

Laflin Borough Council  
Meeting Agenda  
September 14, 2021  
6:00pm Regular Meeting

**I. Call to order and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag**

**II. Roll call:**

Paul Benderavich, President	_____
Carl Yastremski, Vice President	_____
Kyle Costello	_____
Matthew D’Elia	_____
Anthony D’Eliseo	_____
Mayor William Kennedy	_____

The Sunshine Act requires that those in attendance be given the opportunity to comment before a vote is taken. Anyone wishing to comment on an issue is encouraged to notify Council prior to roll call being taken on that issue. Council policy is to limit comment to five minutes. Anyone requiring additional time is encouraged to make arrangements to meet with Council at a later date. Additionally, all correspondences read or referred to are available at the municipal building for public inspection during regular business hours. Note that the meeting is being recorded.

**III. Special Presentations: None**

**IV. Minutes:**

a) Minutes for August 10, 2021

Motion to Approve: \_\_\_\_\_

Second: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call

Paul Benderavich	_____
Kyle Costello	_____
Matthew D’Elia	_____
Anthony D’Eliseo	_____
Carl Yastremski	_____

**V. Treasurer’s Report:**

Motion to Accept: \_\_\_\_\_

Second: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call

Paul Benderavich	_____
Kyle Costello	_____
Matthew D’Elia	_____
Anthony D’Eliseo	_____
Carl Yastremski	_____

**VI. Approval of Bills:**

Motion to Approve Bills: \_\_\_\_\_

Second: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call:

- Paul Benderavich \_\_\_\_\_
- Kyle Costello \_\_\_\_\_
- Matthew D’Elia \_\_\_\_\_
- Anthony D’Eliseo \_\_\_\_\_
- Carl Yastremski \_\_\_\_\_

**VII. Correspondences:** (sent via e-mail)

**VIII. Reports:**

- a) Fire / PSP Police (reports emailed)
- b) Borough Manager Report
- c) MS4 Stormwater Report
- d) Mayor’s Report
- e) Grant Report

Motion to Accept Reports: \_\_\_\_\_

Second: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call:

- Paul Benderavich \_\_\_\_\_
- Kyle Costello \_\_\_\_\_
- Matthew D’Elia \_\_\_\_\_
- Anthony D’Eliseo \_\_\_\_\_
- Carl Yastremski \_\_\_\_\_

**IX. Unfinished Business:**

- A) LSA Grant Submission for 2022 –  
Greg Gulick, G&R Consulting Grant Writer \$350  
Resolution for October Council Mtg.

Motion to Approve: \_\_\_\_\_

Second: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call:

- Paul Benderavich \_\_\_\_\_
- Kyle Costello \_\_\_\_\_
- Matthew D’Elia \_\_\_\_\_
- Anthony D’Eliseo \_\_\_\_\_
- Carl Yastremski \_\_\_\_\_

B) Crafco Roadway Crack Sealing Work (Additional Roads) –

Motion to Approve: \_\_\_\_\_

Second: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call:

Paul Benderavich \_\_\_\_\_  
Kyle Costello \_\_\_\_\_  
Matthew D’Elia \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony D’Eliseo \_\_\_\_\_  
Carl Yastremski \_\_\_\_\_

C) Luzerne Co. Continued Judicial Tax Sale 11/4/21 –  
J. Patelunas 914 Union Street (formerly 64 Main St.)

Motion to Approve: \_\_\_\_\_

Second: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call:

Paul Benderavich \_\_\_\_\_  
Kyle Costello \_\_\_\_\_  
Matthew D’Elia \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony D’Eliseo \_\_\_\_\_  
Carl Yastremski \_\_\_\_\_

D) Pennsylvania Statewide Police Misconduct Database –  
Michael Flanagan

Motion to Approve: \_\_\_\_\_

Second: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call:

Paul Benderavich \_\_\_\_\_  
Kyle Costello \_\_\_\_\_  
Matthew D’Elia \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony D’Eliseo \_\_\_\_\_  
Carl Yastremski \_\_\_\_\_

E) Rear Oakhill Drive Property Purchase Bids –

Motion to Approve: \_\_\_\_\_

Second: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call:

Paul Benderavich \_\_\_\_\_  
Kyle Costello \_\_\_\_\_  
Matthew D’Elia \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony D’Eliseo \_\_\_\_\_  
Carl Yastremski \_\_\_\_\_

**X. New Business:**

- A) Tree Clearing / Trimming for Creekside Park & Pole Barn Road –  
Cut Rite Lawn Services \$1,850.00

Motion to Approve: \_\_\_\_\_

Second: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call:

Paul Benderavich \_\_\_\_\_  
Kyle Costello \_\_\_\_\_  
Matthew D’Elia \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony D’Eliseo \_\_\_\_\_  
Carl Yastremski \_\_\_\_\_

- B) Ford F550 Plow Trucks Rust & Sealant Work –  
Northeast Mobile Undercoating \$1,200.00 (2 Trucks)

Motion to Approve: \_\_\_\_\_

Second: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call:

Paul Benderavich \_\_\_\_\_  
Kyle Costello \_\_\_\_\_  
Matthew D’Elia \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony D’Eliseo \_\_\_\_\_  
Carl Yastremski \_\_\_\_\_

- C) Delinquent Sewer & Trash Collection Letter –  
Northeast Revenue Solutions Draft Magistrate Letter

Motion to Approve: \_\_\_\_\_

Second: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call:

Paul Benderavich \_\_\_\_\_  
Kyle Costello \_\_\_\_\_  
Matthew D’Elia \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony D’Eliseo \_\_\_\_\_  
Carl Yastremski \_\_\_\_\_

- D) Actuarial Accounting Firm – Buck Consultants –  
Jason Fine

Motion to Approve: \_\_\_\_\_

Second: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll Call:

Paul Benderavich \_\_\_\_\_  
Kyle Costello \_\_\_\_\_  
Matthew D’Elia \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony D’Eliseo \_\_\_\_\_  
Carl Yastremski \_\_\_\_\_

**XI. Public Comments:**

**XII. Executive Session: None**

**XIII. Adjournment:** Motion: \_\_\_\_\_ Second: \_\_\_\_\_  
Time: \_\_\_\_\_

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