

**WORK SESSION
MUNICIPAL BUILDING**

**April 28, 2026
DELRAN, NJ**

CALL TO ORDER

SALUTE TO THE FLAG

Sunshine Statement: Be advised that proper notice has been given by the Township Council in accordance with the sunshine law in the following manner. Notice advertised in the Burlington County Times and Camden Courier Post on January 7, 2026, and posted on the bulletin board on the same date.

ROLL CALL: Ms. Cure, Mr. Morrow, Mrs. Apeadu, Mr. Smith and Mr. Jeney were present.

ALSO PRESENT: Mr. Hutchins, Mayor, Mr. Marmero, Solicitor, Mr. D'Armiento, Engineer, Ms. Larkin, Deputy Clerk

WORK SESSION

Discussion – Digital Traffic Signs

Mr. Morrow proposed the use of digital traffic signs in various areas of the Township, explaining that there may be grant money that could be used towards the purchase.

Mr. Hutchins stated that he has been working with Mr. D'Armiento to get quotes. The signs might also include a speed indicator to warn drivers if they are exceeding the speed limit but would not be used for ticketing speeders. Pancoast Blvd., Conrow Rd., Suburban Blvd., Haines Mill Rd., and Chester Ave. were mentioned as roads that would benefit from these stationary, permanent signs that would replace existing signs.

Mr. Jeney recommended reaching out to the chief of police to see what measures can be taken to enforce the speed limit.

Mr. Hutchins stressed the importance of safety over issuing more tickets.

Ms. Cure suggested having a few portable signs that could be moved to different areas of town as needed.

Discussion – Resale Inspection

This potential ordinance was discussed at previous Township meetings and was met with resistance from residents. It was modified since that time by Bill Lunemann, the Township Construction Official. It was decided that Mr. Lunemann should attend the work session when this topic is being discussed so he can explain it further and field questions. The discussion was tabled until that arrangement can be made.

Social Media Working Group

Mrs. Apeadu explained that she would like to have a group that helps senior citizens learn various skills pertaining to technology including how to use cell phones, computers, and social media, as well as how to avoid scams.

After a brief discussion it was decided that Mrs. Apeadu will work on exactly how the group will function. She will bring the completed plan back to Council for approval and a resolution will be created.

Delran Volunteer Bank

Mrs. Apeadu explained that she would like to create a database of people willing to volunteer their time to help others in a variety of ways. The database would be available on the Township website.

Mr. Hutchins reported that he spoke with Colin Rafferty, the Township Communications Director, and there will be an area on the Township website called *Delran Bears Care* that will provide a place for volunteers to sign up as well as see what services are available.

Mr. Marmero suggested options as to the content of the *Delran Bears Care* area on the website.

Mrs. Apeadu will contact Mr. Rafferty to discuss the implementation of the volunteer page.

Discussion – Gas Leaf Blowers

Complaints have been received regarding the noise generated by gas leaf blowers. The Mayor and Council discussed safety, noise and environmental repercussions regarding the use of gas-powered leaf blowers in the Township.

Mr. Marmero reminded everyone that the current Delran Township noise ordinance relies heavily on being able to measure decibel levels which makes it a difficult law to enforce. Allowing police officers to enforce the law by determining how elevated the noise level is during their investigation, may be a better way to move forward with this complaint.

Since the state of NJ is currently reviewing this topic, it was decided to wait to see what the state decides before addressing this issue. Updating the current Township noise ordinance will be considered in the meantime.

DOT Grant Applications

Mr. D'Armiento stated that DOT grant applications are due by July 1, 2026. Grant requests will focus on the roadways, including Suburban Boulevard and another yet-to-be-determined street. The Safe, Streets to Transit application will focus on Pancoast Boulevard since it is close to a

transit stop at the intersection of Route 130 and Fairview, which will make it more appealing when the application is being reviewed.

Ms. Cure asked if grant money could be used to change the crosswalks that are used to access bus stops on Route 130. Currently pedestrians using the crosswalks must take a circuitous route when accessing the bus stops.

Mr. D'Armiento stated that there is a DOT project that may address this issue. He will reach out to the DOT to inquire about it.

