

January:

- ◆ Brenda Sears resignation accepted and recognized for her 35 years of service on the Planning Commission
- ◆ Charles Turley resignation accepted and recognized for his five years of service on the Planning Commission
- ◆ Zoning Hearing application for James Burkey, 1037 Mountain View Drive
- ◆ Elected Auditor Gregory Lippincott's resignation accepted and appointment as an alternate on the Zoning Hearing Board
- ◆ 1240 West Rock Road Conservation Easement building envelope finalized

February:

- ◆ Blaze Youngers appointed to Planning Commission
- ◆ John Fenley appointed as an alternate on the Zoning Hearing Board
- ◆ Hold Harmless Agreement executed for Pennridge School District Transportation communication tower at the Municipal Site
- ◆ Electric Generation Blend and Extend Agreement March 2017 to May 2020 executed at a reduced rate of 0.0612 per kWh
- ◆ Latrell Belfield offered full-time employment as a Public Works Laborer
- ◆ Snow Emergency declared February 9 from 12:00am to 4:00pm
- ◆ Approval to purchase a 2017 39,000gvw dump truck
- ◆ Pennridge School District Transportation received preliminary / final land development approval for 2,400sf storage building

March:

- ◆ Fleck Sears West Rock Road Lot Line approval granted
- ◆ 2017 Road Project bids accepted for Three Mile Run Road from Schwenkmill Road to SR313; Tunnel Road from Three Mile Run Road to Harriet; Dell Drive; and Hill Road from Three Mile Run Road to Stone Edge Road totaling \$213,835
- ◆ 2017 Bituminous Seal Coat bids accepted to complete East Rock Road; Richlandtown Road; and Covered Bridge Road totaling \$53,098
- ◆ Dirt and Gravel award granted in the amount of \$58,968.20 for Clymer Road storm water improvements
- ◆ Storm Jonas FEMA reimbursement received in the amount of \$18,159.39
- ◆ Snow Emergency declared March 14, 2017 from 12:00am to March 15, 2017 12:00am
- ◆ Pennridge Airport Corporate Hangars Conditional Use Hearing to construct a 32,000sf building with five units and a 32,400sf building with four units
- ◆ Support the Pennridge Regional Police Department signs available thanks to Department donations
- ◆ End of winter – 231 tons of salt and 91 tons of anti-skid used

April:

- ◆ Resolution adopted opposing the closure of District Court 07-2-03
- ◆ Aviation consultant engaged for a supplemental review of the Pennridge Airport Conditional Use application
- ◆ Golf Driving Range opens April 17
- ◆ Bucks County drug take tack resulted in 9,862.66 pounds. Pennridge Regional and Grand View Hospital collected 250.13 pounds.

May:

- ◆ Updated Township website is launched offering real-time news notification
- ◆ Zoning Hearing application for Booth/Isopi, 3871 Sterner Mill Road
- ◆ Land Development amended waiver granted to construct a second accessory building prior to the main dwelling with requirements on Fifth Street
- ◆ Resolution adopted for Holding Tank rules and regulations
- ◆ 2016 Financial Report presented
- ◆ Foreman Farms, Butler Lane, received preliminary / final land development approval

June:

- ◆ Pines of Pennridge playground replacement approved
- ◆ Resident roadway sign request procedure enacted
- ◆ Barn at Markey Park annex known as the Moore Property approved to be removed
- ◆ Spring yard waste collection completed, 4 loads of chips
- ◆ Country Hunt small basin fence replaced
- ◆ Pennridge Airport Corporate Hangars Conditional Use Hearing Adjudication approved with conditions
- ◆ Pennridge Airport Corporate Hangars Land Development received preliminary / final approval

July:

- ◆ Fuel bids for 2017-2018 accepted
- ◆ Tom Aristide's resignation from the Planning Commission accepted

August:

- ◆ Zoning Hearing Application for Mehamanus Holdings 1419 Ridge Road
- ◆ Resolution adopted opposing Senate Bill 663 and House Bill 1469 to contract with three third party Uniform Construction Code agencies or allow applicants to use a separate third party agency to conduct inspections
- ◆ Golf driving range net replaced
- ◆ Axe Handle Road Conservation Easement totaling 35.9655 acres approved
- ◆ Bucks County closes Hill Road Bridge #352 for rehabilitation

September:

- ◆ MS4 Stormwater Permit submitted to PA Department of Environmental Protection to meet Federal Clean Water National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System, PA Clean Streams Law
- ◆ Pennridge Airport Business Park Lot 2 final land development approval
- ◆ 2018 Preliminary budget review begins
- ◆ 2017-2018 salt bids awarded
- ◆ 2018 Minimum Municipal Obligation approved
- ◆ Fifth Street and Campus Drive signal changes per Perkasie Borough ARLE grant at Fifth Street and Blooming Glen Drive
- ◆ Robin Besch offered part-time seasonal employment for Crossing Guard position at Fifth Street and Campus Drive intersection
- ◆ Resolution adopted opposing operator based video gaming terminals
- ◆ FEMA Hazard Mitigation Plan approved
- ◆ Municipal Service checking account closed
- ◆ Ordinance 287 adopted Intergovernmental Agreement for recycling data collection 2017-2021
- ◆ Ordinance 288 adopted amending the snow emergency route and penalties

- ◆ In-house paving Markey Park parking lot and Clymer Road

October:

- ◆ Joseph Chellew appointed to the Planning Commission
- ◆ Reiss lot line granted conditional preliminary / final approval
- ◆ Resolution adopted approving 2017 Employee Manual
- ◆ Street tree removal requests procedure established
- ◆ Perkasio Regional Authority purchases the North Penn Water system

November:

- ◆ Police Headquarter Debt Fund 24-month CD investment
- ◆ Resolution opposing Category 4 licensed casinos
- ◆ Three Mile Run Pump Station design awarded to CKS Engineers
- ◆ Driving range closed November 22

December:

- ◆ Fall leaf collection completed with a total of 67 loads or 938 cubic yards collected
- ◆ Zoning Hearing Application, Faith Baptist Church 700 North Main Street
- ◆ 2018 budget approved with no tax increase

January 2013 started Facebook & Twitter

	<u>Facebook Likes</u>	<u>Twitter followers</u>	<u>Enews Subscribers</u>
2013 -	35	110	440
2014 -	56	254	450
2015 -	86	376	438
2016 -	179	499	474
2017 -	257	645	467

Real-Time News Notification started in 2017: 82 subscribers