

**BOROUGH OF GLENOLDEN
GLENOLDEN, PENNSYLVANIA**

COUNCIL MEETING**APRIL 18, 2006**

MR. DANZI
MR. PFAFF
MR. KELLY
MR. PUPPIO
MR. KERSTETTER
MAYOR BATHURST

MR. MCGARVEY
MR. QUINN
MS. NELSON
MR. MCGETTIGAN
MR. HOOVER

PRESIDENT DANZI – Please rise for the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

MOTION by Mr. Quinn seconded by Mr. Pfaff to go out of the regular order of business for Mayor's presentation of plaque to Joseph Deeney for 50 years of service to the Fire Company. **MOTION CARRIED**

MAYOR BATHURST- Joe would you please come up here. Over the years all of us belong to organizations. Whatever they may be whether it be a fraternal organization, whether it be a church organization or something in the community. And it's very appropriate for all of us to serve, volunteer wise, all of us do a lot for our communities and the organizations that we belong to. But the key that we're dealing with tonight is we are going to honor a gentleman who has been involved and dedicated to an organization for fifty years which is unheard of today. Joe has been a member of the Glenolden Fire Company for the past fifty years. Most of the Fire Company here today wasn't even born then. You and I get harassed because we were there when they had the horses. But it's unprecedented when you stop and think that somebody has been a member of an organization for fifty years. Joe with his association with the Fire Company has been in the front room and in the back room. He has gone through all of the line officers, was Chief, he has gone through all of the chairs in the back room and was President. And now he is serving as secretary. Are you gonna be committed to that for fifty years too? Who knows? So on behalf, Joe, of the Glenolden Borough Council and myself we'd like to present to you with this plaque honoring your fifty years of service to the Glenolden Fire Company. As I say, it is something that is unprecedented and it's given with a major thank you from the council and the community and it's also given with the appreciation of the council and community for what you have done. So we'd like for you to have that, and we also have something for you from Ron Raymond, our State Representative's office. He is not able to be here but he had a citation presented on the House floor and it's House of Representative's always pleased to celebrate individuals who selflessly promote themselves to assure the safety of their fellow citizens. You're being honored for your fifty years of dedicated and distinguished service. It lists some of your accomplishments there and then it directs that a copy of this resolution sponsored by the Honorable Ron Raymond on April 5th, be transmitted to Joseph Deeney for your service to the Fire Company. So, on behalf of Mr. Raymond we'd like for you to have that too.

Mr. Deeney – Thank You.

PRESIDENT DANZI –It’s amazing, fifty years of any type of service and dedication. Fine job all you guys do. Okay, we’ll get back to the regular order of business. You guys are all welcome to stay if you’d like, but if anyone would like to clear the room, we’ll give you a moment to do that. Thanks for coming out guys. Okay, back to the regular order of business.

MOTION by Mr. Quinn seconded by Mr. Kerstetter to approve minutes of the previous meeting.
MOTION CARRIED

MOTION by Mr. Quinn seconded by Mr. Pfaff to approve the Treasurer’s Report.
MOTION CARRIED

BIDS & CORRESPONDENCE – No bids or correspondence.

MOTION by Mr. Quinn seconded by Mr. Pfaff to go out of the regular order of business to hear from the public with any questions pertaining to the motions listed on the agenda.
MOTION CARRIED

PRESIDENT DANZI – Any questions on agenda items? Okay then.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

FINANCE & LAW – Mr. McGettigan No new report

PUBLIC & SAFETY – Mr. Quinn

	CASH	CHECKS	TOTAL
Parking Tickets	880.00	855.00	1,735.00
Accidents	60.00	390.00	450.00
Dog/Weeds/Snow	0.00	0.00	0.00
Magistrate Tozer	0.00	*6,036.72	*6,036.72
D.U.I.	0.00	00.00	00.00
Totals	\$940.00	\$7,281.72	\$8,221.72

* February fines

59	Crimes Code Arrests
106	Vehicle Code Arrests/Citations Issued
217	Parking Tickets Issued
0	Borough Ordinance Citations
693	Incidents

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Glenolden Fire Company Report for March, 2006**Maintenance Report:**

- All trucks were kept clean throughout the month
- Weekly inspections and routine maintenance performed on each truck.
- Weekly equipment checks performed on each truck.

The following is a list of extra repairs and/or maintenance performed on the apparatus.

- The water tank from 05-1 is out and will be replaced by HALO
- Speedometer from Tower 5 was replaced and truck was inspected
- 05-1 was inspected

The Fire Company spent 150 personnel hours on cleaning/maintenance.
The Fire Company spent 200 personnel hours training.

