PERKASIE BOROUGH COUNCIL

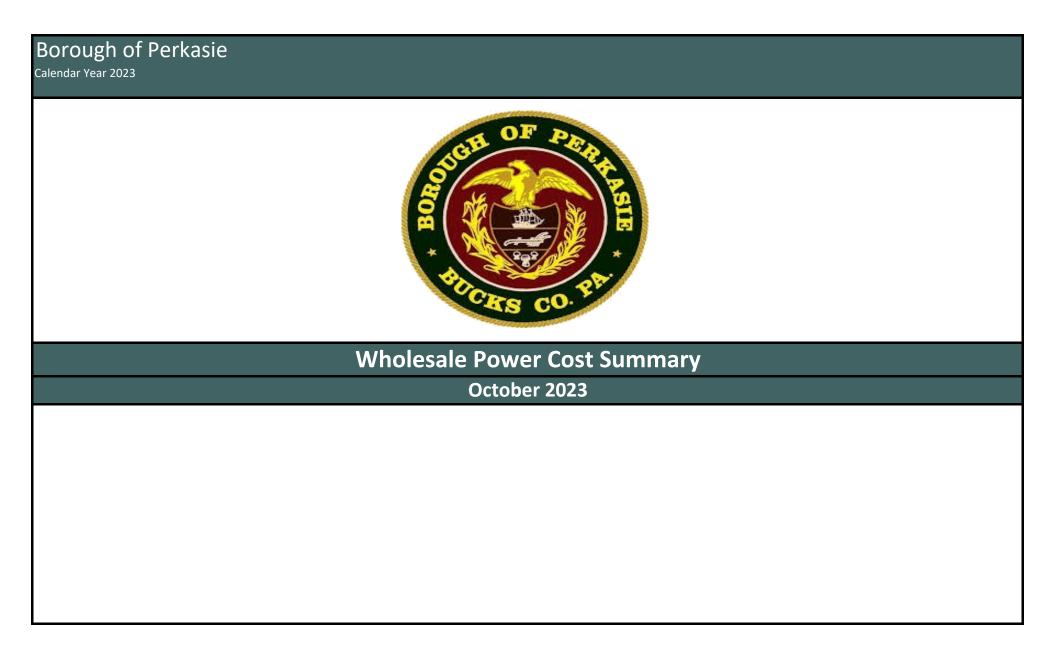
Agenda for Council Committee Meeting of December 4, 2023

- 1. Meeting Convenes at 7:00PM Council Meeting Room
- 2. Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance Mayor Hollenbach
- 3. Attendance
- 4. Recognition of Pennridge Rams Women's Soccer Team Mayor Hollenbach
- 5. Public Forum
- 6. President's Remarks
- 7. Public Works Committee Meeting, Councilors: Steve Rose (Chair), Chuck Brooks, Greg Martin, Dave Weaver, Dave Worthington
- 8. Public Utility Committee Meeting, Councilors: Greg Martin (Interim Chair), Jim Purcell (Chair), Randy Faulkner, Steve Rose, Dave Weaver
 - A. Perkasie Wholesale Power Cost Monthly Report
 - B. Consider AMP Richard H. Gorsuch Scholarship Nomination
 - C. Consider AMP Kyle B. Wright Scholarship Nomination
- 9. Planning and Zoning Committee Meeting, Councilors: Councilors: Dave Weaver (Chair), Chuck Brooks, Jim Purcell, Steve Rose, Dave Worthington
- 10. Park and Recreation Committee Meeting, Councilors: Dave Worthington (Chair), Scott Bomboy, Randy Faulkner, Jim Purcell
 - A. Consider Replacement and Purchase of Mini Half Pipe Skate Park
- 11. Personnel and Policy Committee Meeting, Councilors: Chuck Brooks (Chair), Scott Bomboy, Randy Faulkner, Jim Ryder
 - A. Discuss Draft Resolution #2023-58 Council Meeting Schedule for 2024
- 12. Finance Committee Meeting, Councilors: Randy Faulkner (Chair), Scott Bomboy, Jim Purcell, Jim Ryder, Dave Weaver
 - A. Discuss Draft Resolution #2023-59 Salary & Wage Schedule for 2024
 - B. Discuss Draft Resolution #2023-60 Consolidated Fee Schedule for 2024
- 13. Economic Development Committee Meeting, Councilors: Scott Bomboy (Chair), Chuck Brooks, Steve Rose, Randy Faulkner
- 14. Public Safety Committee Meeting, Councilors: Greg Martin (Interim Chair), Jim Purcell (Chair), Scott Bomboy, Mayor Jeff Hollenbach, Jim Ryder
 - A. Consider Hold Harmless Agreement for Police Hiring
- 15. Historical Committee Meeting, Councilors: Scott Bomboy (Chair), Randy Faulkner, Greg Martin, Jim Purcell
- 16. Welcome Youth Councilor
- 17. Other Business
- 18. Public Forum
- 19. Press Forum
- 20. Executive Session
- 21. Adjournment

Next Meeting: Monday, December 18, 2023 – 7:00 PM

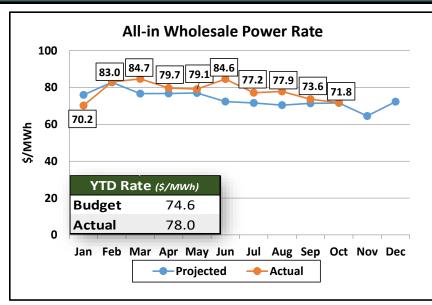
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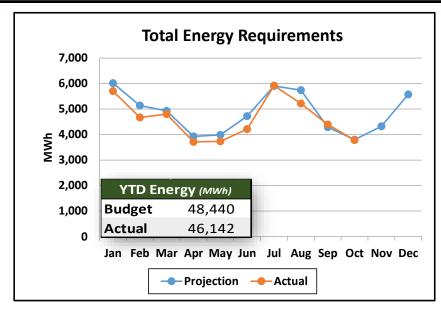
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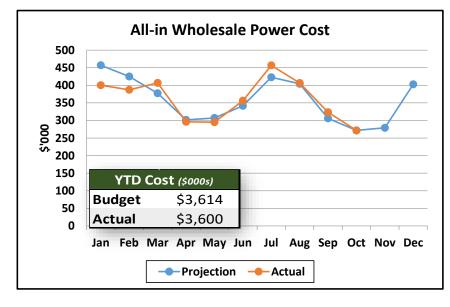


