

**SOUTH FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MEETING
MAY 5, 2026
AGENDA**

SUPERVISORS: Brianna Gadani and Robert Leibhart. Daniel Stanek excused.

TOWNSHIP MANAGER: Tyler Linck

SOLICITOR: James Jeffries

POLICE: Chief William DeForte

FIRE DEPARTMENT: None

VISITORS: Wes Frazee, Sharon Maloy, RC Cassidy, Martha Klinedinst, and Tascha Kopko

CALL TO ORDER: 4:32

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Motion by Leibhart, 2nd by Gadani to approve meeting minutes from Board of Supervisor's meeting held on April 7, 2026. Motion carried 2-0.

TREASURER REPORT:

Submitted for review

PUBLIC COMMENT: Sharon Maloy commented on weeds growing at intersection of Mounts and Jolly School.

Martha Klinedinst thanked the Township for putting up the street signs on Moore Road and fixing the front door. She also apologized to Brie for misunderstanding her role with the Township. She did not mean to offend. She also stated that in September of 2025 she did not specifically ask about FEMA money; only about funding in general. She also asked where the armory would get their money to potentially fund a stormwater project on their roadway. She also asked what the Washington County Association of Township Officials is and how they operate. She also provided information on Army Corps flood study, Washington County Community Foundation, and opioid settlement information. Lastly, she thanked Chief DeForte and Brie for meeting new officer, Stella.

Tascha Kopko with question about 590 Lagonda Road dumping and equipment. Will have Zoning Officer investigate and take action, if necessary.

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SOLICITOR: All legal matters are in order.

TOWNSHIP MANAGER REPORT:

Submitted for review

GREENE WASHINGTON REGIONAL POLICE DEPARTMENT:

Chief DeForte - Monthly Report submitted, read aloud, and will be posted online. Klindedinst asked what is a suspicious person? Chief detailed anyone that doesn't belong and is not permitted. Even if someone is walking their dog? Chief stated that would be trespass and they would respond if called.

SOUTH FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT:

Monthly Report not submitted

CODE ENFORCEMENT REPORT:

CORRESPONDENCE:

PLANNING COMMISSION:

PARK AND RECREATION: Date for Car Cruise set for August 16. Will look into food trucks for the event.

ROAD DEPARTMENT:

Municipal garage

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

Motion by Leibhart to adopt new Lock Box Policy, 2nd by Gadani . Motion carried 2-0.

Motion by Leibhart to approve Pigford Agreement, 2nd by Gadani. Motion carried 2-0.

Motion by Leibhart to reject all bids for stone and oil due to liquid fuels funds being used for project for Franklin Manor stormwater, 2nd by Gadani. Motion carried 2-0.

Motion by Gadani to add the hiring of Tyler Friend as Park Groundskeeper to the agenda , 2nd by Leibhart. Motion carried 2-0.

Motion by Leibhart to hire Tyler Friend as Park Groundskeeper, 2nd by Gadani. Motion carried 2-0.

APPROVE INVOICES AND CHECKS FROM:

Motion by Leibhart to approve payment of invoices from April 1- April 28, 2nd by Gadani.
Motion carried 2-0.

ADJOURN MEETING:

Motion by Leibhart, 2nd by Gadani. Motion carried 2-0.

NEXT MEETING:

Planning meeting – Tuesday, May 26, 2026 at 4:30p

Board of Supervisors meeting – Tuesday, June 2, 2026 at 4:30p