

AGENDA

TAMAQUA BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING OF TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, 2026 AT 7:00 P.M.

1. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER
2. INVOCATION
3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
4. ROLL CALL
5. READING OF THE MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL REORGANIZATION MEETING HELD ON JANUARY 5, 2026.
6. COMMUNICATIONS:
 - A.
 - B.
7. BOROUGH MANAGER: KEVIN A. STEIGERWALT
8. CHIEF OF POLICE: MICHAEL HOBBS
9. COMMITTEE REPORTS:
 - A. PUBLIC SAFETY:

Robert Amentler - Chairperson
Kyle Oliphant
Ron Bowman

 - * Motion to approve a request to send Sergeant Thomas Rodgers to Police Executive Training in Allentown, PA on March 16-27, 2026 at a cost of \$1,359.00.
 - * Motion to approve a request to send Officer Michael Hrebik to the Pennsylvania Narcotics Officers' Association Conference in Harrisburg, PA on March 25-27 at a cost of \$150.00.
 - B. PARKING & TRAFFIC:

George Haldeman – Chairperson
Kathy Kunkel
Robert Amentler

 - * Motion to approve a handicapped parking space application for 733 East Broad Street.
 - * Motion to approve a handicapped parking space application for 316 N. Columbia Street.

C. FINANCE, WAGE & SALARY:

Ron Bowman – Chairperson
George Haldeman
Kathy Kunkel

- * Motion to retain Susan Coombe as a full-time Assistant Borough Secretary/Treasurer effective January 21, 2026.
- * Motion to retain Damien Flexer as a full-time Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator effective February 9, 2026.

D. NEIGHBORHOODS, DOWNTOWN & HISTORIC DISTRICT:

Kyle Oliphant– Chairperson
Jay Hollenbach Jr.
Kathy Kunkel

- * (See minutes from the HARC meeting held on January 5, 2026.)

10. MAYOR’S REPORT:
Mayor David Clemson

11. ANYONE FROM THE FLOOR WISHING TO ADDRESS COUNCIL?

12. BOROUGH SOLICITOR: ANTHONY ODORIZZI

13. REPORTS:

- A. FIRE CHIEF
- B. CODE ENFORCEMENT AND ZONING OFFICER
- C. CHIEF OF POLICE
- D. TAX COLLECTOR
- E. TREASURER
- F. BOARD OF HEALTH
- G. TAMAQUA COMMUNITY AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION

14. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

15. BILLS AND CLAIMS

16. NEW BUSINESS

17. EXECUTIVE SESSION (Optional)

18. ADJOURN