ORDINANCE(S) ON SECOND READING

TOWNSHIP OF DELRAN, NEW JERSEY

ORDINANCE 2026-06

BOND ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE COMPLETION OF VARIOUS ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF DELRAN; APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$296,000 THEREFOR; AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS OR BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF DELRAN, COUNTY OF BURLINGTON, NEW JERSEY, IN THE AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$281,200; MAKING CERTAIN DETERMINATIONS AND COVENANTS; AND AUTHORIZING CERTAIN RELATED ACTIONS IN CONNECTION WITH THE FOREGOING

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Council of the Township of Delran, County of Burlington, New Jersey (not less than two-thirds of all the members thereof affirmatively concurring), pursuant to the provisions of the Local Bond Law, Chapter 169 of the Laws of 1960 of the State of New Jersey, as amended and supplemented ("Local Bond Law"), as follows:

Section 1. The purposes described in Section 7 hereof are hereby authorized as general improvements to be made or acquired by the Township of Delran, County of Burlington, New Jersey ("Township").

Section 2. It is hereby found, determined and declared as follows:

- (a) the estimated amount to be raised by the Township from all sources for the purposes stated in Section 7 hereof is \$296,000;
- (b) the estimated amount of bonds or bond anticipation notes to be issued for the purposes stated in Section 7 hereof is \$281,200; and

- (c) a down payment in the amount of \$14,800 for the purposes stated in Section 7 hereof is currently available in accordance with the requirements of Section 11 of the Local Bond Law, *N.J.S.A.* 40A:2-11.

Section 3. The sum of \$281,200, to be raised by the issuance of bonds or bond anticipation notes, together with the sum of \$14,800, which amount represents the required down payment, are hereby appropriated for the purposes stated in this bond ordinance ("Bond Ordinance").

Section 4. The issuance of negotiable bonds of the Township in an amount not to exceed \$281,200 to finance the costs of the purposes described in Section 7 hereof is hereby authorized. Said bonds shall be sold in accordance with the requirements of the Local Bond Law.

Section 5. In order to temporarily finance the purposes described in Section 7 hereof, the issuance of bond anticipation notes of the Township in an amount not to exceed \$281,200 is hereby authorized. Pursuant to the Local Bond Law, the Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to sell part or all of the bond anticipation notes from time to time at public or private sale and to deliver the same to the purchasers thereof upon receipt of payment of the purchase price plus accrued interest from their date to delivery thereof. The Chief Financial Officer is hereby directed to report in writing to the governing body at the meeting next succeeding the date when any sale or delivery of the bond anticipation notes pursuant to this Bond Ordinance is made. Such report must include the amount, the description, the interest rate and the maturity schedule of the bond anticipation notes sold, the price obtained and the name of the purchaser.

Section 6. The amount of the proceeds of the obligations authorized by this Bond Ordinance which may be used for the payment of interest on such obligations, accounting, engineering, legal fees and other items as provided in Section 20 of the Local Bond Law, *N.J.S.A.* 40A:2-20, shall not exceed the sum of \$60,000.

Section 7. The improvements hereby authorized and the purposes for which said obligations are to be issued; the estimated costs of each said purpose; the amount of down payment for each said purpose; the maximum amount of obligations to be issued for each said purpose and the period of usefulness of each said purpose within the limitations of the Local Bond Law are as follows:

	<u>Purpose/Improvement</u>	<u>Estimate d Total Cost</u>	<u>Down Paymen t</u>	<u>Amount of Obligation s</u>	<u>Period of Usefulnes s</u>
A.	Preliminary Costs associated with Various Roadway Improvements as part of the 2026 Roadway Improvement Program including, but not limited to, Shelley Lane, Timothy Court, Wayland Road, Suburban Boulevard., Fullwood Road and the intersection of Juniata	\$296,000	\$14,800	\$281,200	15 years

	<u>Purpose/Improvement</u>	<u>Estimated Total Cost</u>	<u>Down Payment</u>	<u>Amount of Obligations</u>	<u>Period of Usefulness</u>
	Avenue and Ithaca Avenue, together with the acquisition of all materials and equipment and completion of all work necessary therefor or related thereto				

Section 8. The average period of useful life of the several purposes for the financing of which this Bond Ordinance authorizes the issuance of bonds or bond anticipation notes, taking into consideration the respective amounts of bonds or bond anticipation notes authorized for said several purposes, is not less than 15 years.

Section 9. Grants or other monies received from any governmental entity, if any, will be applied to the payment of, or repayment of obligations issued to finance, the costs of the purposes described in Section 7 above.

