

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

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MAYOR'S REPORT

• Concerns/Complaints

- o Parking issue on Penn St. by Smuckers resolved
- o Thank You to Street Department from Mrs. Dilley on Lafayette Street (aka Mrs. Truitt)

• Public Relations

- o Attended Rimersburg Borough Council meeting; Mayor Tim Yeany
- Attended Civic Club meeting w/ Sandy and Chief
 - Introduced 'Key to the Community'
- o Attended Canyon Coffee Ribbon Cutting
- o Attended Regional Police Committee Meeting
- Attending meeting with Josh of Leader-Vindicator & Mayor Tim Yeany
 - President of the PA Mayors Association sent advice
 - Monthly video or write-up/column
- Attending Route 28 Presentation at Library February 26th @ 1pm
- o Attending Porter Township meeting March 9th @ 3:30pm

• The Mayor's Social

- o Sunday February 23rd from 1-3pm at the Redbank Valley Community Center
- o Meet & Greet public event to obtain feedback, ideas, suggestions
- o Council, Police, Public Works & Fire Depts. participate
- Light Refreshments catered by Zacks, relaxed/casual atmosphere
- o Speakers from Fire Co, Police Department & other dignitaries

'Thank You' Campaign

- o Recognize volunteers, veterans & V.I.P. (at Mayor & Council's discretion)
 - Folks in New Bethlehem Borough and the Redbank Valley community who make NB a great place to work, live and raise a family

Optional 'Mayoral Proclamation'

- Nomination form would be developed
- Published in Newspaper w/ Photo

Home Town Makeover

Submitted application for contest



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THE MAYOR'S PRAYER

Heavenly Father, we come to you today asking for your guidance, wisdom, and support as we begin this meeting. Help us to engage in meaningful discussion; allow us to grow closer as a group and nurture the bonds of community. Fill us with your grace, Lord God, as we make decisions that affect local businesses and friends of New Bethlehem Borough. And continue to remind us that all we do here today, all that we accomplish, is for the pursuit of truth for the greater glory of You, and for the service of humanity. We ask these things in your holy name, Amen."

FIRE COMPANY REPORT

- Selling old fashioned deer scale
- Floors being buffed, walls being painted
- Fish Fry: March 6th, 20th, & April 3rd

RVMA REPORT

- VFD on one of the wet weather pumps has shorted out; emergency approval for repair
 - o Variable Frequency Drive control of fluid flow
- No progress on 911 Tower on Cottage Hill
- Renewed Insurance policy