

Beaver Valley Regional Police Department

Regular Meeting Minutes

803 First Avenue, Conway, PA 15027

Thursday, February 12th, 2026, at 6:00 PM

Call to Order, Pledge of Allegiance

The meeting was called to order at 6:00PM by Scott Levenson, Chairman of Beaver Valley Regional Police Department Commission, followed by the pledge of allegiance.

Roll Call

The following members of the commission were present:

Baden: Andy Gall, Becky Gallagher

Conway: Scott Levenson, Debbie Giska-Rose, Mark Hertneky

Freedom: Kim Farrow

Rochester Twp: Steven Anthony, Paul Abbot

Also Present: Chief Michael Priolo, Tori Forster (Admin Assistant), David Mitchell (solicitor), Sgt. Shipley, Officer Dunmyer

Public Comment

No Public Comment

Minutes

Commission reviewed the regular meeting minutes from 1.8.2026

MOTION was made by Steven Anthony, seconded by Kim Farrow, carried unanimously to approve the regular meeting minutes from 1.8.2026 as presented.

Administrative Assistant's Report

Monthly Reports:

List of bills: Commission reviewed the list of bills from 1.8.2026 to 2.11.2026.

MOTION was made by Debbie Giska-Rose, seconded by Mark Hertneky to approve the list of bills from 1.8.2026 to 2.11.2026, carried unanimously.

Budget: Commission Reviewed the 2026 Budget Report.

Treasurer Report: Commission reviewed the Treasurer Report attached to the agenda packet. Available bank account balances as of January 31st, 2026: General Fund \$383,083.52, Payroll \$18,249.26, Misc/Debit \$576.73, Drug Fund \$16,621.11, K9 Fund \$3,064.74, Grant Money \$107,000.00

Pension: See report attached to the agenda packet.

Final transfer has been moved to principal

Postal Scale Discussion took place among the commission about getting a USPS meter.

MOTION made by Paul Abbot to order the postal scale and seconded by Steven Anthony, carried unanimously.

Chief's Report

Monthly Call Report (+ YTD):

See website: <https://bvrpd-pa.gov/monthly-crime-statistics>

K9 Summary: Commission reviewed the report.

Adding an Officer to ESU

MOTION was made by Debbie Giska-Rose, seconded by Mark Hertneky to add an officer to ESU and to cover the \$400.00 cost, motion was carried unanimously.

Follow up- Towing Agreements: Each town currently uses a hometown towing company. Rochester- Sulli's & Al's, Freedom- Gilarno's, Baden- Harvey's, Conway- Chris's. This agreement will mainly cover a set cost when the Police must impound a car. The agreement will be reviewed and altered to bring back to the March meeting.

Radio Maintenance Agreement: The cost for an annual Radio Maintenance agreement is \$5,682.00 and will cover the costs incurred by any of the radios needing maintenance.

MOTION made by Kim Farrow and seconded by Debbie Giska-Rose to purchase the Radio Agreement for \$5,682.00 billed quarterly, motion was carried unanimously.

Solicitor's Report

FASD update + Discussion—Short term intergovernmental agreement: (This discussion took place under the Administrative Assistant Report) Chief Priolo met with the new FASD Superintendent. Will have Brenna, our grant writer, research grants that help the school cover the costs of an SRO.

Old Business

Fuel system: No update will proceed when weather breaks.

Pulaski: No update

AASD: (This discussion took place under the Administrative Assistant Report) Will have Brenna, our grant writer, research grants that help the school cover the costs of an SRO.

Grants

Station renovation- Chief Priolo met with Matzie to discuss an additional grant to help cover the costs of the station renovation.

Norfolk Southern- received and finalizing in the next few weeks.

Correspondence

No Correspondence

New Business

Discussion/ review of proposed GF Annual Surplus Policy: Discussion took place among the commission to discuss the process and what it will entail. Commission would like to review the contracts that were drawn up in the Agenda Packet further and tabled a Motion until the March Meeting.

New Officer: Currently doing background checks, Motion was tabled until the March meeting to discuss further.

Executive Session

MOTION was made to enter executive session at 7:17pm made by Steven Anthony and seconded by Paul Abbot, carried unanimously.

MOTION was made to exit executive session at 7:46pm made by Debbie Giska-Rose and seconded by Kim Farrow, carried unanimously.

Personnel: discussion took place during executive session.

MOTION made by Debbie Giska-Rose and seconded by Kim Farrow to pay the Chief 12 hours of time and a half for the hours he worked during the snowstorm, carried unanimously.

Adjournment

MOTION made to end the meeting at 7:48pm made by Becky Gallagher and seconded by Kim Farrow, carried unanimously.

Minutes prepared by:
Tori Forster, Administrative Assistant

Michael Priolo, Chief of Police – Scott Levenson, Commission Chairman