PLYMOUTH BOROUGH COUNCIL

REGULAR MEETING-JANUARY 13, 2026, at 6:00PM

Mr. Hogan informed us that Christmas lights will be taken down on Sunday by the fire departments.

Mr. Morehart provided an update that he received the closeout documents for the Coal Street grant. He will finally be able to complete that and provide it to Council for review and then to the administration office for submission.

Mr. Dixion requested an executive session. It was agreed that Council would break following the work session prior to the start of the regular meeting. He continued by reminding residents that various vendors from AT&T, Loop, Frontier are in the area, knocking on doors. They work into the evenings, as that is when most people are home. It's likely not a scam, they're signing people up due to the fiber optic improvements in the area. They have ID's – check them and use your common sense. Lastly, he informed everyone that Jr. Spartans football and cheerleading will be holding sign-ups at the Municipal Building on January 27th at 5:30 PM.

Ms. Eroh advised the public that there was a recent Civil Service Commission meeting. We are currently accepting applications for police officers. The deadline for applications is Tuesday, February 3, 2026, and the written portion of the exam will be held on Friday, February 13, 2026. She provided an update that the new website is on target for around the third week of February. Lori Bolesta has been in many chats with the developers, and it is coming together nicely. Appreciation was shared for Lori's work on this project. Additionally, she invited anyone interested in Plymouth Youth Soccer to sign-ups, which will be held at the Municipal Building on January 25th from 1-5 PM.

Mr. Kobusky explained that the Municipal Building has been having an issue with its boiler. The pressure value seems to be the issue. He also requested that the Planning Agency begin to restart their work on the park and street scape projects.

Council exited for Executive Sesson at 6:08 PM.

Council returned from Executive Session at 6:12 PM.

REGULAR MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER, "THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE" WAS RECITED AND A MOMENT OF SILENCE OBSERVED.

Roll was Call: With all members present: Mr. Earl Cunningham, Mr. William Dixon, Mr. Tom Hogan, Mr. Adam Morehart, Mr. John Thomas, Ms. Alexis Eroh, and Mr. Ron Kobusky.

There were no comments from citizens regarding agenda items.

Heather Ruseskas – Powell St- provided an update on the planning of the America 250 / Plymouth Borough 160 / Plymouth Historical Society 40 celebration and parade; scheduled for May 30th, 2026, at 11:00 AM. Parade line up begins at 10:00 AM at the former Fetch's. Block party with a children's section in front of high school and another section in the municipal parking lot. Details are being worked out. All groups are invited to get involved. Next meeting is Tuesday February 3, 2026, at 6:00 PM at the Municipal Building.

Pat Smith – Plymouth Historical Society- Informed everyone of the Mines to Rails event happening at the First Welsh Baptist Church located at 168 Girard Ave, Plymouth on January 22, 2026, at 6:30 PM. There will be three presenters. On February 8, 2026, the Shawnee Cemetery Association and the Plymouth Historical Society are placing a wreath at the Squib Memorial. The same organizations will host spaghetti dinner fundraiser on March 22, 2026, for $15.00 per at Happy Pizza from 1:00 – 4:00 PM, eat in or take out available. An update was provided that the funds have been secured for the Avondale mural and they have view preliminary sketch from artist Joel Jones.

Agenda Voting:

1. Motion: I hereby move to appoint PENN EASTERN ENGINEERS, LLC, 195 N. Washington Blvd. Wilkes Barre, PA 18702 as the Borough's engineer in accordance with SECTION 1005(1) of the Borough Code for an indefinite term, at the pleasure of Council, not to exceed one year.
   OTQ: Brown Creek project with the dam on Washington Street is going to need work, we need an established

   Motion: Mr. Dixon 2nd: Mr. Morehart Vote: 7 yes

2. Motion: I hereby move to pay Invoice #2019-32021 in the amount of $1,780.00 from gWorks for Network Support Maintenance Program.

   Motion: Mr. Cunningham 2nd: Ms. Eroh Vote: 7 yes

3. Motion: I hereby move to approve the meeting minutes from regular meeting held December 9, 2025, special meeting held December 30, 2025, and reorganization meeting held January 5, 2026.

   Motion: Ms. Eroh 2nd: Mr. Morehart Vote: 7 yes

4. Motion: I hereby move to accept the monthly police and fire reports for December 2025.

   Motion: Mr. Thomas 2nd: Mr. Cunningham Vote: 7 yes

5. Motion: I hereby move to pay the following monthly bills:

GENERAL FUND:	26-001GF– 26-042GF
LIQUID FUELS:	26-001LF – 26-013LF

   Motion: Mr. Morehart 2nd: Mr. Cunningham Vote: 7 yes
   *Mr. Thomas voted to pay all bills except #26-005GF which he has a contractual personal interest.

6. Motion made to adjourn by Mr. Cunningham.

Respectfully submitted by:

Maryann Lang

Maryann Lang, Plymouth Borough Secretary

Approved February 10,2026