# PORTAGE BOROUGH COUNCIL AGENDA December 20<sup>th</sup>, 2024 Special Meeting 6:00 PM

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER:

Roll call and Pledge of Allegiance.

## 2. CITIZENS INPUT ON AGENDA ITEMS:

A period of not more than five (5) minutes will be allowed per visitor

### 3. BILLS TO BE PAID

Listing of bills to be paid through December 20th, 2024

### 4. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A. Discussion on Emergency Services for Portage Borough

### 5. MOTIONS:

- A. Review and approval of the 2025 tax millage rate set at 16.5 mills & fire at .5 mills
  MOTION: To approve Ordinance 10-2024 by setting the 2025 Tax Rate at 16.5 mills and fire at .5 mills for a total of 17 mills.
  Moved\_\_\_\_\_\_ Seconded \_\_\_\_\_\_ Aff\_\_\_\_ Nay\_\_\_\_ Abs: \_\_\_\_\_
- B. Review and approve the 2025 wages rates for uniform and non-uniform employees and amend the Compensation Plans for Schedule A and Schedule B employees.
  MOTION: To approve Ordinance 11-2024 by setting the wage rates for Uniform and Non-uniform employees in accordance with the 2025 Compensation Plan and agreements Moved\_\_\_\_\_\_ Seconded \_\_\_\_\_\_ Aff\_\_\_\_ Nay\_\_\_\_ Abs: \_\_\_\_\_
- C. Review and approval of the 2025 Approved Operating Budget for the General Fund, State Liquid Fuels Funds, and Capital Improvement Savings Fund
  MOTION: To approve Ordinance 12-2024 by adopting the 2025 Approved Operating Budget for the General Fund, State Liquid Fuels and Capital Improvement Funds
  Moved\_\_\_\_\_\_ Seconded \_\_\_\_\_\_ Aff\_\_\_\_ Nay\_\_\_\_ Abs: \_\_\_\_\_
- D. Review and approve an amendment to Resolution 12-2024 for 1<sup>st</sup> Summit Bank Certificate of Deposit
  MOTION: To approve Resolution 13-2024 by adding additional interest when redeemed at bank for
  First Summit in the amount of \$3.67 for a total cd amount of \$29,777.63.
- E. Setting the 2025 Garbage Collection Rates

MOTION: To approve Resolution 14-2024 by setting the 2025 Garbage collection rates commencing January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025 through December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2025 at \$19.20/mo for curbside service and \$34.50 for pre-paid bags (10).

Moved\_\_\_\_\_\_ Seconded \_\_\_\_\_\_ Aff\_\_\_\_ Nay\_\_\_\_ Abs: \_\_\_\_\_

F.	Approval of	Approval of Emergency Services for Portage Borough				
	MOTION:	To appoint	as the Emergency	Services for	2025 and to notify	
	Cambria Co	ounty 9-1-1 for the alarm cards.				
	Moved	Seconded	Aff	Nay	Abs:	

 G. Review and approval of a consulting services agreement for the Police Pension Plan MOTION: To approve the consulting services with Feaster Pension Consulting for the Police Pension Plan for 2025, in the amount of \$1,400.00.
 Moved\_\_\_\_\_\_ Seconded \_\_\_\_\_\_ Aff\_\_\_\_ Nay\_\_\_\_ Abs: \_\_\_\_\_

### 6. GOOD OF THE BOROUGH

### ADJOURNMENT:

Moved\_\_\_\_\_\_Seconded \_\_\_\_\_Aff\_\_\_\_Nay\_\_\_\_Abs:\_\_\_\_\_ Adjourned at \_\_\_\_\_PM