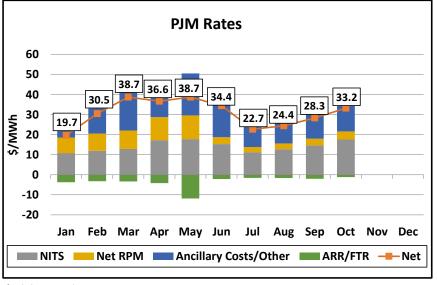


2023 Year to Date Wholesale Power Summary



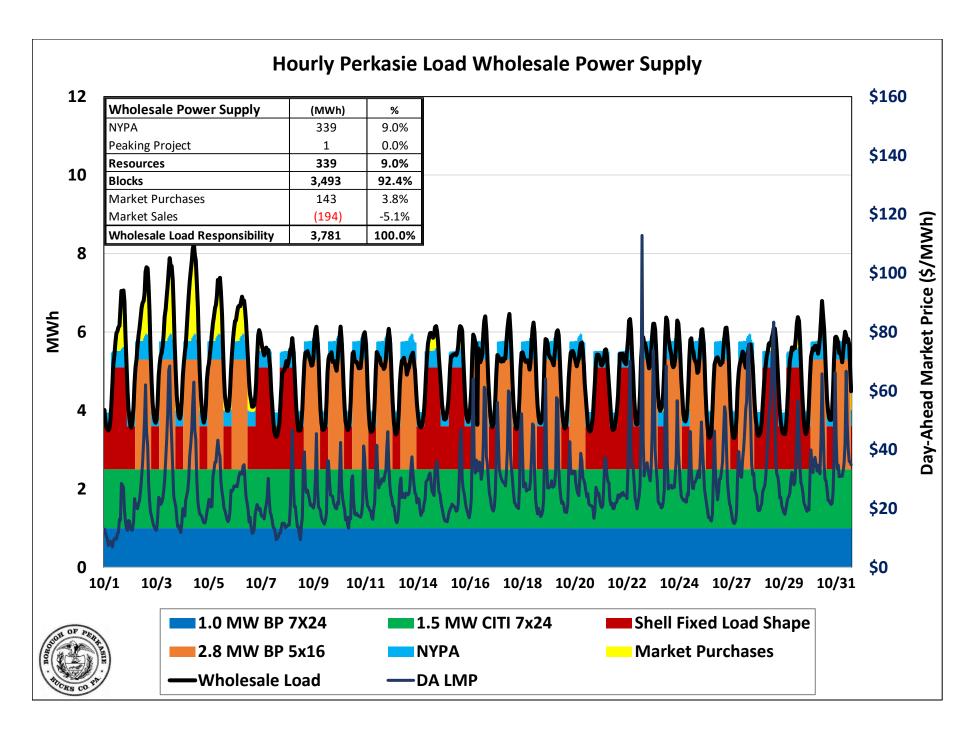






1/ Excludes PJM Market Interaction Costs

2/ Net RPM is capacity load costs less capacity generation credits





2023 Year to Date Summary

All-In Rate Summary

	Resourc	e Cost ¹	Purchase	d Blocks ¹	Market Pu	urchases ¹	Market	Sales ¹	Total Ene	ergy Cost	PJM	Cost ²	Miscell Cos	aneous sts ³	All-In	Rate ⁴	Delta
	Projected	Actual	Projected	Actual	Projected	Actual	Projected	Actual	Projected	Actual	Projected	Actual	Projected	Actual	Projected	Actual	
	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)
Jan-23	\$21.45	\$32.51	\$50.23	\$48.50	\$145.77	\$40.41	\$116.08	\$28.66	\$51.46	\$49.18	\$22.97	\$19.67	\$1.53	\$1.35	\$75.96	\$70.20	(5.76)
Feb-23	\$21.82	\$43.10	\$48.23	\$47.83	\$158.35	\$66.23	\$73.41	\$20.62	\$54.41	\$50.99	\$26.82	\$30.46	\$1.56	\$1.51	\$82.79	\$82.96	0.18
Mar-23	\$23.85	\$25.20	\$45.59	\$44.95	\$90.90	\$32.67	\$62.78	\$21.14	\$47.14	\$44.41	\$27.94	\$38.71	\$1.56	\$1.56	\$76.65	\$84.68	8.04
Apr-23	\$24.78	\$22.09	\$40.48	\$41.64	\$58.45	\$30.99	\$48.86	\$20.86	\$40.26	\$41.09	\$34.89	\$36.65	\$1.61	\$1.99	\$76.77	\$79.73	2.96
May-23	\$24.22	\$22.96	\$40.17	\$38.78	\$66.79	\$28.56	\$44.29	\$19.36	\$41.01	\$38.45	\$34.39	\$38.70	\$1.61	\$1.94	\$77.01	\$79.10	2.09
Jun-23	\$25.55	\$19.95	\$45.76	\$45.39	\$74.46	\$33.59	\$43.82	\$18.19	\$46.91	\$47.78	\$23.84	\$34.44	\$1.58	\$2.34	\$72.33	\$84.56	12.23
Jul-23	\$24.93	\$25.46	\$49.38	\$51.01	\$83.40	\$56.60	\$47.39	\$12.74	\$50.86	\$53.11	\$19.18	\$22.68	\$1.54	\$1.36	\$71.58	\$77.15	5.57
Aug-23	\$25.15	\$20.48	\$47.68	\$49.19	\$81.98	\$29.99	\$46.49	\$16.34	\$49.17	\$51.85	\$19.72	\$24.39	\$1.54	\$1.61	\$70.43	\$77.85	7.43
Sep-23	\$25.93	\$25.24	\$42.80	\$44.19	\$63.07	\$32.88	\$44.86	\$14.41	\$43.56	\$43.72	\$26.20	\$28.31	\$1.60	\$1.59	\$71.36	\$73.61	2.25
Oct-23	\$26.38	\$19.52	\$41.05	\$37.67	\$51.43	\$36.59	\$41.53	\$24.09	\$40.44	\$36.70	\$29.51	\$33.24	\$1.62	\$1.86	\$71.56	\$71.80	0.24
Nov-23	\$22.59	-	\$38.95	-	\$62.76	-	\$74.19	-	\$36.94	-	\$26.00	-	\$1.59	-	\$64.53	-	
Dec-23	\$22.16	-	\$45.61	-	\$84.20	-	\$58.92	-	\$46.00	-	\$24.73	-	\$1.54	-	\$72.28	-	
YTD	\$24.39	\$25.51	\$45.77	\$45.65	\$89.06	\$40.45	\$53.78	\$19.32	\$47.21	\$46.48	\$25.83	\$29.85	\$0.02	\$1.67	\$74.61	\$78.01	\$3.40

^{1/} Resource, Purchased Blocks and Market Purchase/Sales include applicable Congestion and Losses costs. Each of these categories are weighted by their applicable energy amounts.

