

DRAFT AGENDA
LEWISBURG BOROUGH COUNCIL
PLANNING AND PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE MEETING
Thursday, May 7, 2026 at 8:30 AM in Borough Council Chambers

The Planning and Public Works Committee focuses on Community-wide efforts and projects (such as the Bull Run Redevelopment Project, the 5th, 6th, and 7th Street Redevelopment Project, Downtown Initiatives, etc.) and Borough Public Infrastructure projects (streets, storm water management, parks, etc.). LN, LDP, and other community based organizations report to the Committee, which then in turn reports to Council. The Committee also takes the lead on Ordinance changes associated with Codes and Zoning related matters.

MEMBERS

Bina Bilenky-Trahan
Phil Stamm
Sam Pearson - Chairperson
Erin Karahuta
Kendy Alvarez, Ex-Officio

Attending as Needed

William Lowthert, Borough Manager
Kathy Wendt, Borough Secretary
Shannon Berkey, ComDev-Grant Manager
Isaac Ramer, Borough Foreman

I. NEW BUSINESS

- a. Discussion of a composting site in Lewisburg Borough (**attachment**).
- b. Recommendation to Borough Council on Lewisburg Tri-globe Streetlight color on Market Street between Fourth Street and Second Street?
- c. Discussion of a recommendation to direct the Borough Solicitor to prepare and advertise an Ordinance related to the ticketing and towing of vehicles parked in closed parking lots, along closed streets, or on posted Lewisburg Borough property (**attachment**).
- d. Recommendation to approve a contractor quote for the trimming of dead from the large Red Oak tree and the removal of a Norway Maple tree from Soldiers and Sailors Park per the recommendation of Vinnie Controne, Penn State Extension (quotes due May 12, 2026 with potential action from Borough Council this month).
- e. Review of St. Mary Street Park Ash Tree Removal and Tree Replanting Plan based upon the recommendations of Vinnie Controne, Penn State Extension (**attachment**). Proposed plan currently under review by BVRA as Park Manager.
- f. Recommendation to approve the request of Tommy Possinger to use the Lewisburg Tri-globe Streetlight image in his artwork (**attachment**).
- g. Recommendation to approve the 90% plan set for the North Fourth Street Project to satisfy the requirements of the G3 Grant close-out process.
- h. Review of the SS4A Project List for the 2026 Application submission.
- i. Recommendation to approve the SS4A Comprehensive Safety Action Plan (CSAP) which will be reviewed at the May Borough Council Work Session.
- j. Recommendation to approve an engineering proposal from Pennoni Associates Inc. in the amount of \$4,360.00 to undertake a Market Street Speed Study to assess the posted speed limit on Market Street (SR 45) between US Route 15 and Water Street (**attachment**).
- k. Review of the updated Stormwater Ordinance and Exemption Application with Best Management Practices (**attachment**).

II. OLD BUSINESS

- a. Continued discussion of animal control efforts in Lewisburg Borough.
- b. Potential EV Charging locations in Lewisburg Borough.
- c. Borough's ADU Ordinance.
- d. General Conditional Use Ordinance discussion.

- e. Hufnagle Park Event Venue painting of the sides of the ramps.
- f. Discussion of refuse containers on Market Street.
- g. Discussion of a Lewisburg Borough Noise Ordinance.
- h. Discussion of a request from a Borough property owner for sidewalks on both sides of St. Anthony Street.
- i. Sidewalk Gaps in Lewisburg Borough.
- j. Future consideration of a comprehensive and cohesive Lewisburg Borough Park Signage Program.
- k. Market Street Study Recommendations – Long-term:
 - i. Truck prohibition on Borough Streets and Market Street
 - ii. Lower speed limit on Borough Streets and Market Street
 - iii. Streetscape upgrade design and grant application
 - iv. Review/update noise ordinances
 - v. Non-signal intersection improvements
- l. Borough Street Closure Permit.
- m. Borough Policy on contractor work in the Borough near and/or on public sidewalks, pedestrian access and safety.

III. ADJOURNMENT

STREET PROJECTS FOR CONSIDERATION IN FUTURE YEARS:

1. St. Anthony Street - William Cameron drainage project
2. St. George Street/South Second Street/Brown Street intersection
3. Plum Tree Alley between St. John Street and St. Anthony Street
4. Borough owned Bridge Repairs
5. James Alley from South Sixth Street to South Seventh Street
6. Ludwig Alley from St. Louis Street to White Pine Alley