Section 10. The supplemental debt statement provided for in Section 10 of the Local Bond Law, *N.J.S.A.* 40A:2-10, was duly filed in the office of the Clerk prior to the passage of this Bond Ordinance on first reading and a complete executed duplicate original thereof has been filed in the Office of the Director of the Division of Local Government Services in the Department of Community Affairs of the State of New Jersey. The supplemental debt statement shows that the gross debt of the Township, as defined in Section 43 of the Local Bond Law, *N.J.S.A.* 40A:2-43, is increased by this Bond Ordinance by \$281,200 and that the obligations authorized by this Bond Ordinance will be within all debt limitations prescribed by said Local Bond Law.

Section 11. The full faith and credit of the Township are irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and interest on the bonds or bond anticipation notes authorized by this Bond Ordinance, and to the extent payment is not otherwise provided, the Township shall levy *ad valorem* taxes on all taxable real property without limitation as to rate or amount for the payment thereof.

Section 12. The applicable Capital Budget is hereby amended to conform with the provisions of this Bond Ordinance to the extent of any inconsistency therewith, and the resolution promulgated by the Local Finance Board showing full detail of the amended Capital Budget and Capital Program as approved by the Director of the Division of Local Government Services, is on file with the Clerk and available for inspection.

Section 13. The Township hereby declares its intent to reimburse itself from the proceeds of the bonds or bond anticipation notes authorized by this Bond Ordinance pursuant to Income Tax Regulation Section 1.150-2(e), promulgated under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended ("Code"), for "original expenditures", as defined in Income Tax Regulation Section 1.150-2(c)(2),

made by the Township prior to the issuance of such bonds or bond anticipation notes.

Section 14. The Township hereby covenants as follows:

(a) it shall take all actions necessary to ensure that the interest paid on the bonds or bond anticipation notes authorized by the Bond Ordinance is exempt from the gross income of the owners thereof for federal income taxation purposes, and will not become a specific item of tax preference pursuant to Section 57(a)(5) of the Code;

(b) it will not make any use of the proceeds of the bonds or bond anticipation notes or do or suffer any other action that would cause the bonds or bond anticipation notes to be "arbitrage bonds" as such term is defined in Section 148(a) of the Code and the Regulations promulgated thereunder;

(c) it shall calculate or cause to be calculated and pay, when due, the rebatable arbitrage with respect to the "gross proceeds" (as such term is used in Section 148(f) of the Code) of the bonds or bond anticipation notes;

(d) it shall timely file with the Internal Revenue Service, such information report or reports as may be required by Sections 148(f) and 149(e) of the Code; and

(e) it shall take no action that would cause the bonds or bond anticipation notes to be "federally guaranteed" within the meaning of Section 149(b) of the Code.

Section 15. The improvements authorized hereby are not current expenses and are improvements that the Township may lawfully make. No part of the cost of the improvements authorized hereby has been or shall be specially assessed on any property specially benefited thereby.

Section 16. All ordinances, or parts of ordinances, inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 17. In accordance with the Local Bond Law, this Bond Ordinance shall take effect twenty (20) days after the first publication thereof after final passage.

Mr. Smith made a motion to open the meeting to the public, seconded by Mr. Morrow. All were in favor, motion approved.

William Spych – Mr. Spych directed a question to Mr. Hutchins. He was instructed to direct all questions to Mr. Jeney, the Council President. When he refused, Mr. Marmero advised that if decorum was followed Mr. Spych could proceed. If not, the next option would be removal. Mr. Spych decided not to speak.

Nancy Evans, 307 Arch Street – Ms. Evans asked what roads are on the 2026 Road Program list.

Mr. Hutchins read the list of roads which include Shelly Lane, Timothy Court, Wayland Road, Suburban Boulevard, Fullwood Road and the intersection of Juniata and Ithaca Avenues.

Ms. Evans reported that there are many cracks in the road on Arch Street.

Mr. D'Armiento explained that it is a separation of the street. Mr. Hutchins and Mr. D'Armiento will investigate it further.

Jen Reppert, Delran – Ms. Reppert asked where the down payment mentioned in the bond ordinance is coming from.

Mr. Jeney explained that it is coming from capital improvements.

Ms. Reppert asked how quickly the surplus fund is replenished.

