

Pen Argyl Borough Council held a Special Meeting on Tuesday, March 31, 2026, at 7:00 P.M. in the Borough Social Hall.

**Pledge of Allegiance:**

Council President Steven Goffredo called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M. and the meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Roll Call:**

Council Members present and responding to roll call: Roy Clewell, Stephanie Cooper, Tammy Kemp, Steven Goffredo, John Apgar, Scott Brumbaugh (via telephone), Joann Anderson and Josephine Hildabrant.

Also present were Mayor Stephen Male, Solicitor Peter Layman and Borough Manager Brian Fenstermaker.

**Visitors:**

None

**Executive Session:**

Councilwoman Tammy Kemp made a motion to go into Executive Session to discuss personnel, potential litigation, and litigation, seconded by Councilwoman Stephanie Cooper. The motion passed unanimously by roll call vote.

Council went into Executive Session at 7:01 P.M. and reconvened at 7:37 P.M. No official action was taken during Executive Session.

**Action Taken Following Executive Session:**

Councilwoman Josephine Hildabrant made a motion to approve the letter of termination for Steven Bender and direct Solicitor Layman to send the letter to Attorney John Harrison, confirming the termination of his employment effective April 1, 2026, and to convey via email that Mr. Bender's healthcare will remain in effect until April 30, 2026. Councilman Scott Brumbaugh seconded the motion. The motion passed 6-2 by roll call vote. Voting in favor were Goffredo, Kemp, Clewell, Cooper, Hildabrant, and Brumbaugh. Voting against were Anderson and Apgar.

**Adjournment:**

Councilwoman Kemp made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Councilwoman Hildabrant. The motion passed unanimously by voice vote. The special meeting adjourned at 7:46 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,

Brian Fenstermaker  
Borough Manager