February 16th 2026

The Branch Township Board of Supervisor held their regular monthly meeting on February 16th, 2026, at 6:00pm at the Branch Township Memorial Building, Llewellyn Pa. In attendance was Joseph Carvajl, David Schultz Sr., Sue Ellen Holley (Supervisors) Gino DiNicola (solicitor) John Direnzo (Planning Commission).

A motion to approve the January meeting minutes was made by Supervisor Schultz, seconded by Supervisor Carvajal, all in favor.

A motion to approve the current months bills was made by Supervisor Schultz, seconded by Supervisor Carvajal, all in favor.

General Fund

Net payroll 1/20-2/16	16,649.13	PA Withholding	424.84
Federal Tax Deposit	1,330.66	Federal Tax Deposit	71.02
Federal Tax Deposit	1,217.28	Capital Blue Cross	2,485.58
Dave Hammers	50.00	Highmark Blue Sheild	9.28
Laudeman Pest Control	50.00	PPL	198.19
Republican Herald	476.82	Shane Miller	338.20
Federal Tax Deposit	1,230.96	PA Withholding	322.66
PA Withholding	2.00	Federal Tax Deposit	1,457.80
Garcia , Garman & Shea	7,000.00	Wex Bank	1,331.92
Anthracite Waste	14,500.00	ARRO Consulting	383.71
Brior Environmental	331.76	Casella	800.00
Comcast	149.62	Galls LLC	455.71
Gino DINicola	180.00	H.A. Thomson	499.00
Hadesty's	138.32	Kens Tire	350.96
Met & Associates	170.00	Pfeiffer , Brown, DiNicola & Frantz	1,050.00
Republican Herald	85.30	Robert E Reedy's	266.44
Sands Ford	139.50	SCMA	80.00
United Concordia	139.23	Verizon	238.26
Comcast	149.19		

Liquid Fuels

American Rock Salt	2,194.51	PPL	3,723.44

Income

Berkheimer	21,057.46	Comcast	4,743.98
County Of Schuylkill	132.30	Delinquent Sanitation	3,085.00
District Justice Court	182.34	Extra Sanitation	910.00
Gail Bedford	30.66	Matheau Bridges (Building Permit)	22.50
Schuylkill County	973.76	Stephen Platko (Sewage Permit)	331.76

Account Balances

General Fund	2,014.89	PA Invest GF	195,440.73
		PA Invest GF Sub Acc	189,109.63
Liquid Fuels	243.20	PA Invest LF	29,064.06
ARPA	2.03	PA Invest Police	5,137.63
Cemetery	4,190.37		

Public Comment – None

Agenda

A motion to approve the Building Code Official Hours Monday – Thursday 8am- 10am with no make-up days was made by Supervisor Holley, seconded by Supervisor Schultz, all in favor.

A motion to approve the purchase of two (2) AEDS for the police at a cost of 1,351.56 each was made by Supervisor Schultz, seconded by Supervisor Carvajal, all in favor.

A motion to approve of starting the process to close the ARPA account was made by Supervisor Holley, seconded by Supervisor Schultz, all in favor.

Standing Reports

The Building Code Official report was read into the record by Supervisor Carvajal. A motion to approve the report was made by Supervisor Schultz, seconded by Supervisor Holley, all in favor. A complete report will be kept on file at the township office.

Solicitor DiNicola reported that the statis is the same and pending since last month's meeting. A motion to approve was made by Supervisor Schultz, seconded by Supervisor Carvajal, all in favor.

Road masters report- Township workers have been plowing and doing equipment repairs. A motion to approve was made by supervisor Holley, seconded by Supervisor Carvajal, all in favor. A complete report will be kept on file at the township office.

The Police report was read into the record by Supervisor Carvajal. A motion to approve the report was made by Supervisor Schultz, seconded by Supervisor Holley, all in favor. A complete report will be kept on file at the township office.

A motion to approve the ARRO Consulting report was made by Supervisor Schultz, seconded by Supervisor Carvajal all in favor. A complete report will be kept on file at the township office.

Meeting adjourned at 6:16 pm

Respectfully Submitted by
Sue Ellen Holley