Mr. Jeney advised that at the end of the year, any leftover funds are deposited into the surplus fund.

Ms. Cure made a motion to close the public portion, seconded by Mrs. Apeadu. All were in favor, motion approved.

Mr. Morrow made a motion, seconded by Mr. Smith to adopt Ordinance 2026-06 on second reading. There being no questions, the roll was called.

Roll Call: Ms. Cure, Mr. Morrow, Mrs. Apeadu, Mr. Smith and Mr. Jeney voted aye.

Ayes: 5

Nays: None

Motion Approved

TOWNSHIP OF DELRAN, NEW JERSEY

ORDINANCE 2026-07

BOND ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE COMPLETION OF VARIOUS SANITARY SEWER IMPROVEMENTS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF DELRAN; APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$340,000 THEREFOR; AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS OR BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF DELRAN, COUNTY OF BURLINGTON, NEW JERSEY, IN THE AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$340,000; MAKING CERTAIN DETERMINATIONS AND COVENANTS; AND AUTHORIZING CERTAIN RELATED ACTIONS IN

CONNECTION WITH THE FOREGOING

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Council of the Township of Delran, County of Burlington, New Jersey (not less than two-thirds of all the members thereof affirmatively concurring), pursuant to the provisions of the Local Bond Law, Chapter 169 of the Laws of 1960 of the State of New Jersey, as amended and supplemented ("Local Bond Law"), as follows:

Section 1. The purposes described in Section 7 hereof are hereby authorized as general improvements to be made or acquired by the Township of Delran, County of Burlington, New Jersey ("Township").

Section 2. It is hereby found, determined and declared as follows:

- (a) the estimated amount to be raised by the Township from all sources for the purposes stated in Section 7 hereof is \$340,000; and
- (b) the estimated amount of bonds or bond anticipation notes to be issued for the purposes stated in Section 7 hereof is \$340,000.

Section 3. The sum of \$340,000, to be raised by the issuance of bonds or bond anticipation notes, is hereby appropriated for the purposes stated in this bond ordinance ("Bond Ordinance").

Section 4. The issuance of negotiable bonds of the Township in an amount not to exceed \$340,000 to finance the costs of the purposes described in Section 7 hereof is hereby authorized. Said bonds shall be sold in accordance with the requirements of the Local Bond Law.

Section 5. In order to temporarily finance the purposes described in Section 7 hereof, the issuance of bond anticipation notes of the Township in an amount not to exceed \$340,000 is hereby authorized. Pursuant to the Local Bond Law, the Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to sell part or all of the bond anticipation notes from time to time at public or private sale and to deliver the same to the purchasers thereof upon receipt of payment of the purchase price plus accrued interest from their date to delivery thereof. The Chief Financial Officer is hereby directed to report in writing to the governing body at the meeting next succeeding the date when any sale or delivery of the bond anticipation notes pursuant to this Bond Ordinance is made. Such report must include the amount, the description, the interest rate and the maturity schedule of the bond anticipation notes sold, the price obtained and the name of the purchaser.

Section 6. The amount of the proceeds of the obligations authorized by this Bond Ordinance which may be used for the payment of interest on such obligations, accounting, engineering, legal fees and other items as provided in Section 20 of the Local Bond Law, *N.J.S.A. 40A:2-20*, shall not exceed the sum of \$75,000.

Section 7. The improvements hereby authorized and the purposes for which said obligations are to be issued; the estimated costs of each said purpose; the amount of down payment for each said purpose; the maximum amount of obligations to be issued for each said purpose and the period of usefulness of each said purpose within the limitations of the Local Bond Law are as follows:

	<u>Purpose/Improvement</u>	<u>Estimated Total Cost</u>	<u>Down Payment</u>	<u>Amount of Obligations</u>	<u>Period of Usefulness</u>
A.	Preliminary Costs associated with the Repair and Replacement of Various Sanitary Sewer Mains within the Township including, but not limited to, Norman Avenue, together with the acquisition of all materials and equipment and completion of all work necessary therefor or related thereto	\$340,000	\$0	\$340,000	40 years

Section 8. The average period of useful life of the several purposes for the financing of which this Bond Ordinance authorizes the issuance of bonds or bond anticipation notes, taking into consideration the respective amounts of bonds or bond anticipation notes authorized for said several purposes, is not less than 40 years.

