

The Reorganizational Meeting of the Borough Council of the Borough of Sinking Spring for 2026 was held on Monday, January 5, 2026, at 7:00 p.m., at the Sinking Spring Borough Hall. Mayor Gary Cirulli presided over the meeting.

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED TO NEWLY-ELECTED COUNCIL MEMBERS:

Mayor Cirulli administered the Oath of Office to the following newly elected Council Members: Lisa Gantner, H. David Miller and John Egelman. Robert Metzgar arrived at 7:49 p.m. at which time Mayor Cirulli administered the Oath of Office to him.

Others present were Councilman Brian Hoffa, Councilwoman Tracy Peterson and Councilwoman Denise Stine, David Schlott, ARRO Consulting, Charles Haws, Barley Snyder, Michael Hart, Borough Manager, Police Chief James Oxenreider and Elizabeth Egelman, Borough Secretary who recorded the minutes of the proceedings.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS – PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF BOROUGH COUNCIL:

Mayor Cirulli asked for nominations for President. Mr. Miller nominated Tracy Peterson; seconded by Mrs. Gantner. There were no further nominations. Mayor Cirulli closed the nominations. AYES –6, NAYS – 0; motion carried. Tracy Peterson was named President.

Mayor Cirulli asked for nominations for Vice President. Mrs. Peterson nominated Mr. Miller; seconded by Mrs. Gantner. There were no further nominations. Mayor Cirulli closed the nominations. AYES –6, NAYS – 0; motion carried. Mr. Miller was named Vice President.

Mayor Cirulli asked for nominations for President Pro Tem. Mr. Miller nominated Mrs. Stine; seconded by Mrs. Gantner. There were no further nominations. Mayor Cirulli closed the nominations. AYES –6, NAYS – 0. Mrs. Stine was named President Pro Tem.

Mayor Cirulli stated that the next item is to appoint the Vacancy Board Chairman. Mrs. Egelman mentioned that the Vacancy Board Chairman should be a registered elector not on council. A brief discussion ensued. Mayor Cirulli stated that we will table it for now.

PRESIDENT TAKES CHAIR:

Mrs. Peterson took the Chair as President.

PRESIDENT ASSIGNS COMMITTEES AND COMMITTEE CHAIR PERSONS:

After a brief discussion, Mrs. Peterson decided to leave the Committees as they are.

REAPPOINTMENT OF BOROUGH OFFICIALS:

Mrs. Peterson asked for a motion to reappoint the following Borough Officials:

- A. Borough Manager – Michael Hart
- B. Borough Secretary – Elizabeth Eagelman
- C. Borough Treasurer – Debra Bohn
- D. Solicitor – Barley Snyder/Charles Haws Esquire
- E. Engineer – ARRO Consulting
- F. Sewer Engineer – ARRO Consulting
- G. Sewer Enforcement Officer – ARRO Consulting
- H. Zoning/Code Enforcement Officer/Building Code Official – Michael Hart
- I. Commercial Building Inspector – Kraft Code Services
- J. Residential Building Inspector – Michael Hart
- K. Plumbing Inspector – Michael Hart

Mr. Hoffa made a motion to reappoint all the Borough Officials listed A thru K; seconded by Mr. Eagelman. AYES –6, NAYS – 0; motion carried.

REAPPOINTMENT OF VOLUNTEER BOARD MEMBERS:

Mrs. Peterson asked for a motion to reappoint the following Volunteer Board Members for the Planning Commission – Robert Metzgar, Brian Hoffa, John Eagelman and John Stine for 5-year terms. Mr. Hoffa made the motion; seconded by Mr. Miller. AYES – 6, NAYS – 0; motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT:

Mr. Miller made a motion to adjourn the Reorganizational Meeting at 7:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Elizabeth A. Eagelman
Borough Secretary