

**STOCKERTOWN BOROUGH COUNCIL
MEETING MINUTES OF JANUARY 19, 2026**

THE BOROUGH OF STOCKERTOWN HELD A BUDGET COUNCIL MEETING ON MONDAY,
JANUARY 19 at 7:30PM AT BOROUGH HALL.

Roll Call

- Council Members present were: Council President Amy Richard, Vice President Kathleen Zdonowski, Joe Gosnell, Cindy Hower, Katie Santiago, Peter Dewey and Richard Wagner.
- Borough Secretary Candace Keller was present. Solicitor Gary Asteak was absent.

The meeting was called to order by Council President, Amy Richard at 7:30pm.

Pledge of Allegiance

Agenda

- **Motion** by Cindy Hower, Seconded, by Joe Gosnell to approve the agenda as presented. Motion Carried unopposed.

Public Comment

- Resident Timothy Kratzer (Birch Street) reported a pile of snow on Main & Hillside. Amy Richard, Council President stated she will pass this information onto Pubic Works.

Secretary / Treasurer Report

- **Motion** by Peter Dewey, Seconded, by Katie Santiago to approve the minutes for January 5, 2026 with corrections including the approved motion of the 2026 appointment list. Motion carried unopposed.
- **Motion** by Kathleen Zdonowski, Seconded, by Joe Gosnell to discontinue renewal of Onsolve (Code Red Contract), Motion carried unopposed.
- **Motion** by Joe Gosnell, Seconded, by Kathleen Zdonowski to approve the remaining General and Sewer Fund accounts payable as of 1/19/2026. Motion carried unopposed.

Public Works

- Amy Richard, Council President reported Public Works repaired and performed maintenance on leaf vac, rollbar, salt spreader, inventory and snow removal.

Old Business

- Katie Santiago spoke on the website and has reached out to NA Studios for a website presentation and proposal. Peter Dewey mentioned the Borough consider obtaining a .gov domain verses the .org we presently have through Network Solutions.
- Amy Richard recommended council wait until website decisions are made before looking into new Borough emails. Amy also discussed a new time keeping system which would be accessible on cell phone devices for public works.

- Peter Dewey is obtaining a formal proposal from the Meyner Center (Lafayette College) for procedures and costs in recruiting a Borough Manager. Council tabled any decision on this until a proposal is received.
- Amy Richard tabled decision making for the GIS Entech proposal until more information is acquired and questions from council are answered.
- Peter Dewey introduced Jim Macort of Keystone Consulting Engineers regarding proposal for zoning officer and building code. Discussion followed.
- Richard Wagner discussed with council questions he had regarding 2026 appointments, LeFevre Road Repair, wood pile and tree removal estimates, solar energy, trail steps and bridge as well as questions on plowing schedule.

Council Comments

- Katie Santiago mentioned corrections on the legend of the 2026 calendar to read “Indicates Non-Wednesday Garbage pick up” from Non-Monday pick up. This correction will be made as well as adding Casella’s schedule for the weeks of Memorial and Labor Day, which will both be a Thursday pick up. Katie also noted the minutes posted on website from August 4 and October 6, 2025 included “Draft”. The Secretary will remove “Draft” from these two minute postings.

Adjournment

- **Motion** by Katie Santiago, Seconded, by Peter Dewey to adjourn meeting at 8:52pm. Motion carried unopposed.

The next regular meeting of Borough Council is scheduled for Monday, February 2, 2026.

The foregoing was approved the **2nd** day of **February, 2026**.

President of Council

Attest: _____

Adjournment