**Agenda Regular Monthly Meeting of the Borough Council**

**Wednesday, July 9th at 7:00pm**

The regular monthly meeting of the Galeton Borough Council will be held on Wednesday, July 9th, 2025 at 7:00pm. This meeting will take place at the Municipal Building located at 24 W Main St, Galeton PA 16922.

On the Agenda at this time:

At this time, we would like to make our visitors aware that during the Public Comment Period, each speaker will be limited to 5 minutes to address their topic of discussion. In addition, if there is a group that all wish to speak about the same item, one spokesperson must be chosen by the group.

1. Meeting called to order:

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Motion by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to approve the minute of May and June meeting, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

4. Motion by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to approve the financial report of May and June and expenses to date, as presented, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**Public Comment Period:**

Mike Howard

Randy Ferguson

Letter from Hidden Springs Homestead (Landis) located on Germania Street

**Committee Reports**

**Mayor & Police**

1. Mayor Garrote to give reports
2. Chief Cimino to give updates and reports
3. Frank Fisher to give updates and reports

**Borough Secretary**

1. Galeton Foundation Applications
	* + Rose Garden – denied
		+ Electricity – denied
		+ Event Insurance – denied
		+ Sewer truck – tabled
			- I would like to send an additional letter explaining that this would be a one-time request and no further monetary requests would be made for the sewer truck
2. Galeton Foundation request – landscaping project
3. Penelec billing / energy contract
4. Internet / Blue Ridge & Tri County
	* + We are currently in a 5-year contract with Blue Ridge

 **Galeton Library Building Maintenance Requests**

1. Door handle on the back door is broken – it can’t be unlocked from the outside to get into the building

**Borough Foreman**

1. Road condition updates / borough updates

**Solicitor**

**Resolutions & Ordinances**

1. Resolution 4-2025: Certifying Joe Cimino JR as full-time police and on-call crew for pension purposes
2. Resolution 5-2025: Agreeing to the winter maintenance agreement with PennDOT

**Old Business**

1. Reschedule ordinance meeting
2. Continued issues with library requesting maintenance/repairs directly without speaking with the borough. President would like another letter sent

**New Business**

1. Community service – working with the borough
2. John Zook, owner of apartment complex next door, is interested in purchasing the small piece of property beside the apartment.
3. John Hartman states he spoke with Henry Lush of the Galeton Foundation to have them fix the sidewalk in front of his store. He states Henry advised him to contact the borough for us to make this request.
4. Residents are concerned regarding the cleanliness of the Galeton Library. We have received complaints of:
	* + Stacks of returned books not being re-shelved in a timely manner
		+ Excessive trash, dirty floors, excessive dust

**The next regular monthly meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 13th , 2025.**

Motion to adjourn this meeting at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.