

**REGULAR MEETING OF LAUREL RUN BOROUGH COUNCIL – JULY 21, 2026 - 7:00 P.M.**

**ROLL CALL**

John Mosley, Jr.        P  
Jason Hardy            A  
Shandra Kisailus       P  
Mayor Justin Correll   A

The meeting was called to order by Shandra with The Pledge to The Flag, followed by a moment of silence. Roll was taken.

**CITIZENS TO BE HEARD:** Brian Halecki of Wilkes-Barre Township addressed Council regarding the Mobile Food Facilities or Booths Ordinance. He raised concerns that it does not list Sunday as a day vendors can be open and the Hill Climb is held on Sundays. Shandra said there must be an amendment of the Ordinance. Brian thanked Council for the use for Borough owned equipment during the event. Shandra said she wasn't aware of the equipment being used until she saw it on the Saturday of the Hill Climb. Bill Feist of Laurel Run Road said trees that had fallen needed to be removed. Gary Polakoski of Wilkes-Barre Township, who is the Secretary for the Hill Climb Association said he would share the minutes of their meetings to Council so the line of communication is kept open. It was agreed that a joint meeting of Council and the Hill Clim Association should be held in May prior to the event so everything is transparent. Brian also said the Hill Climb Association is seeking a historical marker through the State for the Hill Climb. John Mosley also suggested there be one for the Mine Fire, as Centralia has one.

Dennis Hooper said he spoke with The County and they told him The Borough owns Forest Road. The Borough does not, as per The State. Dennis said the condition of the road is extremely dangerous. Some discussion was held for possible solutions for repairs of it, but there are none The Borough can help with.

**MINUTES:** A motion to accept the minutes from the April regular meeting was made by John Mosley, Jr., seconded by Shandra Kisailus.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** A motion to accept the Treasurer's Report for the month of July was made by John Mosley, Jr., seconded by Shandra Kisailus.

**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT:** A motion to accept the Tax Collector's reports for the month of July and authorize she be paid commission on the same was made by John Mosley, seconded by Shandra Kisailus.

**RECEIPTS:** A motion to accept the receipts from June 17, 2026 to July 21, 2026 and authorize their deposit in the appropriate accounts was made by John Mosley, Jr., seconded by Shandra Kisailus.

**EXPENSES:** A motion to approve the payment of the expenses from June 17, 2026 to July 21, 2026 was made by John Mosley, Jr., seconded by Shandra Kisailus.

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**FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT:** Jolene reported that the Hill Climb was a success.

A motion was made by John Mosley, Jr. to accept the report, seconded by Shandra Kisailus.

**ROADS AND STREETS:** Joe said the repairs to Mt. Oaks Drive were not done yet. He said he should get to it soon. The Mayor suggested the Borough hire part time people to help out with some maintenance repairs. Council agreed. The Mayor will post on Facebook Rant and Rave. John Mosley said he will reach out to a few people he knows. Two projects that need to be done now are Mt. Oaks shoulder repair and patching of Dickerson Street.

Council said the maintenance responsibility to D&L for the device at the pedestrian crosswalk will be The Borough's.

Jolene said the Chevy needs brakes. It will be taken to Falzone's.

A motion to accept the report was made by John Mosley, Jr., seconded by Shandra Kisailus.

**PLANNING AND ZONING:** Amos Valenti will reach out to the people who applied for permits that have not paid yet. He said The Borough does not have to pay the invoice associated with them unless the permits are paid.

Motions were made by John Mosley, Jr., seconded by Shandra Kisailus to adopt the following Resolutions:

#4 – Amending the Zoning Fee Schedule adopted January 16, 2014

#5 - Appointment of Dennis Hooper to the Planning Commission

#6 – Appointment of Theresa Kluchinski to the Planning Commission

#7 – Re-Appointment of Jamie Wickizer to the Zoning Hearing Board

A motion to accept the report was made by John Mosley, Jr., seconded by Shandra Kisailus.

**ENGINEER'S REPORT:** A motion to accept the written report was made by John Mosley, Jr., seconded by Shandra Kisailus.

**MAYOR'S REPORT:** The Mayor reported that the Church would like to use the pavilion for their upcoming party. It was approved.

A motion to approve the Mayor's Report was made by John Mosley, Jr., seconded by Shandra Kisailus.

**SOLICITOR'S REPORT:** Atty. Menn explained the process for the proposed overlay to the Zoning map to accommodate Data Centers.

Steve said that Mr. Corgan does not want to sell any property or grant an easement for the Rail To Trails Crosswalk.

A motion to accept the report was made by John Mosley, Jr., seconded by Shandra Kisailus.

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A motion to accept the report was made by John Mosley, Jr., seconded by Shandra Kisailus.

**OLD BUSINESS**: Amos Valente said that McClure Company is working on the estimate for the HVAC system in the Borough Building.

**NEW BUSINESS**: Jolene reported that a foot race up Giant's Despair will be held on August 13<sup>th</sup>.

A motion to adjourn was made by John Mosley, Jr., seconded by Shandra Kisailus.

Respectfully submitted,

Cathy Pockevich  
Borough Manager