

ABINGTON TOWNSHIP

July 9, 2026



**Board of Commissioners
Regular Public Meeting**



TOWNSHIP OF ABINGTON

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS REGULAR PUBLIC MEETING

AGENDA **JULY 9, 2026** **7:00 PM**

Residents who wish to attend in person can do so in the Abington Township Board Room located at 1176 Old York Road, Abington, PA 19001, 2nd Floor. Residents who wish to participate in the meeting remotely can access the meeting online by a computer, iPad, iPhone, or Android at <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88216803878>. This link will enable residents to hear the meeting, see presentations, and ask questions. Residents who are unable to join online, can listen to and participate in the meeting by calling 1-929-436-2866 and entering the meeting ID number 882-1680-3878 when prompted.

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

ROSENBAUM, ROTHMAN, DIPLACIDO, LANEY-MARTIN, BROWNE, WINEGRAD, HENRY, ZAPPONE, YOUNG-GERTZ, SPIEGELMAN, PURTELL, SCHREIBER, BOWMAN, VAHEY, HECKER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

BOARD PRESIDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS

CONSENT AGENDA

- a. BOC-01-070926 Motion to approve the Minutes from the Board of Commissioners Regular Meeting of May 28, 2026.
- b. BOC-02-070926 Motion to approve the USDA Service Agreement effective July 9, 2026, and continuing through June 30, 2027. (*Ms. Tholey*)

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

- a. BOC-03-070926 Discussion and Presentation of a Traffic Calming Policy. (*Sgt. Coughlin*)

- b. BOC-04-070926 Request for authorization to advertise an Ordinance amending the code of the Township of Abington for the regulation of e-bikes and e-scooters in parks and trail systems within Abington Township. *(Mr. Clarke)*
- c. BOC-05-070926 Motion to adopt the 2026 Community Development Block Grant Annual Action Plan and adopt Resolution No. 26-022. *(Ms. McIlvaine)*
- d. BOC-06-070926 Motion to authorize advertisement for a Request for Proposals (RFP) for the design of the new Abington Township Public Library, conditioned upon final review and approval by both the Office of Commonwealth Libraries and the Township Solicitor's Office. *(Ms. Fitzgerald)*
- e. BOC-07-070926 Motion to approve a revision of scope of work for the Rockwell Rd. Stormwater Project under the CDBG-DR IDA grant from DCED. *(Ms. McIlvaine)*
- f. BOC-08-070926 Motion to adopt Ordinance No. 2243 repealing and replacing Chapter 85 - "Fire Prevention," in its entirety, repealing Chapter 65 – "Burning," and repealing all inconsistent Ordinances. *(Mr. Platz)*
- g. BOC-09-070926 Motion to approve as advertised and approved by the Montgomery County Consortium, Wilson of Wallingford as the Township's heating oil provider at the cost of \$5.598 per gallon and authorize the Township Manager to execute the contract. *(Ms. Tholey)*

FINANCE COMMITTEE

- a. FC-01-070926 Motion to approve the May 2026 expenditures in the amount of \$4,339,587.84 and salaries and wages in the amount of \$3,698,429.16 and authorizing the proper officials to sign and approve invoices and supporting documentation in payment of bills and contracts as they mature through the month of August 2026. ([Click here to view supporting information for expenditures in May 2026](#))

PUBLIC COMMENT

ADJOURNMENT

BOARD POLICY ON PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

For Information Purposes Only

The Township shall conduct business in accordance with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Laws governing the conduct of public meetings and only establish guidelines that shall govern public participation at meetings consistent with the law.

Each commenter shall:

- Direct their comments to the Presiding Officer;
- Speak from the podium or into a microphone designated by the presiding officer; State their name for the record;
- Either orally or in writing provide their address for the record;
- Have a maximum of three minutes to make their comments. Each commenter when speaking to a specific agenda item, is to keep their comments relative to that identified agenda item;
- Speak one time per agenda item;
- When commenting on non-agenda items, the commenter is to keep their comments related to matters of the Township of Abington, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.
- State a question to the Presiding Officer after all commenters have spoken, and; Be seated after speaking or upon the request of the presiding officer;
- Not engage in debate, dialogue or discussion; Not disrupt the public meeting, and;
- Exercise restraint and sound judgement in avoiding the use of profane language, and the maligning of others.