As a matter of fact I  
10 couldn't have --

11 MR. WOLFF: I don't care about  
12 the -- I'm just saying. So I'm saying that  
13 he's -- and we've gone over this. He is pretty  
14 much in line with that where we have you guys  
15 because we want to resolve this dispute. And  
16 that is where he complied through Mickey,  
17 through that, we reported back to Mickey that  
18 he did come into compliance.

19 MR. LOUGHNEY: So he's in  
20 compliance. So that's it.

21 MR. WOLFF: To the Solicitor's  
22 opinion, yes.

23 MR. LOUGHNEY: So there is your  
24 answer, John. He's in compliance. There is  
25 nothing we can do.

1 MS. ZANGARDI: Well, until the next  
2 time he moves his equipment back into the area  
3 where --

4 MR. CUMMINGS: I know Didge is not  
5 here, plow blades -- the blades they'll be  
6 parked there.

7 MR. LOUGHNEY: It will have to be up  
8 to you to call the police.

9 MR. CUMMINGS: But I was told  
10 basically not unless he's blocking the road  
11 where you can't drive through.

12 MS. BRIER: He can't be on Borough  
13 property.

14 MS. ZANGARDI: Yeah, he can't be on  
15 Borough property, that we know. So --

16 MR. CUMMINGS: Well, he is. And by  
17 the way, if I could address it too, a friend of  
18 mine was supposed to be here. He couldn't make  
19 it tonight. I have a landscaper that is also  
20 moving my shed 3 feet.

21 MR. WOLFF: That's not a concern to  
22 me.

23 MR. CUMMINGS: No, you brought it  
24 up.

25 MR. WOLFF: Sir, I'm just saying

1           that is where we lined it up. We were okay  
2           with you being there.

3                       MR. CUMMINGS: Oh, no, no, no, I'm  
4           moving it.

5                       MR. WOLFF: That's fine.

6                       MR. CUMMINGS: So he should move.  
7           Then he should move it.

8                       MR. WOLFF: Well then, we'll discuss  
9           it then.

10                      MR. CUMMINGS: When? This is two  
11           years.

12                      MR. WOLFF: I have to go to my son's  
13           birthday party. I'm not leaving because of  
14           you.

15                      MR. LOUGHNEY: No, he mentioned he  
16           had to go before anybody came in. He has an  
17           excused --

18                      MR. CUMMINGS: He has an honorable  
19           one.

20                      MR. LOUGHNEY: Honorable absence.

21                      MR. HALLINAN: Johnny -- can you  
22           just, Mr. Perry, check into this again for us,  
23           please before we just go back and forth  
24           anymore? We're really not moving forward on  
25           this because it's a he said/she said. They're

1 not here. You're here.

2 MR. CUMMINGS: I was here for two  
3 years.

4 MR. HALLINAN: I know, John. I know  
5 that you were.

6 MR. CUMMINGS: And they were here  
7 one time when I could not make it. And they  
8 got an answer immediately. Solicitor called me  
9 and told me.

10 MR. HALLINAN: We're trying to move  
11 forward, John. Let's see what we could get  
12 here. Thank you.

13 MR. CUMMINGS: Thank you. I  
14 appreciate it. Thank you, everyone.

15 MS. ZANGARDI: Thank you, John.

16 MR. HALLINAN: Anybody else for  
17 public comment?

18 MS. CUMMINGS: I'm Tara Cummings.  
19 I'm John's wife. We've lived there forever.  
20 We're in the house that we're in now for 25  
21 years. And I'm telling you if it was any of  
22 your neighborhoods that looked like that, there  
23 would be hell to pay. It's disgusting to look  
24 at it.

25 I'm tired of seeing it. He does

1           whatever he wants and then as soon as somebody  
2           says something, like, we cow tail. I don't get  
3           it. The man is not from Dunmore. He does not  
4           pay taxes. Evans Excavating did not look like  
5           that. It's not even the same company.

6                        He's changed it to Tony's  
7           landscaping. It's not like he took over his  
8           father-in-law's company. He said he did, but  
9           he didn't because he redid the company into a  
10          landscaping company.

11                       I just don't understand it. I don't  
12          go anywhere else in Scranton or anywhere else  
13          in Dunmore and see these big machines in  
14          people's backyards. So I really would  
15          appreciate something being done because I'm  
16          tired of looking at it.

