# FAWN GROVE BOROUGH

## August 4, 2026

## COUNCIL MINUTES

**MEETING CALLED TO ORDER**

The Fawn Grove Borough Council Meeting was called to order by Council President Compher, at CVFC @7:00 p.m.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**ROLL CALL**

| PRESENT | ABSENT |
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| Council President: Shon Compher | Mayor: Cathy Testerman |
| Secretary/Treasurer: Jacqueline Powers | Council Vice President: Scott Booth |
| Council Members: Elizabeth Morris, Adam Absher, Susan Miller and Barry Wells. | Council Members: Anna Colvin. |
| Solicitor: Craig Sharnetzka | |
| SEO/BPO/ZO: Keith Hunnings | |

**APPROVAL OF JULY 2026 MEETING MINUTES**

1st Mrs. Morris, 2nd Mr. Wells. Motion Carried.

**APPROVAL FOR PAYMENT OF JULY 2026 BOROUGH INVOICES**

1st Mr. Absher, 2nd Mrs. Miller. Motion Carried.

**APPROVAL OF JULY 2026 BOROUGH TREASURER'S REPORT**

1st Mr. Absher, 2nd Mrs. Morris. Motion Carried.

**APPROVAL FOR PAYMENT OF JULY 2026 REC INVOICES**

1st Mr. Absher, 2nd Mr. Wells. Motion Carried.

**APPROVAL OF JULY 2026 REC TREASURER'S REPORT**

1st Mr. Absher, 2nd Mrs. Morris. Motion Carried.

**MAYOR'S REPORT**

N/A

**APPROVAL OF CITIZENS VOL. FIRE COMPANY CALENDAR OF EVENTS/FIRE POLICE**

1st Mrs. Morris, 2nd Mrs. Miller. Motion Carried.
1st Mr. Absher, 2nd Mrs. Miller. Motion Carried.

**SEO/BUILDING PERMIT OFFICIAL/ZONING OFFICER REPORT**

- 65 Park Dr. update- No luck getting any grants or funding from county, or state. Property owner is working on a co-signer for a loan or any other grants available. Solicitor Sharnetzka brought up the option of the borough paying for the repairs and placing a lien on the property. He will look into all aspects around the idea. Associated est. costs for full replacement, and without pumping were discussed -anywhere from $2,400-$23,450.
-Mill St. update- Henry will replace trees and has explained to him they must be 6ft tall. A 30-day warning was given.
-Miller Property- Violation letter was sent.
-The Grove- Received complaint about parking across the street. He is checking on the zoning for use of the Harris Garage as well. Letter will be sent to property owner.

**CITIZENS VOL. FIRE CO. MONTHLY REPORT**

Total Calls **July**: 21. 0 calls in the Borough. 12 calls in the Township and 9 mutual aid calls.

**SYCEMS MONTHLY REPORT**

Total Calls **June**: 174. Municipal Total: FG Boro 3. MA received 1. Mutual Aid Received Total: 13. Mutual Aid Given: 23 times to: Life Team/Eureka 3. Wellspan/Red Lion 4. Harford DES 9. Lancaster EMSA 4. Life Team/Canadochly 3. Uncovered Calls: 0. Number of Pre-Scheduled Transports: 0. Number of. Times Relocated Due to Non-Call: 0
SYCEMS Board of Directors, RE: Contract Questions- See packet.

**VISITOR'S COMMENTS**

Gordon: Update on Welcome to Fawn Grove Signs- Posts need replacements.
Frank: Clock update. Parts are at Plumb Krazy, LLC. Frank will be sanding himself because the parts are too thin to be sandblasted and powder coated. A motion to approve funds to not exceed $1,000 was 1st Mrs. Miller, 2nd Mr. Absher. Motion Carried.
Representatives, Janet McEllwan & Mary Linkous, from Mason-Dixon Library gave a presentation asking for donations.

**OPEN DISCUSSION OF COUNCIL PRESIDENT AND COUNCIL MEMBERS**

Mr. Absher would like to remove unsafe wooden benches at ballpark. All of council agreed.
Mr. Absher also requested the annual donation check from the Borough to the Citizens Volunteer Fire Company be released. All agreed.
Mrs. Miller went over Clock Fund donations and thanked everyone for their ongoing support.

**SOLICITOR REPORT**

In review of the SYCEMS contract, the difference would be about $14 more per year.

**ADJOURMENT**

1st Mrs. Morris, 2nd Mrs. Miller. Motion Carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:14pm.