^{2/} Includes NITS Charge, Net RPM Cost, Ancillary Services Cost and ARR/FTRs Credits, Other Transmission Charges, Admin Fees and Load Reconciliation

^{3/} Includes AMP Service Fees

^{4/} All-In Rate is based on Total Sales



2023 Year to Date Summary

Energy Supply Summary (MWh)

		NYPA		Market P	urchases	Mark	et Sales
	Projected	Actual	Capacity Factor ¹	Projected	Actual	Projected	Actual
	(MWh)	(MWh)	(%)	(MWh)	(MWh)	(MWh)	(MWh)
Jan-23	276	325	78%	291	329	(189)	(590)
Feb-23	250	285	76%	378	200	(133)	(457)
Mar-23	277	342	82%	418	213	(310)	(285)
Apr-23	268	319	79%	253	108	(144)	(258)
May-23	276	330	79%	317	96	(171)	(257)
Jun-23	246	290	72%	472	107	(497)	(687)
Jul-23	252	309	74%	410	360	(463)	(479)
Aug-23	252	301	72%	400	155	(437)	(775)
Sep-23	246	286	71%	388	561	(223)	(348)
Oct-23	276	339	81%	174	143	(142)	(194)
Nov-23	268	-	0%	213	-	(266)	-
Dec-23	277	-	0%	311	-	(247)	-
YTD	2,619	3,126	77%	3,502	2,271	(2,709)	(4,330)

1/ The Capacity Factor is based on the actual generation.



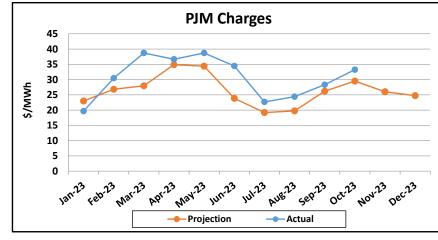
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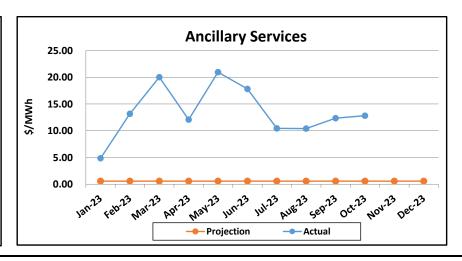
PJM Charge Summary (excl. PJM Market Interaction Costs)

	NI	TS	Net I	RPM ¹	ARR/	FTR	Anci Services	, ,	Tot	tal	Contribution t	o All-In Rate ³	Delta
	Projected	Actual	Projected	Actual	Projected	Actual	Projected	Actual	Projected	Actual	Projected	Actual	
	(\$000)	(\$000)	(\$000)	(\$000)	(\$000)	(\$000)	(\$000)	(\$000)	(\$000)	(\$000)	(\$000)	(\$/MWh)	(\$/MWh)
Jan-23	91	62	43	44	-	(21)	3	28	138	112	\$22.97	\$19.67	(\$3.30)
Feb-23	91	56	43	40	-	(15)	3	61	138	142	\$26.82	\$30.46	\$3.64
Mar-23	91	62	43	44	-	(16)	3	96	138	186	\$27.94	\$38.71	\$10.76
Apr-23	91	64	43	43	-	(16)	2	45	137	136	\$34.89	\$36.65	\$1.76
May-23	91	66	43	44	-	(44)	2	78	137	144	\$34.39	\$38.70	\$4.31
Jun-23	91	64	18	15	-	(9)	3	75	113	145	\$23.84	\$34.44	\$10.59
Jul-23	91	67	18	15	-	(9)	3	62	113	134	\$19.18	\$22.68	\$3.49
Aug-23	91	67	18	15	-	(9)	3	54	113	127	\$19.72	\$24.39	\$4.68
Sep-23	91	64	18	15	-	(9)	2	54	112	124	\$26.20	\$28.31	\$2.11
Oct-23	91	67	18	15	-	(4)	2	48	112	126	\$29.51	\$33.24	\$3.73
Nov-23	91	-	18	-	-	-	2	-	112	-	\$26.00	-	-
Dec-23	91	-	43	-	-	-	3	-	138	-	\$24.73	-	-
YTD	914	638	309	289	0	(152)	28	602	1,251	1,377	25.83	29.85	4.02

^{1/} Net RPM is the RPM Cost less the Generator's RPM Credits.

^{3/} The Rate is based on Total Sales





^{2/} Ancillary services/Other also includes: Admin fees, Load Reconciliation and Other Transmission Charges