17                       MR. HALLINAN: I agree.

18                       MS. ZANGARDI: Thank you, Tara.

19                       MR. HALLINAN: Thank you. Anyone  
20          else?

21                       MR. CLARK: I'm Ryan Clark. I'm the  
22          President of the Little League over here. I  
23          just wanted to come tonight to say we're  
24          looking to do a project on our batting cages.  
25          We're looking to put a structure over them to

1 cover them so the kids could practice, you  
2 know, when the ground is wet, it's raining,  
3 rain delay, things like.

4 We're going to put lights in as well  
5 so we can practice at night. I have plans  
6 here. Someone came and gave us an estimate.  
7 It's going to be 120 foot long by 20 foot wide,  
8 basically a pole barn but just a little  
9 fancier, nothing is going to be attached to the  
10 cages.

11 But we didn't want to do any work  
12 without Borough approval. I have a picture of  
13 the plans if you need to see them.

14 MR. HALLINAN: You'll go through the  
15 planning and zoning like that to go --

16 MR. CLARK: That is a question I  
17 have.

18 MR. O'MALLEY: I called Mr. Wolff  
19 the other day. I talked to Jonathan from  
20 Dunmore Little League. He said it would not  
21 have to go through zoning and planning. It  
22 would have to go through the Borough permit  
23 process.

24 MS. BRIER: So just request a  
25 permit.

1 MR. CLARK: Okay, do we request that  
2 or does our contractor request that?

3 MR. LOUGHNEY: Get in touch with  
4 Mike Brazil.

5 MR. HALLINAN: I think your  
6 contractor would contact Michael Brazil.

7 MS. OVEN: Where are the batting  
8 cages?

9 MR. CLARK: Behind our field A,  
10 which is the one in the middle. They're right  
11 up in right field.

12 MS. OVEN: So they are already  
13 there.

14 MR. CLARK: The cages have been  
15 there for years. Yes, we are just looking to  
16 cover them.

17 MS. OVEN: Because we're doing those  
18 pickleball courts in the back.

19 MR. CLARK: Yeah, and most people  
20 don't even see the cages.

21 MR. HALLINAN: Are you talking about  
22 additional lighting back there?

23 MR. CLARK: Lighting will be inside  
24 the cages. We're not putting up any new  
25 lights, just extend -- just underneath so it

1           wouldn't affect anybody anywhere. It would be  
2           underneath, just a light so the kids can hit at  
3           night if they need to.

4                   MR. HALLINAN: So you would need  
5           Council approval. Can I have a motion to  
6           approve?

7                   MS. BRIER: I think he just needs a  
8           permit.

9                   MR. HALLINAN: I think you still  
10          need approval or no?

11                   MR. CLARK: I talked to Michael  
12          Dempsey about it. He said to come down --

13                   MR. HALLINAN: Just to be safe --

14                   MR. LOUGHNEY: Mr. Chairman, just to  
15          be safe, I'll make a motion to approve  
16          contingent upon the planning and the building  
17          inspector giving permission.

18                   MR. O'MALLEY: I'll second that.

19                   MR. HALLINAN: All those in favor?

20                   ALL MEMBERS: Aye.

21                   MR. HALLINAN: You're good to go.

22                   MR. O'MALLEY: I would be in favor  
23          of waiving any permit fees that you would incur  
24          if there are any.

25                   MR. HALLINAN: So moved.

1 MR. CLARK: Thank you very much.

2 MR. HALLINAN: Have a good night.

3 Anybody else want to address Council? Seeing  
4 none. Public officials, Mr. Perry.

5 ATTY. PERRY: No, I have no comment.

6 MR. HALLINAN: Nibs?

7 MR. LOUGHNEY: I would just like to  
8 commend Sergeant Kapacs. But I also feel for  
9 the families over there. Like John said, it's  
10 been two years. I don't know if I would keep  
11 coming after two years. I don't know what the  
12 answer is.

13 I thought we had an answer. And it  
14 seems like it's changing every time we get in a  
15 situation. I mean, two years, that's a long  
16 time to come to try to figure out what we had  
17 thought early on was an easy solution. I mean,  
18 I don't know how it keeps getting kicked  
19 around, I really don't.

20 But hopefully, John, we'll have an  
21 answer for you shortly, shortly. I really do.  
22 Second of all, I would like to wish the Lady  
23 Bucks all the best in the upcoming playoff  
24 game. With that, that's it.

25 MR. O'MALLEY: I'd also like to

1           congratulate Lady Bucks on winning another  
2           district title and the boys basketball for  
3           making it to the district title game, although  
4           that didn't work out the way we wanted it to.

