



**Borough of
New Bethlehem**
Incorporated February 12, 1853

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September 21, 2021

MAYOR'S REPORT

- **Public Requests/Concerns**
 - Trees/Brush left on Catholic Church property from Asplundh – (resolved)
 - Intersection Camera Penn & Wood (Rt. 66) and Wood & Broad (Rt. 28) - (resolved)
 - Smucker's Dumpster on 600 block of Penn St. – (in-progress)
- **Website**
 - Borough website updated to host meeting agendas via the Sunshine Law
- **Solid-Waste Software Upgrade**
 - RAK Computer provided quote; available to provide presentation
- **Barletta Main St. Tour**
 - Lou Barletta, Republican candidate for governor of Pennsylvania, will be going on a Main Street Tour of New Bethlehem, Pennsylvania in Clarion County on Wednesday, September 22, 2021 @ 12:30pm to 2pm
 - Canyon Coffee, Police Station, Flower Shop, History Center, Barbershop, Zack's Restaurant, Art Galley/Bike Shop and Fire Company
- **Community**
 - RV Chamber of Commerce
 - PB Festival – Thank You to Public Works Dept. & Police Department
 - Halloween Parade – distributing candy on Trick-or-Treat (Sat. Oct 30th 6-8pm)
 - RV Community Center
 - Ghouls Day Out – vendors, crafters, bakers (Sat. Oct 30th 10am-2pm)
 - Thank you to teachers of the RVSD for painting the back deck of the Center
 - Gumtown Park
 - Thank you to the Boy Scouts for painting the benches in Gumtown Park
 - Trick-or-Treat
 - Sat. Oct. 30th: New Bethlehem @ 6-8pm. Hawthorn @ 5-7pm. East Brady @ 5:30-7pm. Rimersburg @ 6-8pm.
- **Cell Phone Plan**
 - Verizon upgrading to 5G by February 2022 – Police need new phones (in-progress)

New Bethlehem Borough fosters business, community, and personal growth within the borough while maintaining the small town appeal and family friendly environment that makes New Bethlehem a great place to work, live and raise a family.



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REGIONAL POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT

- Attorney Menchyk hired as solicitor; determined some paperwork needs reapproved as formality
- Meetings set the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month at the Windstream/Alltel Building @ 7pm

POLICE ASSOCIATION REPORT

- Expanding scholarship to include seven participating school districts with CC Career Center
- \$5.00 rip-tickets fundraiser available; please see any Police Officer to purchase
- Meetings; monthly rotation in East Brady @ East Brady Community Center, in New Bethlehem @ Redbank Valley Community Center and Rimersburg Municipal Building @ 7pm

FIRE COMPANY REPORT

- PennDOT Traffic Control Question presented to Representative Oberlander
- Meetings 2nd Tuesday of every month @ 7pm @ New Bethlehem Fire Hall

RVMA REPORT

- Hired new employee to replace employee who retired (Keith)
- Carbon Feed System waiting for approval; tentatively by October
- Meetings 3rd Thursday of every month @ 7pm @ Windstream/Alltel Building 212 Lafayette St.

OLD BUSINESS TODO LIST

- Sidewalk Repairs

Respectfully,

Gordon V. Barrows

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