

Town of Lumberport

Regular Council Meeting

June 8, 2026

Amended Agenda

Call Meeting to Order

Prayer

Pledge of Allegiance

***Acceptance of Amended Agenda**

***Acceptance of Minutes of May 4, 2026 Regular Council Meeting, no Minutes of April 27, 2026 Workshop, and Minutes of May 26, 2026 Emergency Meeting**

Thraser Engineering Report (None)

Quality Water Report

Public Works Report

Police Report

FYI

***In the May 2026, council meeting, council was very receptive to the funding being submitted to IJDC on May 10, 2026 and to be heard for technical review in Charleston on June 23, 2026. Ryan Holcomb stated funding wise, \$2,000,000 in loans, prefer local/county involvement, and some contribution from our present ARPA fund toward the grant. Also suggested economic enhancement loan. Thrasher updated contract to include \$150,000 to decommission Plant (not to include the dam).**

*** Quality Water contract discussed. For any upcoming questions, discussion will be held at June 2026 meeting.**

*** Emergency Meeting was held on May 26, 2026, to discuss personnel issues and questions regarding Quality Water Contract. Denene will send**

e-mail on 5/27/26 to Quality Water indicating the Town's questions and concerns and the Mayor has requested a 30 day extension for the Town to vote on the upcoming Contract.

Visitors

Jim Davis spoke on water running down Conway Street. Complaints were voiced with regard to children riding 4-wheelers on public roads and in neighborhoods, people within City limits having chickens which is definitely against the Town's Ordinance.

Old Business:

***Propellers have been put on the aerators.**

***Plan to dig hole re: repairs of Wastewater Pipe will begin May 7, 2026 and continue until completed. Precision Pipe has not been scheduled due to rain.**

***Hiring of Code Enforcer still on hold.**

*** Jeremiah Whitecotton was hired for parttime summer help with grass and weed-eating but has since been discharged from his duties.**

*** Generator has not been sent out for repairs as of this date.**

New Business:

*** We received bids from Amos Paving & Excavating and Erskine Construction & Sealcoat for Water, Church and Second Streets. We have enough funding in ARPA to do one of the streets, the worst street being Second Street. Discussion will follow.**

*** Received remainder of fire hydrants on May 27, 2026 for a total of ten (10).**

*** Successful meter audit with Thrasher.**

*** Bennett & Dobbins is returning to train for the fiscal year 2026 year-end budget. Received invoice from Benett & Dobbins in the amount of \$12,810.00 for preparation of June 30, 2025 fiscal year taxes and PSC Report.**

*** Hope Street Bridge – WV DOH is replacing Hope Street Bridge beginning in 2031 but approval needs to be decided at present to get the project on their construction plan. Discussion to follow.**

*** Approval of Resolution for Region VI to pay Thrasher Engineering \$5,500 out of Arpa funds. In addition, this will close out the water project 2022 W-2150, IJDC fund for that project.**

*** Looking to possibly purchase excavator for Public Works which was located on Facebook Marketplace in the amount of \$29,900.**

*** Set date for Lumberport Community Yard Sale.**

***Chief Rigsby will be checking ATV's for proper permits effective immediately.**

Financial Report

Mayor's Report

Adjournment