

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

**SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES**

**MONDAY, JANUARY 12, 2026**

The Special Meeting of the Penn Forest Township Board of Supervisors is being held at Penn's Peak, 325 Maury Road, Jim Thorpe, PA.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

Vice-Chairman Christian Bartulovich asked that all in attendance stand and recite the "Pledge of Allegiance."

**CALL TO ORDER:**

Vice-Chairman Christian Bartulovich called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m., Roll Call by Township Secretary.

**Members:**                   **Roger Meckes, Chairman (via zoom)**  
                                 **Christian Bartulovich, Vice-Chairman**  
                                 **Patrick Holland, Supervisor (absent)**  
                                 **James Denier, Supervisor**  
                                 **Brandon Bell, Supervisor**

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

**Nanci Sarcinello--- AICP, Principal**  
**Sarcinello Planning & GIS Services**

**A. DISCUSS, INFORM, AND OBTAIN PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE PFT ZONING ORDINANCE TO ADDRESS DATA CENTERS**

**B. AUTHORIZE TOWNSHIP SOLICITOR TO SEND THE PROPOSED ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENTS TO THE TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION AND THE COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION**

**MOTION** made by Supervisor Bartulovich, Second by Supervisor Denier, to authorize Township Solicitor to send the proposed Zoning Ordinance amendments to the Township Planning Commission and the County Planning Commission.

**ROLL CALL:** RM-n/a; CB-yes; PH-absent; JD-yes; BB- yes **MOTION PASSED**

**C. SCHEDULE PUBLIC HEARING**

**MOTION** made by Supervisor Bartulovich, Second by Supervisor Bell, to schedule a public hearing for February 24, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. location TBD.

**ROLL CALL:** RM-n/a; CB-yes; PH-absent; JD-yes; BB- yes **MOTION PASSED**

**D. PUBLIC QUESTIONS & COMMENTS**

Linda Christman  
Nanette Cahill  
Stacey Bruggemann  
Mark Crimek  
Ms. Katz  
Joseph Smith  
Dolores Olonwich  
Peg Eitl  
Joseph Stauffenberg

**BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS, MEETING WAS ADJOURNED AT 10:11 P.M.**

**MOTION** made by Supervisor Bartulovich, Second by Supervisor Denier to adjourn the meeting.

**ROLL CALL:** RM-n/a; CB-yes; PH-absent; JD-yes; BB- yes **MOTION PASSED**

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**DANA VITALE**  
**SECRETARY**

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**ROGER MECKES**  
**CHAIRMAN, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

