Borough of Gordon
Council Meeting Minutes
May 4, 2026

The regular monthly meeting of Gordon Borough Council was held Monday, May 4, 2026. The Pledge of Allegiance and Roll Call were held. Council members President Jeffrey Hoffman, Jackie Hughes, Richard Korn, and Shannon Dumboski, were present providing a quorum. Mayor George Brocious, Operations Manager, George Troutman, and Secretary Cathy Moyer, who tied in by telephone, were in attendance along with four members of the public. Vice-President Tracy Hughes was not in attendance.

Public Comment: None

Minutes: Minutes from the April 6, 2026 monthly meeting were presented.

A motion was made to approve the minutes of the April 6, 2026 monthly meeting.

Motion: Jackie Hughes Seconded: Richard Korn

Treasurer Report: Treasurer Cathy Moyer gave the financial report for the month of April 2026. The Borough received an income of 65,613.98 and the expenses for the month were $ 23,273.68. The General Fund had a month-end balance of $ 88,087.28 and the Motor Licensing Fund had a month-end balance of $ 25,541.30. We did receive our Liquid Fuels allotment of $25,760.03. The Community Hall Fund had a month-end balance of $5,501.64 and the Park Savings account had a month-end balance of $ 5,247.12. The Special Projects CD will mature on May 24th should we decide to use some of the funds.

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

Motion: Shannon Dumboski Seconded: Jackie Hughes

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

Motion: Shannon Dumboski Seconded: Richard Korn

Solicitors' Report: None

Mayor's Report:

Police Report:

Mayor George Brocious reported that Butler Township Police had 9 calls in the month of April 2026.

Fire Company:

Mayor Brocious reminded that upcoming events include the annual golf tournament on May 9th and the 5-K on May 24th.

Code Enforcement Report:

Mr. Troutman said he is waiting on court cases, so he has nothing new.

O**perations Manager Report:**

Mr. Troutman reported that a lot of work was done cutting down trees in the Park and School Lot. He requested that Jim Reiner be paid $600.00 for 40 hours for work he did in the months of April. A motion was made to pay Jim Reiner for 40 hours at $15.00 per hour.

Motion: Richard Korn Seconded: Shannon Dumboski

Mr. Troutman updated the Floor Grant by stating that the guidelines for prevailing wage will have to followed to receive it, so we may incur the expense of paying what the prevailing wage would have been.

Mr. Troutman informed them that the trailer that was up for auction on Municibid went for $3,500.00. We originally paid $3,800.00.

The Operations Manager said that the purchase of a generator would be on hold until we see what happens with the floor grant. Our current General Fund balance does not allow us to make the purchase.

Also, he announced that there is firewood available for anyone who would like some.

Old Business:

Mayor Brocious stated that there have been meetings on the AMVETS Project. They are looking into the requirements for the prevailing wages and advertising.

New Business: The request of the City of Pottsville for donations to their 250th Birthday Celebration will be tabled until the June Meeting.

Public Comment:

Members of the public expressed concerns about the A-I Data Center proposed for Butler Township and how it may affect the Borough of Gordon.

Adjournment: A motion to adjourn was made at 8:15 P.M.

Motion: Shannon Dumboski Seconded: Richard Korn

The next meeting will be on June 1, 2026

*All motions unanimous unless noted.

Attest: _____ Cathy Moyer, Secretary /Treasurer May 4, 2026