Borough of Gordon
Council Meeting Minutes
July 6, 2026

The regular monthly meeting of Gordon Borough Council was held Monday, July 6, 2026. The Pledge of Allegiance and Roll Call were held. Council members President Jeffrey Hoffman, Tracy Hughes, Richard Korn, Jackie Hughes, and Shannon Dumboski, were present providing a quorum. Mayor George Brocious, Operations Manager, George Troutman, and Secretary Cathy Moyer were in attendance along with two members of the public.

Public Comment: President Jeffrey Hoffman stated at the outset that there would be no discussion on the data center at this meeting. There will be a public meeting at the North Schuylkill High School on August 9, 2026.

Minutes: Minutes from June 1, 2026 monthly meeting were presented.

A motion was made to approve the minutes of June 1, 2026 monthly meeting.

Motion: Shannon Dumboski Seconded: Tracy Hughes

Treasurer Report: Treasurer Cathy Moyer gave the financial report for the month of June 2026. The Borough received an income of 79,166.80 and the expenses for the month were $ 18,643.59. The General Fund had a month-end balance of $ 164,093.31 and the Motor Licensing Fund had a month-end balance of $ 25,034.33. The Community Hall Fund had a month-end balance of $5,701.64 and the Park Savings account had a month-end balance of $ 5,347.12. It was noted that we received the reimbursement for the floor grant in the amount of $39,915.00 and taxes in the amount of $32,894.76.

A motion was made to accept the Treasurer's report as presented.

Motion: Tracy Hughes Seconded: Jackie Hughes

Payment of Invoices: A motion was made to pay the invoices for July 2026.

Motion: Shannon Dumboski Seconded: Richard Korn

Solicitors' Report:

The Schuylkill County Office of Public Safety 911 Center asked that two motions be adopted. They are as follows:

1. A motion was made to change both the mailing/service address and the 911 address of the property assigned tax parcel number 46-02-0048.001by the Schuylkill County Tax Assessment Office from 710 Hobart Street to 715 Hobart Street, Gordon, PA 17936 for the building thereon fronting Hobart Street and to 850 McKnight Street, Gordon, PA 17936 for the building thereon used as a carwash.

   Motion: Tracy Hughes Seconded: Jackie Hughes

2. A motion was made to change both the mailing and service address of the property assigned tax number 46-02-0048.002 by the Schuylkill County Tax Assessment Bureau from 0 Hobart Street to 711 Hobart Street, Gordon, PA 17936.

   Motion: Tracy Hughes Seconded: Jackie Hughes

   The agenda was then amended with a motion regarding the use of fire police.

   Motion: Shannon Dumboski Seconded: Tracy Hughes

A motion to authorize the President of the Borough Council to request, on behalf of the Borough, the Fire Police to perform their Statutorily authorized duties at any function, event or parade conducted by an organization other than a volunteer fire company. A report of the exercise of this authority shall be made to the Borough Council at the next regularly scheduled public meeting, which may modify or rescind this grant of authority if it feels it has been exercised improperly.

Motion: Jackie Hughes Seconded: Tracy Hughes

Mayor's Report:

Police Report:

Mayor George Brocious reported that Butler Township Police had 7 calls in the month of June 2026.

Fire Company:

Mayor Brocious reported that the Fire company assisted the police with the incident with Gene Hubler.

Code Enforcement Report:

Mr. Troutman gave updates on Notice of Violations that were filed.

O**perations Manager Report:**

Mr. Troutman asked for permission to rent a machine for installing electricity at the school lot.

Motion: Richard Korn Seconded: Shannon Dumboski

Mr. Troutman requested that James Reiner be paid $75.00 for 5 hours of work he did in the month of June. A motion was made to pay James Reiner $75.00 for 5 hours at $15.00 per hour.

Motion: Richard Korn Seconded: Jackie Hughes

Mr. Troutman then reported that there was an issue with some of the plumbing in the Borough and it was suggested that the pipes be snaked. A motion was made to get the pipes snaked.

Motion: Richard Korn Seconded: Shannon Dumboski

Old Business:

Mayor Brocious reported that the AMVETS received their $250,000.00 for the project at the school lot and they are good to go.

New Business:

It was noted that people can get new banners. Also, there were some questions about the Borough website.

Public Comment:

It was noted that there are concerns about electric bikes on the roads.

Adjournment: A motion to adjourn was made at 7:35 P.M.

Motion: Richard Korn Seconded: Shannon Dumboski

The next meeting will be on August 3, 2026

*All motions unanimous unless noted.

Attest: _____ Cathy Moyer, Secretary /Treasurer August 3, 2026