

Minutes of the Clark Borough meeting – February 10, 2026 6:00PM

The meeting of Clark Borough Council was called to order by council President Jim Carucci who led in the pledge to the flag on Tuesday February 10, 2026 at 6:00 p.m. Others in attendance were Clark Eberhart, Alesha Culp, Joe Simko, Carol Houck, Maryjo Harakal, Monica Simko and Attorney Bill Madden.

Carol Houck made a motion to accept January minutes as read. This motion was seconded by Alesha Culp and passed with all present voting yes.

Jim Carucci read the Treasurer's Report for the month of January. Carol Houck made a motion to accept the Treasurer's Report. The motion was seconded by Alesha Culp and passed with all present voting yes.

Unfinished Business:

Parker Brothers was out to inspect the well and pump. They determined that both are not broken and the well is not dry. There is a line leak/break somewhere and will need to dig up the yards to find it. DCED advised to post a boil alert until the line is fixed and water samples come back clear/pass for 2 (two) days in a row. No quotes are needed at this time due to the emergency.

New Business:

Clark Eberhart provided a map of the water line layout and asked for council's approval to install shut-off valves at 3 (three) different locations. Jim Carucci made a motion to purchase and install shut-off valves provided the cost is below \$1,200.00. The motion was seconded by Clark Eberhart and passed with a roll call vote of Jim Carucci – Yes, Clark Eberhart – Yes, Joe Simko – Yes, Carol Houck – Yes, Alesha Culp – Yes.

Clark Eberhart made a motion to add Lisa Sanford to the payroll as a backup custodian. The motion was seconded by Carol Houck and passed with all present voting yes.

Questions for the Solicitor: None

Correspondence: Penn Power submitted correspondence regarding the upcoming LED Street light conversion.

Maryjo Harakal thanked Alesha Culp for sponsoring the MCBA dinner. Maryjo also discussed that Randy Riddle was appointed by resolution to the PSAB. Randy provided council with a complimentary registration to the upcoming conference if anyone is interested.

Officials & Committees:

Clark Eberhart read the Sewer bills for the month of February. Clark Eberhart made a motion to pay sewer bills as read. The motion was seconded by Jim Carucci and passed with all present voting yes.

Maryjo Harakal read the Fire Report for the month of January. Jim Carucci made a motion to accept the Fire report as read. The motion was seconded by Carol Houck and passed with all present voting yes.

Alesha Culp, Joe Simko, Doug Robbins and Maryjo Harakal are to attend a meeting regarding the CVFC with Gary Hinkson on March 12, 2026 at 10:00am at the Hermitage City Building. Maryjo Harakal asked Gegg Sanford if he had any input for the meeting, to which he said no.

Maryjo also stated that, per our solicitor, Gregg has to remove the cameras or stop audio recording. It is a violation of the wire-tapping laws and is illegal.

Maryjo Harakal read the Police Report for the month of December 25. Jim Carucci made a motion to accept the Fire report as read. The motion was seconded by Carol Houck and passed with all present voting yes.

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MCRPC:

Alesha Culp stated that DCNR will be attended their 2/24/26 meeting and asked if anyone had questions for them to let her know.

Highways:

Clark Eberhart stated to council that a load of aggregate was ordered to mix with what salt is left for \$500.00 instead of a load of salt for \$2,500.00 that was delivered today, 2/10/26. Jim Carucci read the Payroll Distribution - General Fund Distribution and the State Liquid Fuels Distribution for the month of February. Clark Eberhart made a motion to pay the bills read. The motion was seconded by Carol Houck and passed with all voting yes.

Alesha announced to council that she was appointed to the Farrell Community Development Committee at the last Farrell City Council meeting.

Quorum was lost at 6:45 p.m.

Visitors: Gregg Sanford, Commissioner Coleman, Fran Sigworth, Carl Hoover and Cyndi Selby (late).

Commissioner Anne Coleman thanked the borough for participating in the quilt project and also provided information on upcoming events as follows: The America 250 Liberty Bell is currently able to be viewed at the Courthouse. The underground railroad tour is coming up in May. There's a parade on 7/4/26 that all Fire Departments are encouraged to participate. The radio project will provide all 1st responders with new radio's; 8 new

towers are going up with new equipment. Commissioner Coleman also stated that the reassessment mailers will be going out in the mail at the end of February.

Gregg Sanford was to provide the CVFC by-laws but stated that he couldn't find them.

Carl Hoover and Cyndi Selby are present to see what is happening with the CVFC to which Maryjo Harakal stated that the disbandment is in process with Hermitage. Carl asked if any of the CVFC members would be going with the transition? Maryjo stated that it will be up to cost and what is decided when it's all done.

Clark Eberhart made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Alesha Culp.

Monica Simko, Secretary/Treasurer