October 2023

		Projected			Actual			Delta	
	Billing Unit	Rate	Total Cost / (Credit)	Billing Unit	Rate	Total Cost / (Credit)	Billing Unit	Rate	Total Cost / (Credit)
	(MWh)/(MW)	(\$/MWh) / (\$/kW-mo)	(\$)	(MWh)/(MW)	(\$/MWh) / (\$/kW-mo)	(\$)	(MWh)/(MW	(\$/MWh) / (\$/kW-mo)	(\$)
Invoice Summary ¹									
1. AMP	3,798	\$41	\$156,679	3,781	\$38	\$145,236	(16.74)	(\$2.84)	(\$11,443)
(a) NYPA	276	\$26.38	\$7,291	339	\$19.09	\$6,463	62.15	(\$7.29)	(\$828)
(b) PA Peaking Project	0	\$0.00	\$0	0.7	\$200.00	\$147	0.74	\$200.00	\$147
(c) Purchased Blocks	3,490	\$41.05	\$143,240	3,493	\$37.67	\$131,579	3.20	(\$3.38)	(\$11,661)
(d) Miscellaneous Costs ²	3,798	\$1.62	\$6,148	3,781	\$1.86	\$7,046	(16.74)	\$0.24	\$898
2. PJM	3,798	\$30.31	\$115,105	3,781	\$33.39	\$126,248	(16.74)	\$3.08	\$11,143
(a) Market Purchases	174	\$51.43	\$8,929	143	\$36.59	\$5,232	(30.60)	(\$14.84)	(\$3,696)
(b) Market Sales	(142)	\$41.53	(\$5,890)	(194)	\$24.09	(\$4,674)	(52.22)	(\$17.44)	\$1,215
(c) Charges/(Credits) ³	3,798	\$29.51	\$112,066	3,781	\$33.24	\$125,690	(16.74)	\$3.73	\$13,624
3. Total Wholesale Power Costs ⁴ :	3,798	\$71.56	\$271,784	3,781	\$71.80	\$271,484	(17)	\$0.24	(\$301)

^{1/} Resource, Purchased Blocks and Market Purchase/Sales includes Congestion and Losses costs.

^{2/} Miscellaneous Costs incl. AMP Service Fees

^{3/} Includes Net RPM (RPM Charges and RPM Credits) for each Resource

^{4/}Based on Total Sales

				Oc	tober 2023					CRS CO
			Projection			Actual			Delta	
		Billing Unit	Rate	Total Cost / (Credit)	Billing Unit	Rate	Total Cost / (Credit)	Billing Unit	Rate	Total Cost / (Credit)
		(MWh)/(MW)	(\$/MWh) / (\$/kW-mo)	(\$)	(MWh)/(MW)	(\$/MWh) / (\$/kW- mo)	(\$)	(MWh)/(MW)	(\$/MWh) / (\$/kW-mo)	(\$)
MP										
esou	urces									
	NYPA									
	Fixed Charge	0.6	\$6.28	\$3,511	0.6	\$4.05	\$2,267	0	(2.23)	(\$1,244)
	Energy Charge	276	\$12.30	\$3,400	339	\$13.68	\$4,633	62	1.38	\$1,233
	Other Adjustments			\$0			\$0	0	0.00	\$0
	Congestion & Losses	276	\$1.38	\$381	339	(\$1.29)	(\$436)	62	(2.67)	(\$817)
	All in Cost	276	\$26.38	\$7,291	339	\$19.09	\$6,463	62	(7.29)	(\$828)
	DA Davidson Buriant									
	PA Peaking Project	0.0	¢0.00	¢0	4.2	40.00	ćo		0.00	ćo
	Fixed Charge	0.0	\$0.00	\$0	4.3	\$0.00	\$0	4	0.00	\$0
	Energy Charge	0	\$0.00	\$0	0.7	\$200.00	\$147	1	200.00	\$147
).	Congestion & Losses	0	\$0.00	\$0	0.7	\$0.00	\$0	1	0.00	\$0
L.	All in Cost	0	\$0.00	\$0	0.7	\$200.00	\$147	1	200.00	\$147
<u>?</u> .	Total - Resources	276	\$26.38	\$7,291	339	\$19.48	\$6,610	63	(6.90)	(\$681)
urch	ased Blocks									
3.	BP 1.0 MW 7x24 (PPL)									
4.	Energy Charge	744	\$34.71	\$25,824	744	\$34.71	\$25,824	0	0.00	\$0
5.	Congestion & Losses	744	\$0.00	\$331	744	(\$3.89)	(\$2,893)	0	(3.89)	(\$3,224)
ŝ.	All in Cost	744	\$35.15	\$26,155	744	\$30.82	\$22,931	0	(4.33)	(\$3,224)
7.	BP 2.8 MW 5x16 (PPL)									
3.	Energy Charge	941	\$40.91	\$38,488	986	\$40.91	\$40,321	45	0.00	\$1,833
€.	Congestion & Losses	941	\$0.76	\$718	986	(\$5.06)	(\$4,991)	45	(5.83)	(\$5,709)
).	All in Cost	941	\$41.67	\$39,206	986	\$35.85	\$35,330	45	(5.83)	(\$3,876)
	Chall Final Load Change 2, 45 (PRI)									
L.	Shell Fixed Load Shape 2x16 (PPL)		464.05	426.670		46.05	624.222	(***)	0.00	(42.522)
2.	Energy Charge	416	\$64.85	\$26,978	374	\$64.85	\$24,280	(42)	0.00	(\$2,698)
3.	Congestion & Losses	416	\$0.18	\$77	374	(\$4.13)	(\$1,545)	(42)	(4.31)	(\$1,622)
1.	All in Cost	416	\$65.03	\$27,054	374	\$60.72	\$22,735	(42)	(4.31)	(\$4,320)
5.	Shell Fixed Load Shape 7x8 (PPL)									
õ.	Energy Charge	273	\$64.85	\$17,691	273	\$64.85	\$17,691	0	0.00	\$0
7.	Congestion & Losses	273	\$0.18	\$50	273	(\$2.08)	(\$568)	0	(2.27)	(\$618)
3.	All in Cost	273	\$65.03	\$17,742	273	\$62.77	\$17,123	0	(2.27)	(\$618)
).	CITI 1.5 MW 7x24 (PPL Resid)									
).	Energy Charge	1,116	\$29.20	\$32,587	1,116	\$29.20	\$32,587	0	0.00	\$0
L.	Congestion & Losses	1,116	\$0.44	\$496	1,116	\$0.78	\$874	0	0.34	\$378
2.	All in Cost	1,116	\$29.64	\$33,083	1,116	\$29.98	\$33,461	0	0.34	\$378
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Borough of Perkasie October 2023 Projection Actual Delta Total Cost / Total Cost / Total Cost / Billing Unit **Billing Unit Billing Unit** Rate Rate Rate (Credit) (Credit) (Credit) (\$/MWh) / (\$/kW-(\$/MWh)/ (\$/MWh)/ (MWh)/(MW) (\$) (MWh)/(MW) (\$) (MWh)/(MW) (\$) (\$/kW-mo) (\$/kW-mo) mo) Miscellaneous Costs \$1.62 \$1.86 \$7,046 (17) \$898 AMP Fees 3,798 \$6,148 3,781 0.24 \$1.62 3,781 \$1.86 \$7,046 0.24 \$898 35. Total - Miscellaneous Costs 3,798 \$6,148 (17)Total - AMP \$156,679 \$145,236 0 0.00 (\$11,443) PJM Charges Market Interaction 174 \$51.43 \$8,929 143 \$36.59 \$5,232 (31)(\$14.84) (\$3,696)Net Market Purchases 39. \$37.26 145 \$37.26 Day-Ahead Purchases 145 \$5,406 \$5,406 40. **Balancing Purchases** 52 \$32.26 \$1,675 52 \$32.26 \$1,675 \$41.53 (194)\$24.09 (52) **Net Market Sales** (142)(\$5,890) (\$4,674) (\$17.44) \$1,215 Day-Ahead Sales (163)\$24.63 (\$4,022) (163)\$24.63 (\$4,022) 43. **Balancing Sales** (85) \$29.51 (\$2,501) (85) \$29.51 (\$2,501) 44. NITS 12 \$7.32 \$91,390 8 \$8.12 \$66,610 (4) \$0.80 (\$24,780) 45. Other Transmission Charges 12 \$0.00 \$0 \$0.93 \$7,612 (4) \$0.93 \$7,612 **RPM Capacity** 47. **RPM Charge** 13 \$1.52 \$19,340 10 \$1.54 \$15,931 (2) \$0.02 (\$3,409)48. (\$847) RPM Credit (\$920) (\$73) 49. Net RPM \$18,493 \$15,010 (\$3,483) 50. Ancillary 3,798 \$0.57 \$2,184 3,781 (\$0.42) (\$1,581) (17)(\$0.99) (\$3,765) \$0.00 51. ARR/FTR Credits 3,798 \$0 3,781 (\$1.16) (\$4,393) (17)(\$1.16) (\$4,393) 52. 3,798 \$0.00 \$0 3,781 \$0.47 \$1,760 (17) \$0.47 \$1,760 **Administration Charges** 53. \$0 \$40,671 \$40,671 True-Up Load Reconciliation 3,798 \$30.31 \$115,105 3,781 \$33.39 \$126,248 (17) \$3.08 \$11,143 **Total PJM Charges**



