

MINUTES
New Holland Borough Council
Organizational Meeting
January 6, 2026

New Holland Borough Council met in its bi-annual Organization session on Tuesday, January 6, 2026 at 6 p.m. in Borough Hall. All members were present: Patrick K. Morgan, Michael H. Kurtz, D. Michael Ireland, John M. Taylor, Anthony W. Bender, Allen B. Wessel and Kenneth C. Wright. Also present were Manager/Secretary J. Richard Fulcher, Mayor Bryant J. Glick and Police Chief Eric Higgins. Others in attendance included Borough Wastewater Department Supervisor Dan Rebeck, Jeff Bologna of consulting firm HRG Associates and resident Bill Kassinger.

Mayor Glick called the meeting to order and then presided over the election of President of Council.

Mike Kurtz nominated Patrick Morgan for President. John Taylor seconded the nomination. Mike Ireland moved that the nominations be closed. Tony Bender seconded the motion. Nominations were closed. President of Council Patrick Morgan was then elected President. President Morgan thanked Mayor Glick, then called for election of Council Vice-President.

Mike Kurtz nominated Mike Ireland for Council Vice-President. John Taylor seconded the nomination. Ken Wright moved that nominations be closed. Tony Bender seconded the motion. Nominations were closed. Mike Ireland was then elected Council Vice-President.

President Morgan announced Council's Committee members moving forward. These were presented as:

<u>Committee</u>	<u>Chair</u>	<u>Members</u>
Finance/Personnel	Mike Ireland	Tony Bender, Patrick Morgan
Property	John Taylor	Allen Wessel, Patrick Morgan
Water	Allen Wessel	Ken Wright, Patrick Morgan
Wastewater	Tony Bender	Allen Wessel, Patrick Morgan
Streets	Ken Wright	John Taylor, Patrick Morgan

Mike Kurtz was appointed as Council's representative on the Inter-Municipal Funding Committee with the Earl Township and East Earl Township representatives, as the liaison for Council with Garden Spot Fire Rescue.

John Taylor made the motion that Council utilize Bradford J. Harris, Esquire as Borough Solicitor. This was seconded by Allen Wessel and passed.

Mike Ireland made the motion that the firm of Herbert, Rowland and Grubic be utilized as the Borough's consulting engineering firm for water, wastewater and streets. This was seconded by Allen Wessel and passed.

President Morgan noted if there were no comments or other suggestions, moving forward regular Council meetings will begin at 6 p.m.; while maintaining the first Tuesday of each month as meeting day.

There being no further organizational business, the meeting adjourned at 6:04 p.m.

February 3, 2026

Date Approved