

Rush Township Building
Hometown, PA 18252

Minutes of the Rush Township Board of Supervisors

A meeting was held at the Rush Township Municipal Building on **Dec 22, 2025** at 7:00 PM. In attendance were Chairman Shawn Gilbert, Vice Chairman Robert Leibensperger, Supervisor George Gerhard, Becky Coccio-Roberts, Secretary/Treasurer, and Rick Weaver, Chief of Police.

Chairman Shawn Gilbert called the meeting to order.

Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Police Report – A Motion was made by Chairman Gilbert to approve the Police Report for the month of Nov 2025. Becky Coccio-Roberts polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion; motion carried.

Fire Company Report – A Motion was made by Chairman Gilbert to approve the Fire Company Report for the month of Nov 2025. Becky Coccio-Roberts polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion; motion carried.

Minutes of Previous Meeting – A Motion was made by Chairman Gilbert to approve the previous meeting minutes, and Special Meeting of Nov 26, 2025. Becky Coccio-Roberts polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion; motion carried.

Treasurer's Report – A Motion was made by Chairman Gilbert to approve month of Nov/Dec 17 2025 bills. Becky Coccio-Roberts polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion; motion carried.

Approval of municipal reports (sewer, road, Arro)- A Motion was made by Chairman Gilbert to approve the municipal reports for Nov 2025. Becky Coccio-Roberts polled the board. All members voted in favor of the motion; motion carried.

Correspondence –

Attorney's Business –

Old Business –

New Business-

- 1. A motion was made by Chairman Gilbert to approve application for Payment #1 of MetroTek Electrical for the Ryan Park Lighting Project in the amount of \$25,380.00.** Becky Coccio-Roberts polled the board. Chairman Gilbert, Vice Chairman Leibensperger, and Supervisor Gerhard voted in favor, motion carried.
- 2. A motion was made by Chairman Gilbert to approve the 2026 budget.** Becky Coccio-Roberts polled the board. Chairman Gilbert, Vice Chairman Leibensperger voted in favor, and Supervisor Gerhard voted against the motion, motion carried.

Public Comments-

- Daniel Christian asked if he could have copies of the budget. He viewed.
- Scott Major asked to see minutes. He wanted to know which set was the actual millage being set for 2026.
- Chris R. clarified that the Special Meeting was the millage being set.
- Robert explained that the budget is a proposal. It's not a "set in stone" document that the township has to follow.
- Robert read all the Treasurer Account totals to the attendees at the meeting so show that township is in good standing. He also stated that the accounts should not be comingled.

Supervisors Comment:

ADJOURNMENT – Have a great night! Meeting Adjourned!