

**PENN FOREST TOWNSHIP  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
2010 STATE ROUTE 903  
JIM THORPE, PA 18229**

**SPECIAL MEETING  
MINUTES**

**SEPTEMBER 12, 2025**

**The Special Meeting of the Penn Forest Township Board of Supervisors is being held at Penn Forest Township Municipal Building, 2010 State Route 903, Jim Thorpe, PA.**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

Chairman Roger Meckes asked that all in attendance stand and recite the "Pledge of Allegiance."

**CALL TO ORDER:**

Supervisor Roger Meckes called the meeting to order at 2:30 p.m., Roll Call by Township Secretary

**Members:**                **Roger Meckes, Chairman**  
                                 **Christian Bartulovich, Vice-Chairman**  
                                 **Scott Lignore, Supervisor**  
                                 **Patrick Holland, Supervisor**  
                                 **James Denier, Supervisor (absent)**

**Solicitor:**                **Thomas S. Nanovic---Solicitor (absent)**  
**Office Staff:**           **Dana Vitale---Twp. Secretary**

**A) DECLARE A PORTION OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE SUBSTANTIVELY INVALID**

**MOTION** made by Supervisor Meckes, Second by Supervisor Lignore to declare a portion of the Zoning Ordinance to be substantively invalid because it does not permit data centers, or data center accessory uses, or any similar use.

**ROLL CALL:** RM-yes; CB-yes; SL-yes; PH-yes; JD-absent **MOTION PASSED**

**B) ADOPT RESOLUTION NO. 9 OF 2025 - DECLARING THE PFT ZONING ORDINANCE OF 2011 SUBSTANTIALLY INVALID AND PROPOSING TO PREPARE A CURATIVE AMENDMENT TO OVERCOME SUCH INVALIDITY**

**MOTION** made by Supervisor Meckes, Second by Supervisor Bartulovich to **ADOPT** Resolution No. 9 of 2025- DECLARING THE PFT ZONING ORDINANCE OF 2011 SUBSTANTIALLY INVALID AND PROPOSING TO PREPARE A CURATIVE AMENDMENT TO OVERCOME SUCH INVALIDITY.

**ROLL CALL:** RM-yes; CB-yes; SL-yes; PH-yes; JD-absent **MOTION PASSED**

**C) PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Chairman Meckes opened the floor for questions and comments.

**BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS, MEETING WAS ADJOURNED AT 3:34 P.M.**

**MOTION** made by Supervisor Meckes, Second by Supervisor Lignore to adjourn the meeting.

**ROLL CALL:** RM-yes; CB-yes; SL-yes; PH-yes; JD-absent **MOTION PASSED**

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**DANA VITALE  
SECRETARY  
PENN FOREST TOWNSHIP**

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**ROGER MECKES  
CHAIRMAN, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
PENN FOREST TOWNSHIP**