BOROUGH OF PERKASIE

INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

DATE:

November 30, 2023

TO:

Andrea Coaxum, Borough Manager

FROM:

Lauren Moll, Director of Parks and Recreation

SUBJECT:

ARPA Funding for Skate Park Ramp Replacement

Andrea,

At this time Skate Park Sub-committee and Park and Recreation Board recommend that Council consider replacing the double mini half pipe ramp through ARPA funding.

The design is attached and incorporate all the components the original ramp the community loves as represented by the Skate Park Sub-committee. The cost is \$130,378.13 includes equipment, shipping, installation, and is through a Sourcewell contract which is a purchasing group similar to CO-STARS.

The Sub-committee and Board feel the replacement of the double mini half pipe is a crucial first step in a larger reconstruction project and will allow the park to be safer and more utilized while they continue to work toward the larger reconstruction project as well as additional programs and events.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Lauren Moll

601 S. McKinley Ave Joplin, MO 64801

Toll-free: Local:

800-RAMP-778 417-206-6816

Fax: 417-206-6888 sales@americanrampcompany.com



Quote #	Design#	Customer	Date	Designer
Q27962.0	8611	Perkasie Borough, PA	11-28-23	Chuck Dodge

<u>ltem</u>	<u>Obstacle</u>	<u>Height</u>	<u>Width</u>	<u>Length</u>	X Series
1	Half Pipe Section w/2' Tabletop	4.0'	4.0'	52.0'	\$18,973.36
2	Half Pipe Section w/4' Spine	4.0'	4.0'	52.0'	\$16,167.79
3	Half Pipe Section w/4' Spine	4.0'	4.0'	52.0'	\$16,867.79
4	Half Pipe Section w/4' Spine	5.0'	4.0'	52.0'	\$17,052.86
5	Half Pipe Section w/4' Spine	5.0'	4.0'	52.0'	\$17,752.86
	Subtotal Framework Enclosures Shipping/Handling Installation Engineering of Custom Ramp				
	TOTAL Sourcewell Discount GRAND TOTAL				\$140,010.22 -\$9,632.09 \$130,378.13

Notes:

- This turnkey quote includes Equipment, Shipping, and Installation.
- This quote includes a Sourcewell discount (if procured through Sourcewell Purchasing Co-Op).
- This quote does not include sales tax. If applicable, call for revised quote.
- Quote is good for 30 days.

Purchase through our competitively bid government Sourcewell contract.





American Recovery Plan 2023 Budget

		202	22 PROJECT			2	023 PROJECT
	REVENUE		BUDGET	202	22 ACTUAL		BUDGET
36.341.000	Interest Earnings	\$	500	\$	631	\$	-
36.351.022	ARPA Proceeds	\$	914,600	\$	306,433	\$	609,612
	Total Revenue	\$	915,100	\$	307,064	\$	609,612
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	EXPENSE						
36.408.313	Engineering - Stormwater Projects	\$	20,000	\$	5,703	\$	14,297
36.410.701	Police Vehicles	\$	38,836	\$	i-	\$	38,836
36.410.702	Police Equipment	\$	50,764	\$	35,800	\$	14,964
36.412.500	Contribution to Fire Dept.	\$	40,000	\$	40,000	\$	-
36.427.252	Crowd Control Barriers	\$	5,000	\$	3,322	\$	-
36.427.702	Public Works Equipment	\$	-	\$	1-	\$	59,224
36.442.705	Permitting Software	\$	15,800	\$	-	\$	15,800
36.451.701	Parks Capital Improvements	\$	90,735	\$	19,750	\$	70,985
36.451.702	Grant Match - Keystone Comm. Planning	\$	-	\$	-	\$	25,000
36.452.700	Menlo Aquatics Center Capital Improv.	\$	30,660	\$	-	\$	30,660
36.458.700	Senior Center Contribution	\$	5,000	\$	5,000	\$	-
36.492.040	Transfer to Menlo Aquatics Fund	\$	197,488	\$	197,488	\$	-
36.499.000	Fund Balance Reserved for Future-Menlo	\$	110,000	\$	-	\$	110,000
36.499.000	Fund Balance Reserved for Future	\$	310,817	\$	Charles H	\$	229,846
	Total Expense	\$	915,100	\$	307,064	\$	609,612
	Revenue over / (under) expense	\$	-	\$	-	\$	

