

MINUTES

South Lebanon Township

January 27, 2026

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1. The meeting of the South Lebanon Township Board of Supervisors was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Chairman Stephen Krause, with Supervisor Jeffrey Chernich, Township Manager Jamie Yiengst, Assistant Township Manager Douglas Bishop, Township Solicitor Keith Kilgore, Public Works Director Ron Johnson, Police Sergeant Dave Troxell, Property Maintenance Officer David Eggert, Fire Police Captain Justin Hinkle, two (2) visitors and one (1) news reporter present.
2. Chairman Krause led the group in saluting the flag. Chairman Krause commended the Public Works Director and Highway Crew for their work during Winter Storm Fern.
3. VISITORS:
 - A. Tony Zimmerman, 25 Wilhelm Avenue, and Jim Sak, 16 Edward Avenue, were present to observe the meeting.
4. MINUTES:
 - A. The Minutes of the meeting held on January 5, 2026, were read and approved on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
 - B. The Board read the Minutes of the Authority meeting held on January 21, 2026.
5. REPORTS:
 - A. The Fire Department Report for December and the 2025 Annual Report were read and accepted on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
 - B. The Fire Police Report for December and the 2025 Annual Report were read and accepted on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
 - C. The Property Maintenance Code Report for the month of December and the 2025 Annual Report were read and accepted on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
 - D. The District Justice Report for the month of December, indicating traffic fines of \$3,865.02, and non-traffic fines of \$722.38, for a total of \$4,587.40 collected, was accepted on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
6. COMMUNICATIONS:
 - A. The Board read a request from the Lehigh Valley Disc Club to host a Women's Disc Golf Event at South Hills Park on May 16, 2026. Permission was granted on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
 - B. The Board read a letter from the South Lebanon Fire Department requesting to host a softball tournament at South Hills Park on September 12, 2026. Permission was granted on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
 - C. The Board read a request from Cedar Crest Music Aides to hold a Food Truck Festival at South Hills Park on May 27, 2026. Permission was granted with the following stipulation, on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
 1. Parking attendants must be provided.
 - D. The Board read a letter from Lebanon Cedar Lions requesting to utilize South Hills Park for the spring season of flag football beginning on March 9, 2026. Permission was granted on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
7. OLD BUSINESS: None

8. NEW BUSINESS:

- A. Resolutions #1535 - #1547, approving authorized signatures for accounts with First Citizens Community Bank, were approved on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
- B. The Board approved authorized signatures on the PLGIT Check Writing Authorization Form on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
- C. Based on a recommendation from Chief Zimmerman, the Board upgraded the employment status of Logan Firestine from probationary to regular full-time on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
- D. The Board approved the purchase of a Muffin Monster refurbished for the Fox Ridge pump station, from JWC Environmental, through the CoStars Program, on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
- E. The Board approved an agreement with Steckbeck Engineering & Surveying Inc. for the design and permitting of the Hebron Stormwater Improvement Project on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
- F. The Board approved Byrna train-the-trainer training for Patrolman Sweigart on February 25, 2026 in Belmont, NC, on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
- G. The Board granted permission for a pool on a through lot at 102 Stone Hedge Court on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
- H. The Board granted permission for a pool on a through lot at 148 Valley View Place on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.
- I. Resolution #1548, Dedication of Sanitary Sewer Easements in the Meadowview Estates Development, was approved on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.

9. Bills amounting to \$217,021.85 were individually examined and approved for payment on motion by Chernich, seconded by Krause.

10. The meeting was adjourned at 7:29 p.m. by Chairman Krause.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jamie Yiengst
Secretary-Treasurer