Section 9. Grants or other monies received from any governmental entity, if any, will be applied to the payment of, or repayment of obligations issued to finance, the costs of the purposes described in Section 7 above.

Section 10. The supplemental debt statement provided for in Section 10 of the Local Bond Law, *N.J.S.A.* 40A:2-10, was duly filed in the office of the Clerk prior to the passage of this Bond Ordinance on first reading and a complete executed duplicate original thereof has been filed in the Office of the Director of the Division of Local Government Services in the Department of Community Affairs of the State of New Jersey. The supplemental debt statement shows that the gross debt of the Township, as defined in Section 43 of the Local Bond Law, *N.J.S.A.* 40A:2-43, is increased by this Bond Ordinance by \$340,000 and that the obligations authorized by this Bond Ordinance will be within all debt limitations prescribed by said Local Bond Law.

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Section 12. The applicable Capital Budget is hereby amended to conform with the provisions of this Bond Ordinance to the extent of any inconsistency therewith, and the resolution promulgated by the Local Finance Board showing full detail of the amended Capital Budget and Capital Program as approved by the Director of the Division of Local Government Services, is on file with the Clerk and available for inspection.

Section 13. The Township hereby declares its intent to reimburse itself from the proceeds of the bonds or bond anticipation notes authorized by this Bond Ordinance pursuant to Income Tax Regulation Section 1.150-2(e), promulgated under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended ("Code"), for "original expenditures", as defined in Income Tax Regulation Section 1.150-2(c)(2), made by the Township prior to the issuance of such bonds or bond anticipation notes.

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anticipation notes authorized by the Bond Ordinance is exempt from the gross income of the owners thereof for federal income taxation purposes, and will not become a specific item of tax preference pursuant to Section 57(a)(5) of the Code;

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(c) it shall calculate or cause to be calculated and pay, when due, the rebatable arbitrage with respect to the "gross proceeds" (as such term is used in Section 148(f) of the Code) of the bonds or bond anticipation notes;

(d) it shall timely file with the Internal Revenue Service, such information report or reports as may be required by Sections 148(f) and 149(e) of the Code; and

(e) it shall take no action that would cause the bonds or bond anticipation notes to be "federally guaranteed" within the meaning of Section 149(b) of the Code.

Section 15. The improvements authorized hereby are not current expenses and are improvements that the Township may lawfully make. No part of the cost of the improvements authorized hereby has been or shall be specially assessed on any property specially benefited thereby.

Section 16. All ordinances, or parts of ordinances, inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

Section 17. In accordance with the Local Bond Law, this Bond Ordinance shall take effect twenty (20) days after the first publication thereof after final passage.

Ms. Cure made a motion to open the meeting to the public, seconded by Mrs. Apeadu. All were in favor, motion approved.

There were no comments.

Mr. Morrow made a motion to close the public portion, seconded by Mr. Smith. All were in favor, motion approved.

Mr. Morrow made a motion, seconded by Mr. Smith to adopt Ordinance 2026-07 on second reading. There being no questions, the roll was called.

Roll Call: Ms. Cure, Mr. Morrow, Mrs. Apeadu, Mr. Smith and Mr. Jeney voted aye.

Ayes: 5

Nays: None

Motion Approved

CONSENT AGENDA

- a. Resolution 2026-81** Sewer Connection Approval for Barlow Chevrolet
- b. Resolution 2026-82** Authorizing the Cancellation of Taxes of a Totally Disabled Veteran Located at Block 145, Lot 28 Partial Tax Year 2026 and Thereafter
- c. Resolution 2026-83** Amending 2026-44 Authorizing the Cancellation of Taxes of a Totally Disabled Veteran Located at Block 163 Lot 12 for Tax Year 2025 and Thereafter
- d. Resolution 2026-84** Sewer Connection Approval for Halle Properties, LLC., America's Tire
- e.** Authorizing the payment of bills including all purchases made under the cooperative purchasing agreement.
- f.** Approval of the minutes for the April 14, 2026 Public Meeting
- g.** Approval of the following Mercantile Licenses
 - Toussaint Motors, LLC, 207 A-12 Carriage Lane

Mrs. Apeadu made a motion, seconded by Mr. Morrow to adopt the above Consent Agenda.

There being no questions, the roll was called.

Roll Call: Ms. Cure, Mr. Morrow, Mrs. Apeadu, Mr. Smith, and Mr. Jeney voted aye with the exception of the approval of the 4/14/26 Public Meeting minutes that Ms. Cure abstained from approving.