RESOLUTION #2023-58 ESTABLISHING BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING DATES

BE IT RESOLVED that Perkasie Borough Council will hold public meetings on the following dates during 2024:

January 2 (Tuesday)	July 1
January 15	July 15
February 5	August 5
February 19	August 19
March 4	September 3 (Tuesday)
March 18	September 16
April 1	October 7
April 15	October 21
May 6	November 4
May 20	November 18
June 3	December 2
June 17	December 16

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the above meetings are official public meetings of the Borough Council and shall convene at 7:00 PM in the Borough Office, 620 W. Chestnut Street, Perkasie, PA and that the first meeting of each month is designated for Committees of Council.

RESOLVED this 18th day December, 2023.

ATTEST:		BOROUGH OF PERKASIE
Andrea L. C	oaxum. Secretary	James Ryder, Council President

RESOLUTION #2023-59

A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE WAGE SCHEDULE FOR PERKASIE BOROUGH EMPLOYEES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2024

BE IT RESOLVED, that beginning January 1, 2024 the approved base salaries or wages of certain position's be established in accordance with the following schedule:

	of January 1, 2023	As of January 1, 2024
Borough Manager	Per Contract	Per Contract
Assistant Borough Mgr.	\$	\$89,230
Finance Director	\$106,090	\$109,803
Executive Assistant	\$62,088	\$64,261
Acctg. & Municipal Permits Cler		\$40,000 - \$45,000
Utility Billing Rep	\$53,480	\$55,353
Accounts Receivable Rep.	\$63,655	\$65,876
Code Administrator	\$53,817	\$55,693
Community Development Direct	or \$73,872	\$
Special Events Assistant	\$17.51/hour	\$18.12/hour
<u>Police</u>		
Police Chief	\$137,987	\$145,000
Secretary	\$48,048	\$49,730
Records/Admin Assistant	\$60,154	\$62,259
School Crossing Guard	\$17.00-\$18.54/hour	\$17.78-\$19.19/hour
Public Works		
Public Works Director	\$85,235	\$88,218
Public Works Foreman	\$32.65/hour	\$33.71/hour
Equipment Operator-A	\$27.09-\$30.01/hour	\$27.09-\$30.01/hour
Equipment Operator-B	\$24.14/hour	\$24.14/hour
Truck Driver-A	\$26.50-\$29.45/hour	\$27.36-\$30.41/hour
Truck Driver-B	\$23.56/hour	\$24.33/hour
Laborer-Permanent	\$18.40/hour	\$19.00/hour
Laborer-Temporary	\$17.29/hour	\$17.85/hour
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Electric Department		
Electric Superintendent	\$123,742	\$128,073
Electric Line Supervisor (Forema	n) \$53.74/hour	\$55.48/hour
Electric Line Worker 1st Class	\$50.54/hour	\$52.18/hour
Electric Line Worker 2 nd Class	\$42.96/hour	\$44.36/hour
Electric Line Worker 3 rd Class	\$35.38/hour	\$36.53/hour
Electric Helper/Ground Hand	\$30.32/hour	\$31.31/hour

	As of January 1, 2023	As of January 1, 2024
Park & Recreation Director	\$85,235	\$88,218
Aquatic Facilities & Program Mgr		\$51,750
Aquatics Supervisor	\$25.00-\$30.00/hour	\$25.00 - \$30.00/hour
Assistant Aquatics Supervisor	\$19.00-\$20.00/hour	\$19.00 - \$20.00/hour
Head Life Guard	\$17.00-\$18.00/hour	\$17.00 - \$18.00/hour
Life Guard - New	\$15.00/hour	\$15.00/hour
Life Guard - 2nd year	\$15.25/hour	\$15.25/hour
Life Guard - 3rd year	\$15.50/hour	\$15.50/hour
Life Guard - 4th year	\$15.75/hour	\$15.75/hour
Life Guard - 5th + year	\$16.00/hour	\$16.00/hour
Swim Instructor Aide	\$15.00/hour	\$12.00/hour
Swim Instructor Differential	\$.50/hour	\$.50/hour
Front Desk - Supervisor	\$15.00/hour	\$15.00 - \$16.00/hour
Front Desk - New	\$13.00/hour	\$13.00/hour
Front Desk - 2nd Year	\$13.25/hour	\$13.25hour
Front Desk - 3rd Year	\$13.50/hour	\$13.50/hour
Front Desk - 4th + year	\$14.00/hour	\$14.00/hour
Deck Attendant - New	\$10.00/hour	\$10.00/hour
Deck Attendant - 2nd Year	\$10.25/hour	\$10.25/hour
Deck Attendant - 3rd + Year	\$10.50/hour	\$10.50/hour
Recreation Prog Mgr/Director	\$12.50-\$15.50/hour	\$12.50 - \$15.50/hour
Recreation Program Assistant	\$8.75-\$10.25/hour	\$12.00 - \$13.00/hour
Emergency Management Coord	inator \$3,000.0	0
Emergency Wanagement Coords	\$3,000.0	0
Approved this 18 th day of Decemb	er, 2023.	
	By:	
		uncil President
		mes A. Ryder
	Ja	anes A. Rydei
Attest:		
Borough Manager/Secret	arv	
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RESOLUTION #2023-60XX CONSOLIDATED FEE SCHEDULE 2024

WHEREAS, the Borough of Perkasie charges fees for various services provided and applications made to the Borough; and

WHEREAS, Borough Council wishes to adopt a consolidated schedule of fees for these services;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Borough Council of the Borough of Perkasie that the following consolidated schedule of fees is adopted for the year 20234, and shall remain in effect until further amended.

