

**SHARPTOWN REGULAR MEETING
MINUTES
June 1, 2026**

President Schneider called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. In attendance were Commissioners Bennett, Henry, Carroll and Bradley. Also present were, Clerk/Treasurer Schneider, Assistant Clerk/Treasurer Horowitz, Superintendent White, Secretary Favinger, Circuit Rider Mangini, Attorney Witz, Wicomico County Councilman Merritt, Jim Adkins and Nancy Springer.

The Pledge of Allegiance was performed.

Commissioner Henry made a motion to approve the minutes from the previous meeting, which was seconded by Commissioner Carroll. All agreed, so carried.

Commissioner Bennett made a motion to pay the bills as stated on pages 4 and 5 which was seconded by Commissioner Bradley. All agreed, so carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

Circuit Rider Mangini reported that the Congressional grant is making its way through the Senate. He stated that the DHCD will open at the end of June and he will be asking for \$100,000. He also stated that the Community Parks & Playgrounds is opening this week and the Town Manager Circuit Rider grant program is open.

President Schneider reported that the Town has received three (3) quotes for water meters and installation. They will be reviewed and a work session will be held to discuss.

NEW BUSINESS:

Assistant Clerk/Treasurer Horowitz read Resolution No. 2026-06-01 regarding the TMCR Application aloud. Commissioner Bradley made a motion to pass it with a second from Commissioner Bennett. All agreed, so carried.

Assistant Clerk/Treasurer Horowitz read the first reading of the Budget Ordinance #105 aloud. The public hearing will be held on June 15, 2026 at 7:15pm.

President Schneider reported that a resident asked for an exemption on a water bill for water that was turned off and not being used. President Schneider stated that the Town charges a half-rate for water that has been turned off. Commissioner Bradley made a motion to uphold the Town's current policy, with a second from Commissioner Bennett. So carried.

Councilman Merritt reported on the happenings in the County, including the budget meeting for June 2, 2026 and the MMHS rededication scheduled for June 10, 2026 at 1:30pm.

Nancy Springer announced that the next Historical Commission meeting will be held on Monday, June 8, 2026.

President Schneider reported that a letter had been received from the Sharptown Recreation and Parks Commission requesting a donation for the Heritage Day fireworks celebration. Commissioner Bennett made a motion to donate \$1000.00 for the fireworks, with a second from Commissioner Bradley. All agreed, so carried.

Commissioner Henry stated that a Sharptown Planning and Zoning Commission meeting is scheduled for June 23, 2026.

Superintendent White stated that he had met with John McGee from DBF regarding the sewer plant. He also stated that he will be working on sending municipal infractions this week. He and Chris would like to purchase railroad ties and place them in areas of Cherry Beach to discourage people from driving on the beach area and the hill.

Nancy Springer announced that Rachael Walker is working hard with the organizations in Town to plan festivities in Sharptown for the 4th of July. Events are scheduled to take place from 10am - 2pm.

Fire Chief Billy White stated that the Sharptown Fire Department would like to celebrate the 100-year anniversary with a parade on August 1, 2026, which would be the first Saturday of the Sharptown Carnival. The line-up would begin at Cherry Beach and conclude at the carnival grounds. They will end the night with a fireworks display. Commissioner Bradley made a motion to approve road closures for the event, with a second from Commissioner Bennett. All agreed, so carried.

Commissioner Bradley made a motion to adjourn the meeting, which was seconded by Commissioner Bennett. All agreed, so carried.

President Schneider adjourned the meeting at 8:07 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Katie Favinger
Commission Secretary