Fire/ Drill Report for March 2006

No. of Alarms	In Town	Out of Town	Y.T.D.	Answering Alarms	Minutes in Service	Man Minutes
28	16	12	123	22	543	4,208

No. of Drills	YTD	Total Members Attending	Total Minutes In Service	Total Man Minutes
2	12	14	270	3,270

Nature of Alarms

House	Apartment	Auto.	Trash	Brush	Fire Alarm	Oil Spill
1	2	1	1	5	5	1

Mutual Aid - Assist for Fire: 12

- **HIGHWAY & LIGHTS** – Mr. Kelly

Routine inlet maintenance was performed on the following dates: March 2, 13, and 14

STREET SIGNS:

- Straightened and repaired various signs throughout the borough

STREET CLEANING:

- Cleaned various streets throughout the borough

OTHER JOBS PERFORMED:

- Filled potholes throughout the borough
- Removed damaged barricade on S. Llanwellyn and W. Glenolden Avenue and replaced telephone pole that was used as barricade. Barricade was hit by a truck. Cost of this job was turned in to the office
- Handed out zoning meeting notices
- Cleaned and removed salt spreader for new dump truck
- Stored away snow equipment

EQUIPMENT:

- Checked and maintained all fluids on trucks.

TOTAL HOURS WORKED	127
TOTAL OVERTIME	0
TOTAL COMP TIME	0

- **HEALTH AND SEWER** – Mr. McGarvey
Sewers were checked and maintenance performed on the following dates: March 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31

OTHER JOBS PERFORMED:

- Call from office to find vent at 209 South Avenue. Found vent, could not plunge vent, pipe was off center

EQUIPMENT:

- All fluids were checked and maintained in Ram-Jet.

TOTAL HOURS WORKED	20
TOTAL OVERTIME	0
TOTAL COMP TIME	0

- **Health & Sewer Report for the month of March 2006**

Street Openings	0	Total fees collected	\$0.00
Plumbing permits issued	2	Total fees collected	\$236.00
Plumbing Registrations issued	2	Total fees collected	\$100.00

Turned over to the Borough Secretary the total sum of: **\$336.00**

- **HEALTH OFFICER** – Phyllis Duffy

- Communicable Diseases Reported: **0**
- Animal Bites Reported: **0**
- Inspections/Licenses Issued: **1**
- Burger King 501 MacDade Blvd.

Complaints:

- Glenolden Elementary School – complaints of mice-complete inspection of cafeteria and rooms were done. Traps have been placed by exterminator who surveys on a weekly basis. All food bags are inspected daily, and food has been discouraged in the classrooms. I will be re-inspecting again this month.

NOTE: A rabies clinic will be held at Folcroft Borough Hall on May 6, from 1pm-3pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Phyllis Duffy, RN, MHR

PARKS & PROPERTY – Mr. Kerstetter

Picked up trash at all borough buildings and parks

OTHER JOBS PERFORMED:

- Mopped borough hall auditorium
- Set up tables and chairs for seniors
- Changed light bulb at front door of Library
- Repaired two trains in playground and painted all four pieces
- Dug up and repaired sidewalks in park
- Recoated parking lot on W. Knowles Avenue
- General maintenance done throughout borough

TOTAL HOURS WORKED	259
TOTAL OVERTIME	0
TOTAL COMP TIME	0

BUILDING & ZONING – Mr. Pfaff**Building and Zoning Report for the month of March 2006**

Total Building/Zoning Permits issued	24	Total fees collected	\$1,830.00
Total Contractor Registrations	28	Total fees collected	\$1,400.00

Total Building and Zoning fees turned over to the Borough Secretary: **\$3,230.00**

· **Use and Occupancy Report for month of March 2006**

U&O's issued	24	Total fees collected	N/A
U&O application fees collected	42	Total fees collected	\$4,200.00
Re-inspection fees collected	0	Total fees collected	\$ 0.00

Total Use and Occupancy fees turned over to the Borough Secretary: **\$4,200.00**

· **Code Enforcement Report for March 2006**

Inspections

U&O	9
C&O	9
Re-Inspection	10
Concrete	8
Fences	1
Total	37

Contractor's working without a permit and/or license 9

Code Violations 32

Abandoned Cars

Total # of cars	33
Removed	14
Covered	5
Pending	13
Cited	1

ENGINEER – Ms. Nelson

- We processed the contracts for the Boon and Glen Avenue project for signature by JMC Contractors, Inc. We also sent notifications to all of the unsuccessful bidders. We are awaiting formal notification of the additional funding from the County in order to schedule the Pre-Construction Meeting.
- We responded to a request by PENNDOT to provide utility conflicts for the Traffic Signal project on Chester Pike. They anticipate Spring 2007 letting of the project.
- We processed the request for payment for the T-Ball field project on Knowles Avenue. A letter to the Office of Housing and Community Development was prepared. The contractor has been notified by their office that they will withhold payment until certified payrolls are received.

Work is approximately 1/3 complete.

- We contacted the Darby Township Manager regarding the repairs necessary for the Academy Avenue bridge. We have forwarded them two copies of the report provided to the Borough by PENNDOT that was prepared by Erdman & Anthony documenting their recommended improvements. We will need to coordinate with both Darby and Ridley Township, as all three municipalities are responsible.