5                     The girls will be playing tomorrow  
6           night at Pleasant Valley High School. I also  
7           want to wish my brother in law, Jude McDonough  
8           good luck this Saturday at the St. Patrick's  
9           Day Parade. He's the Parade Committee  
10          President and my brother is a former President.  
11          Tom, you were former President too? Good luck.

12                    MR. HALLINAN: Thank you.

13                    MR. O'MALLEY: That's all I have.

14                    MR. HALLINAN: Janet.

15                    MS. BRIER: I went by there today,  
16          John, I thought -- Chief Marchese, I thought  
17          there was an ordinance about the weight of a  
18          vehicle that can be like on a public street.

19                    CHIEF MARCHESE: There's certain  
20          restriction on what a commercial vehicle is.  
21          We gave it to Mr. Perry, all of that stuff.

22                    MS. BRIER: Okay. I was just  
23          wondering about that because I knew there was  
24          something to do with it because it looks  
25          horrible. I went by there today.

1                   And, of course, good luck to the  
2                   Lady Bucks tomorrow night. Congratulations to  
3                   the boys too. They lost a couple heartbreakers  
4                   there. That's all I have tonight. Thanks so  
5                   much for coming, everyone.

6                   MR. HALLINAN: Beth?

7                   MS. ZANGARDI: Same as Janet, good  
8                   luck to the Lady Bucks and congratulations to  
9                   the boys. Congratulations to Matt Murray for  
10                  growing old with the Borough. We're getting  
11                  ready for Jog for Jude.

12                 There's also congratulations and  
13                 thank you to Officer Kapacs. The Dunmore  
14                 Crimson Drama Club has a play coming up if  
15                 everybody could attend, Jog for Jude, Lady  
16                 Bucks, and that's it for me. Thank you,  
17                 everybody, for coming.

18                 MR. HALLINAN: Kathryn.

19                 MS. OVEN: I would like to  
20                 congratulate Matthew on his position, very much  
21                 needed. And best of luck to the Lady Bucks.

22                 MR. HALLINAN: Thank you.  
23                 Congratulations, Mr. Murray and Mr. Kapacs.  
24                 Johnny, I hope we come up with something. And  
25                 I think -- again, I don't want to drag this out

1           any longer. But even if we put to visit the  
2           people, maybe no parking, 20 minute limit.  
3           I've seen signs like that before just to keep  
4           them off that side, but yet, let people if they  
5           want to visit their loved ones.

6                   MS. OVEN: Why is it there?

7                   MR. HALLINAN: It's a long story.  
8           She's asking about the cemetery why is it  
9           there. Again, I think they got to be in  
10          compliance like anybody else in the town. So  
11          that's all your asking and I don't know what  
12          the problem -- we'll try to get to that.

13                   And your safety concerns are being  
14          heard. And we discussed it already. And I  
15          just want you to know, spread the word up there  
16          in Bunker Hill. It is going to take a while  
17          but we are in motion.

18                   MS. BRIER: Call your state rep.

19                   MR. HALLINAN: And really, there's  
20          so many social media engineers out there that I  
21          know barely got through high school like me.  
22          So we're fighting that. And I just hope you  
23          spread the truth. And that is we are in  
24          motion.

25                   And we're doing the best we can.

1           It's in PennDOT's hands. And we hope to have  
2           that bridge completed. I hope to see it, you  
3           know, by 2030. I hope I'm alive.

4                   MS. BRIER: And call Senator Flynn  
5           too as well. They don't mind the calls. And  
6           it might move them. It's incredible how long  
7           it takes.

8                   MR. O'MALLEY: They have the pull.

9                   MR. HALLINAN: Yeah, they could push  
10          things along.

11                  MS. ZANGARDI: That's why we claimed  
12          it so we could start moving on it because we  
13          didn't want it.

14                  MR. O'MALLEY: It was deserted.

15                  MS. ZANGARDI: Yeah, you're right.  
16          But we took it so we could all start moving on  
17          it. And that's -- the application went in  
18          shortly after.

19                  MR. HALLINAN: Yes. So can I have  
20          motion to adjourn?

21                  MR. LOUGHNEY: So moved.

22                  MR. O'MALLEY: Second.

23                  MR. HALLINAN: All those in favor.

24                  ALL MEMBERS: Aye.

25                  MS. ZANGARDI: Thank you, everybody.

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