

AGENDA – MONDAY – November 2, 2026

FOREST CITY BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING

- **CALL TO ORDER**
- **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE** (All stand)
- **ROLL CALL**
- **ANNOUNCEMENT:**

An executive session was held on 10.15.2026 & 10.22.2026 concerning personnel issues.

PUBLIC COMMENT (specific to agenda items);

COMMITTEE REPORTS

A. ADMINISTRATION: (Jason Obelenus)

- a) Motion to Approve Regular Meeting Minutes from October 5, 2026 (Motion, second - All in favor? Any opposed?);
- b) Motion to Approve Regular Meeting Minutes from October 15, 2026 (Motion, second - All in favor? Any opposed?);
- c) Motion to Approve Regular Meeting Minutes from October 22, 2026 (Motion, second - All in favor? Any opposed?);
- d) Motion to Approve the October 2026 Treasurer's Report (Motion, second - roll call vote);
- e) Motion to approve Resolution #11 Signatories for Edward Jones CD/Accounts; (Motion, second - roll call vote);
- f) Motion to renew the Edward Jones CD in the amount of \$127,851.31 (+.02) see attachment for rates; (Motion, second - roll call vote);
- g) Advertise for a Budget Workshop (after 11/11/2026 room for advertising); (Motion, second - roll call vote);
- h) Motion to approve Resolution #12 LSA Grant - Local Share Assessment grant in the amount of \$568,335.05 from the Commonwealth Financing Authority to be used for Main Street Drainage, Upper Main Street Drainage and Susquehanna Street Drainage Projects; (Motion, second - roll call vote);

B. PUBLIC WORKS: (Bernie Scalzo)

- a) October 2026 Public Works Report;
- b) October 2026 recycling donations \$256;

C. BUILDINGS & GROUNDS: (Michael Norella)

D. COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: (Tracey Lazier)

- a) Action Team updates, minutes & agenda;
- b) Update on Forest City's murals;

E. PARKS & RECREATION: (Michael Norella Sr.)

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- a) Update on Trunk or Treat held on Saturday October 24, 2026 at 1 pm costume contest at 2:30;

F. COMMUNITY SAFETY & HEALTH: (John Zasik)

- a) FEMA Certificate of Achievement for Councilman Zasik;

G. CODE ENFORCEMENT: (Eileen Lynch)

- a) October 2026 Code Enforcement report and update;

H. MAYOR'S REPORT: (Mayor Cost)

- a) October 2026 Police Report;
- a) Update on the Steam Town Marathon on October 11, 2026.;
- b) Update on RX Takeback held Saturday, October 24th, 2026 10 to 2 PM @ FCAES;
- c) Overnight parking is now in effect on Main Street until March 31, 2026 and will be enforced. No parking 2 am to 5 am.
- d) Requesting that council raise the Part-time Police Officers uniform allowance from \$100 to \$400 per year; **(Motion, second - roll call vote);**

I. SOLICITOR: (Marissa McAndrew);

- a) Sewer liens, lien letters, general update, no new lien letters or liens;

J. CONTINUED BUSINESS: (Various Council Members)

- a) Update on the Grant for the 400-500 Block PENNDOT MULTIMODAL GRANT;
- b) Motion to approve Ordinance #533-2026 – NOISE; **(Motion, second - roll call vote);**
- c) Motion to approve Ordinance #534-2026 - CHICKENS; **(Motion, second - roll call vote);**
- d) Motion to approve Ordinance #535-2026 - UNEXCUSED ABSENCE FROM MEETINGS AND COMPENSATION; **(Motion, second - roll call vote);**
- e) No Specifications as of today for the East Side of the 600 block of Main Street Sidewalks; **(Motion, second - roll call vote);**

NEW BUSINESS: (Various Council Members)

- a) Motion to advertise the 2027 Forest City Borough Regular Meeting Schedule; **(Motion, second - roll call vote);**
- b) Motion to advertise the 2027 Forest City Borough Planning Commission Meeting Schedule; **(Motion, second - roll call vote);**
- c) Motion to purchase drinks, water and candy canes for the Christmas event on 12/2/2026 at Pentecost Hall; **(Motion, second - roll call vote);**

PUBLIC COMMENTS or QUESTIONS:

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- a) The next regular scheduled meeting will be December 7th, 2026 on the 3rd floor of the borough building.

ADJOURNMENT: **(Motion, second - All in favor? Any opposed?)**