SOLICITOR – Mr. Puppio No new report

PRESIDENT DANZI – Old / New business

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FINANCE & LAW – Mr. McGettigan

MOTION by Mr. McGettigan seconded by Mr. Kerstetter to refund the amount of \$818.63 to Kevin Donahue of 407 Custer Ave. for duplicate payment of borough taxes folio number 21-00-00565-00.
MOTION CARRIED

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MOTION by Mr. McGettigan seconded by Mr. Kerstetter to refund the amount of \$1,140.14 to Jason & Cathleen Schambers owners of 19 N. Wells Ave. for duplicate payment of borough taxes folio number 21-00-02200-00. **MOTION CARRIED**

MOTION by Mr. McGettigan seconded by Mr. Kerstetter to refund the amount of \$91.27 TO Salvatore & Dawn Merola of 501 Tatnall Ave. for overpayment of borough taxes folio number 21-00-02067-00. **MOTION CARRIED**

MOTION by Mr. McGettigan seconded by Mr. Kerstetter to refund the amount of \$111.84 to Angelo Cadamo of 407 S. Sharp Ave. for overpayment of borough taxes folio number 21-00-01926-00.
MOTION CARRIED

MOTION by Mr. McGettigan seconded by Mr. Kerstetter to refund the amount of \$1,088.84 to Francis Gaul of 610 Sharp Ave. for duplicate payment of borough taxes folio number 21-00-01912-00. **MOTION CARRIED**

MOTION by Mr. McGettigan seconded by Mr. Kerstetter to contribute the sum of \$2,200.00 to the Schoolhouse Senior Center as done in previous years. **MOTION CARRIED**

HEALTH & SEWER – Mr. McGarvey No new reports

PARKS & PROPERTY – Mr. Kerstetter

MOTION by Mr. Kerstetter seconded by Mr. Pfaff to adopt Resolution 5-06 Bike to Work Week to help decrease the number of cars being driven and decrease traffic congestion and air pollution from May 15, 2006 to May 19, 2006. **MOTION CARRIED**

MAYOR BATHURST – Whereas, to decrease the number of cars being driven and decrease traffic congestion and air pollution the Delaware County Transportation Management Association, Delaware County Planning Department are promoting a special week from May 15, 2006 to May 19, 2006, to encourage the use of bicycles for travel to work and other destinations; and

Whereas the national non-profit bicycling safety and education association, the League of American Bicyclist has declared the month of May to be “National Bike Month” for 50 consecutive years; and

Whereas, the League of American Bicyclist has declared the week of May 15 through May 19, 2006 as “National Bike to Work Week”; and

Whereas, as an alternative to the automobile as a viable means of transportation, bicycling simultaneously promotes physical health and lowers stress while reducing air pollution, traffic congestion, energy consumption and effects of global warming; and

Whereas, Bicycle transportation is an integral part of the “multi-modal” transportation system planned for by federal, state, regional, and local government agencies; and

Whereas, Bicycle commuting helps improve the “livability” of communities by reducing traffic noise and congestion; and

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that We, Glenolden Borough, do hereby proclaim May 15 through May 19, 2006 to be “**Bike to Work Week**” in Glenolden Borough and encourage the use of bicycles rather than cars for this week.

PUBLIC SAFETY – Mr. Quinn No new reports

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BUILDING & ZONING – Mr. Pfaff No new reports

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HIGHWAY & LIGHTS – Mr. Kelly No new reports

MAYOR BATHURST –You heard that a number of calls was close to 700 for the month of March which is rather high for this community, the challenge that we are dealing with is that we’re having vandalism down in the Park again. It’s amazing how the bridge over the Muckinapates Creek can be absolutely destroyed by just jumping and pulling and all of that kind of good stuff on it. The Park

Security will be out again this weekend on a full time basis, and beyond that maybe the Chief will have the bike patrols out the week of May 15th. That's about it for now.

PRESIDENT DANZI – Okay, thank you sir. Now, a motion to go out of the regular order of business to hear from the public tonight.

MOTION by Mr. Quinn seconded by Mr. Pfaff to go out of the regular order of business to hear from the public. **MOTION CARRIED**

PRESIDENT DANZI – Anybody from the public wish to address Council tonight?

Bob Barnett, 103 W. Glenolden Avenue – I'm here as a representative of Glenolden Youth Club and I just want to thank Council for putting the new field into play for us. As we go along during the years we fight a constant battle between some people taking fields from us, some people giving us fields back, but I really feel that it's a much needed thing to have this new field here, also as a long time resident of S. Wells Avenue to cover up the eyesore that's been there forever. I don't know if everybody remembers that the power plant actually used to be where the field's going in. It's unfortunate that it's so many years ago, I was a little boy running around those fields but I just want to let you guys know you don't often hear it that we really appreciate it.

President Danzi – We appreciate that tremendously. It's nice to hear that. Thanks Bob. Thanks for coming out, I know you guys have practice going on and you are all pretty busy this time of year.

President Danzi – Anyone else wish to address Council here tonight.

MOTION by Mr. Quinn seconded by Mr. Kerstetter to pay all bills as presented.

MOTION CARRIED

MOTION by Mr. Quinn seconded by Mr. Pfaff to adjourn this meeting. **MOTION CARRIED**

Adjourned meeting at 8:00 PM

ATTEST

Brian H. Hoover
Borough Manager
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