Ayes: 5 (for all except the 4/14/26 Public Meeting minutes approval which had 4 ayes)

Nays: None

Abstain: 1 (for the 4/14/26 Public Meeting minutes)

PUBLIC PORTION

Mrs. Apeadu made a motion, seconded by Mr. Smith to open the meeting to the public. All were in favor, the motion was approved.

Kim Custer, 48 Norman Avenue – Ms. Custer suggested installing new plantings near the train tracks along St. Mihiel Drive.

Mr. Jeney explained that the area is owned by the NJ Department of Transportation.

Mr. Hutchins stated that there is a concern that foliage close to the train tracks causes a safety issue since it prevents the train conductor from seeing pedestrians who might be crossing the tracks. The DOT will be contacted for input.

Nancy Evans, 307 Arch Street – Ms. Evans would like to see additional, electronic speed limit signs around the Township.

She is opposed to the resale inspection ordinance that is being discussed. Ms. Evans is concerned that current owners will be responsible for work that was done by previous owners. Mr. Jeney assured her that would not be the case.

Ms. Evans is in favor of the volunteer bank however she advised that all volunteers should have background checks to ensure the safety of anyone that takes advantage of their services.

Eric Berg, 27 Frech Avenue – Mr. Berg explained that in addition to the gas leaf blower noise pollution issue, there is also an air pollution concern due to the carcinogens that are released into the air when in use.

Patricia Griffith, Brown Street – Ms. Griffith suggested more traffic stops for speeding vehicles on Chester Avenue. Mr. Hutchins and Mr. Jeney stated that there are more officers who are directing their efforts at this issue.

She is against the home inspection ordinance and feels that if potential buyers waive the right to an inspection they must suffer any negative consequences that result from that decision.

Ms. Griffith asked if the CFO could give a quarterly update on the budget. Mr. Jeney explained that the mayor and administrator work on the budget along with the auditors so they would all be contacts for any questions.

Mr. Morrow made a motion, seconded by Mr. Smith to close the meeting to the public. All were in favor; the motion was approved.

REPORTS

Emergency Services – No report

Boards/Committees – No report

Ms. Larkin – No report

Mr. Hutchins – Mr. Hutchins stated that the winners of the 08075 Can Sing Competition are: Gabby Prince – 3rd Place, Georgia Elena – 2nd Place, Bela Silva – 1st Place. The winners will perform at Delran Township's Freedom Fest on June 27th.

Mr. Marmero – Mr. Marmero advised that the ordinance the Township passed regarding eBikes is in unison with the legislation the state of NJ put in place.

Mr. D’Armiento – Mr. D’Armiento reported the following:

The Pancoast sidewalk project and the Summerhill Baseball Field and Hockey Rink projects will be advertised in the paper this Friday.

The Pancoast pump station project will be advertised in early summer.

A meeting with the DOT will be set up to discuss the Route 130 Phase II project which extends from the entrance of Holy Cross Preparatory Academy to slightly past Chester Avenue.

The CCTV reports covering twelve miles of sewer line are being reviewed.

The punch list is being completed on Leon Avenue.

The Hartford Road sidewalk project is waiting for concurrence from NJDOT.

For the road program it is anticipated that Yardley and Bentwood will be paved in June and the Millside Heights roads will be paved in June/July.

Ms. Cure – No report

Mrs. Apeadu – No report

Mr. Morrow – Mr. Morrow advised residents to be aware of the many scams that attempt to rob people of their money.

Mr. Smith – Mr. Smith cautioned drivers to be aware of pedestrians in the Township.

Mr Smith announced that he will be hosting a town hall at the Township Municipal Building featuring Assemblywoman Carol Murphy and Assemblyman Balvir Singh. The town hall will be on Tuesday, May 5, 2026, at 7:00 p.m.

Mr. Jeney – Mr. Jeney stated that the Green Team had a dedication at the Alboretum that recognized Al Carp who is responsible for planting and maintaining many trees throughout the Township in addition to other tasks.

He attended the 110th anniversary of Fire House #231 with the Mayor on May 7, 2026.

Ms. Cure made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Mrs. Apeadu. All were in favor; the meeting was adjourned.

Submitted,

Jamey Eggers
Municipal Clerk