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FEES

1. Building Fees

The applicant or owner submitting for a permit shall pay the following application fees at the time of application. For any new construction, additions or major alterations shall pay the application fee of \$100 at the time of application. Any permits submitted for minor or emergency repairs, all fees will be collected in full at time of submission. In addition to application filing fees, the PA UCC state fee of \$4.50 (or as amended by the State) will be collected. Upon completion of any reviews, any monies not expended shall be refunded to the applicant. Conversely, fees in excess of what was collected will be charged to the applicant.

A. New Construction: Residential and Non-Residential including Additions, Garages and Accessory Buildings:

New buildings, Additions or Alterations not applicable to Section B:

Building Permits Fee

\$195 application fee+ \$4.50 PAUCC

 $195~{\rm plus}\ 17.25\$ per square foot of floor area or each fraction of floor area, up to and

including 100,000 sq. ft. Additional square footage over 100,000 sq. ft shall be 5¢ per sq. ft. or fraction thereof.

Plumbing Permit Fee

\$70.00 application fee+ \$4.50 PAUCC

\$69 plus 6¢ per square foot of floor area or each fraction of floor area, up to and including 100,000 sq./ft. Additional square footage over 100,000 sq./ft. shall be 3¢ per sq./ft or fraction thereof.

Mechanical Permit Fee

\$60.00 application fee+ \$4.50 PAUCC

\$36 plus 3c per square foot of floor area or each fraction of floor area, up to and including 100,000 sq./ft. Additional square footage over 100,000 sq./ft shall be 2c per sq./ft or fraction thereof.

Energy Permit Fee

\$50.00 application fee+ \$4.50 PAUCC

\$30 plus 2.65¢ per square foot of floor area or each fraction of floor area, up to and including 100,000 sq./ft. Additional square footage over 100,000 sq. /ft shall be 1.5¢ per sq./ft or fraction thereof.

Electrical Permit Fee= calculations as applicable in Section V Below

Note: Square footage is defined as gross floor area of all floors within the perimeter of to outside walls, including basements, cellars, garages, roofed patios, breezeways, covered walkways and attics with floor-to-ceiling height 6'6" or more.

Construction Permit Fee= The sum of all Building, Plumbing, Mechanical, Energy, Electrical, Accessibility and Fire permits applicable to the project. (May include individual residential permit fees in Sections K through S)

Fees for partial projects shall be calculated as follows:

- a. Footing/Foundation: 10% of the Construction Permit Fee
- b. Shell only without Footing/Foundation 50% of the Construction Permit Fee
- c. Shell including Footing/Foundation 60% of the Construction Permit Fee
- d. Tenant fit-out or all remaining interior alterations shall be calculated at 40% of the Construction Permit Fee for the affected floor area.

B. Alterations and/or Renovations where floor area does not apply:

Alterations, renovations, repairs or modifications of existing buildings or structures where floor area does not apply (i.e. doors, windows, roofs, structural openings or beams, etc.) and includes non-residential demolition;

- a. \$300 plus \$28 for each \$1,000 of estimated construction value of alterations, renovations or modification certified by the permit applicant
- b. Minor Repairs with a total project value of less than \$2,000: \$75.00

C. Tenant Fit-out:

Tenant fit-outs shall be calculated in accordance with Section I, item (d) listed above.

D. Accessibility plan review and inspection

\$115 plus 7¢ per square foot of floor area or each fraction of affected floor area.

E. Fire plan review and inspection:

\$115 plus 9.5¢ per square foot of floor area or each fraction of affected floor area.

F. Certificate of Occupancy for change of ownership without change of use:

The following fees pertain to existing structures only and shall not be applied to new construction or any other fees specified in Section 1.

- a. \$153 for the first 2,000 square feet plus \$24 per 1000 sq./ft thereafter (or fraction thereof).
- G. Certificate of Occupancy for change of use and/or non-certified occupancy:

Fees shall be calculated in accordance with Section I, item (d) listed above.

- H. Non-residential Swimming Pool: \$300 plus \$28 for each \$1,000 of construction value
- I. <u>Pre-Manufactured Dwelling</u>: \$ 414 (Complete)

Shall bear an approved label identifying compliance to HUD requirements (Excludes habitable basements and/or structures not fabricated and constructed by the manufacturer in the factory)

J. Modular Dwelling: \$637.50

Shall bear an approved label identifying compliance to UCC requirements (Excludes habitable basements and/or structures not fabricated and constructed by the manufacturer in the factory)

The following sections pertain to specific Residential projects

K. <u>Decks (uncovered):</u> \$ 115.00 plus 26.5C per sq./ft of area.

L. Wood Stoves: \$ 115.00

M. <u>Demolitions</u>: Structures under 250 sq./ft: \$ 50.00

Structures over 250 sq./ft without a foundation: \$ 75.00

Structures with a foundation: \$ 184.00

N. Swimming Pools: Above Ground: \$ 115.00 In-Ground: \$ 184.00

O. Hot Tub/Spa: \$115.00

The following sections pertain to specific Residential projects only when the Municipality has amended the UCC

P. Accessory Structures under 1,000 square feet: \$ 115.00 plus 26.5C per sq./ft of area.

Q. Re-roofing / Re-siding: \$115.00

R. Replacement of HVAC equipment: \$ 115.00 per unit

S. Minor repairs to plumbing system: \$ 115.00

T. Sewer Lateral Repair/ Replacement: \$ 115.00 each

U. Water Service Replacement/ Repair: \$115.00 each

V. Electrical Inspections and Plan Review

A. General Inspections

1.	Rough Inspection		\$60.00
	Base Fee		\$ 0.50
	Cost per fixture		
2.	Final Inspection		\$60.00
	Base Fee		\$ 0.50
	Cost per fixture		
3.	Minor work less than 5 fixtures		\$60.00
	Rough and Final inspections included		

B. Photovoltaic Modules

First three Solar Modules	\$21.00 each
Each additional module after three	\$12.00 each

All associated feeders, service, motors, etc., are calculated in accordance to the appropriate fee schedule section.

C. Sump Pumps \$60.00 each

D. Fire Pump Controller

\$60.00 each

All associated feeders, service, motors, etc., are calculated in accordance to the Appropriate fee schedule section.

