

Personnel and Public Safety Committee Meeting
Tuesday, February 4, 2025
6:00 pm

MINUTES

Committee: Chairperson, Ms. Burckley, Mr. Strenfel, and Mr. Weiss

Mayor Urscheler

Staff: Mr. Krack, Ms. Getzfreed, Chief Marshall, Chief Brazunas, and Ms. Donato (as needed).

Deputy Chief Dixon – TowerDIRECT

I. Call to Order at 6:00 pm with all present except Mr. Strenfel and Deputy Chief Dixon who were excused.

II. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items.

There was no public comment.

III. Committee Member Updates/Discussions.

There were no member updates.

IV. New Business

A. Review Monthly Police, Fire and Ambulance Reports.

Ms. Burckley noted receipt of the reports and asked if anyone had questions or other updates. There were none.

B. Call for Residents interested in being appointed to various Boards and Commissions.

Ms. Burckley made note of the current openings and reminded residents that openings are always occurring.

C. Motion to recommend Borough Council adopt a Resolution appointing or reappointing Emergency Management and Fire Marshal duties for the Borough of Phoenixville.

Mr. Weiss made a Motion to recommend Borough Council adopt the Resolution as presented. Second by Ms. Burckley. Motion passed 2-0.

V. Old Business

A. PXV Inside Out.

Mr. Krack reported business are starting to ask for applications for the 2025 seasonal PXV Inside Out. Ms. Getzfread noted the dates and times for opening and closing for 2025.

B. Emergency Management.

Mr. Krack reported Staff, Chiefs and EMC met to discuss upcoming events and training for 2025. He reported the Borough will not participate in the creation of the regional COG at this time. He reported Staff had met with representatives of Tower Health Ambulance to begin discussion for a new contract beginning in 2026.

C. Community Policing.

Nothing new to report.

D. Retention/Recruitment Update

Nothing new to report.

VI. Public Comment

There was no public comment.

VII. Adjournment at 6:23 pm by Mr. Weiss.

Next Meeting Date: Tuesday, March 4, 2025 at 6:00 pm