



**Ebensburg Borough Council
Special Meeting
Monday, July 10, 2023
6:30 p.m.**

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AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Members of the public are invited to comment at this time on any item appearing on the agenda.

1. NEW BUSINESS

A. Executive Sessions

Council met in Executive Session on June 23, 2023 from 12:00 p.m. until 1:05 p.m., June 28, 2023 from 4:30 p.m. until 7:35 p.m., and July 5, 2023 from 4:45 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. to conduct interviews for the vacant Chief of Police position. Additionally, Council met in Executive Session immediately prior to this meeting to review additional information related to the final candidates.

Recommended Action – Make it a matter of record that Executive Sessions were held on the aforementioned dates.

B. Police Chief Vacancy

The Borough received twelve applications for the now-vacant Chief of Police position. Initial interviews were conducted for seven applicants, with the Borough Manager and various members of Council present. The candidate list was narrowed down to the top 3 applicants, and second interviews were conducted by the Borough Manager and the full Council on July 5th. The interview process is now complete, and Council is prepared to nominate a candidate and vote on the matter.

Once a selection is made, pre-employment checks and verifications will be performed in the coming weeks.

Recommended Action – Entertain a motion to appoint a new Chief of Police and approve a conditional offer of employment to that individual.

2. MEDIA COMMENTS/QUESTIONS

3. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Members of the public are invited to comment at this time on any issues, whether or not on the agenda.

4. Adjournment

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