E. Service - Meter Equipment

100 amp	\$87.00
200 amp	\$104.00
400 amp	\$130.00
600 amp	\$175.00
800 amp	\$225.00
1000 amp	\$301.75
1200 amp	\$387.75
Up to 1600 amp	\$474.00
Over 1600 amp	\$734.00
Each additional meter	\$17.25

F. Feeders or Sub Panels

100 amp	\$87.00
200 amp	\$104.00
400 amp	\$130.00
600 amp	\$175.00
800 amp	\$225.00
1000 amp	\$301.75
1200 amp	\$387.75
Up to 1600 amp	\$474.00
Over 1600 amp	\$734.00
Each additional 1,000 amps over 2,000 amps	\$366.00

G. Swimming Pools

Pool Bonding		\$87.00
Wiring of Pump		\$87.00
Pennsylvania Pool Certification		\$388.00

H. Temporary Service \$87.00

I. Signs with Electric

First Sign		\$61.50
Each Additional Sign		\$14.00

J. Parking Lot Lighting

Parking Lot Pole – First Pole		\$61.50
Each Additional Pole		\$14.00

K. Hard wired appliances such as Ranges, Cook tops, Dishwashers, Garbage Disposals, Baseboard Heating, Heat Pumps, Water Heaters and Air Conditioning

Outlet for Single Unit 20KW, less than 1HP	\$61.50
Each Additional Unit for 20KW, less than 1 HP	\$14.00

L. Motors

Up to 3/4 HP		\$17.25
Over 3/4 HP to 5 HP		\$34.50
Over 5 HP to 20 HP		\$61.50
Over 20 HP to 40 HP		\$115.00
Over 40 HP to 100 HP		\$156.00
Over 100 HP to 200 HP		\$200.00
Over 200 HP	\$200.00 plu	s \$50.00 for each 50 HP (or portion of) over 200

M. Generators, Welders, Furnaces

Up to 10 KW	\$34.50
Over 10 KW to 20 KW	\$61.50
Over 20 KW to 50 KW	\$115.00
Over 50 KW to 100 KW	\$156.00
Over 100 KW to 150 KW	\$216.00
Over 150 KW to 300 KW	\$259.00
Over 300 KW to 500 KW	\$387.00
Over 500 KW to 575 KW	\$475.00
Over 575 KW to 1000 KW	\$647.00

N. Transformers, Vault, Enclosures, Substations

Upto37½ KVA	\$34.50
Over 37 ½ KVA to 75 KVA	\$61.50
Over 75 KVA to 175 KVA	\$115.00
Over 175 KVA to 275 KVA	\$216.00
Over 275 KVA to 300 KVA	\$259.00
Over 300 KVA to 350 KVA	\$387.00
Over 350 KVA to 500 KVA	\$475.00
Over 500 KVA to 1000 KVA	\$647.00
Over 1000 KVA to 3000 KVA	\$820.00

Over 3000 KVA \$820.00 plus \$50.00 for each 200 KVA (or portion of) over 3000

O. Signaling Systems (burglar alarms, fire alarms, etc.)

For the First Device Every 5 devices (or fraction of) thereafter

- P. Reintroduction of Power
- Q. Modular and Mobile Homes

Modular Homes - Service and Outlets

Mobile Homes - Service Including Feeder of Receptacles

R. Real Estate Certification

Residential \$144.00 Commercial \$202.00

S. Plan Review

20% of the above inspection fees added to the total

Minimum Residential \$ 34.00 Minimum Commercia \$100.00

- T. <u>Electric Agency Registration</u> Electric Underwriting Agency Registration \$100.00 per agency
- U. Permit Voided Issued permit voided \$50.00

V. <u>Building Code (UCC) Appeal</u> \$500.00 basic fee plus \$1,000 escrow (for costs above \$500)

2. Zoning Application Fees

Residential Construction

Single Family Dwelling	\$100.00
Multi Family (per unit)	\$100.00 each
Addition/Alteration	\$ 50.00
Accessory Structures	\$ 25.00

Non-Residential Construction

New Construction	\$100.00
Addition/Alteration	\$ 50.00
Accessory Structure	\$ 25.00

Sign Permits

Up to six square feet	\$100.00
Over six square feet	\$175.00
Temporary Sign	\$50.00

Request for Zoning Change \$1,000 + escrow

Light Home-Based Occupation Permit \$25.00

Zoning Determination Fee \$125.00

Use & Occupancy Permit \$150.00

Zoning Hearing Board

Zoning Hearing Board Fees for a Variance/Special Exception/Interpretation of Law

Residential use \$600 Non-residential use \$1,000

Postponement-(caused or request by applicant) \$250.00

Conditional Use Application \$600 plus \$2,500 escrow

3. SUBDIVISION AND LAND DEVELOPMENT FEES

The applicant or owner submitting plans for a subdivision or land development shall pay the following application filing fees at the time of application and plan submission. In addition to application filing fees, the applicant shall be required to furnish an escrow fund to pay for the professional fees and other costs incurred in reviewing the plans and processing the application. The applicant or owner also agrees to an additional 3% for engineering, legal and other services rendered to the Borough in connection with the project which will be included in the total cost. Upon completion of the review, whether the application is approved or rejected, any monies not expended in the review shall be refunded to the applicant. Conversely, fees in excess of the escrow fund will be charged to the applicant.

PRELIMINARY PLANS

PRELIMINARY PLAINS	
Preliminary Lot Line Change	\$300 application fee + \$500 escrow
Preliminary Minor Subdivision (2 lots)	\$500 application fee + \$1,000 escrow
Preliminary Major Subdivision	\$1,000 application fee + \$100 per lot + \$5,000 escrow

FINAL PLAN SUBMISSION

Lot Line	No additional charge if filed within one year after preliminary approval. Otherwise same as preliminary		
Minor Subdivision/land development	\$500 application fee + replenish escrow account to full amount (\$2,000)		
Non-Residential Lan Development	\$500 application fee +replenish escrow account to full amount (\$500) if filed within one year after preliminary plan approval.		
	Otherwise same as preliminary land development		
Major Subdivision	\$500 application fee + replenish escrow account to full amount (\$7,500)		
Grading/Drainage Permit	Application Fee\$ 100.00		
	Professional Services Escrow \$1,200.00		
Plan of Substitution	N/A		
Stormwater Management	See Item #15		
Park and Recreation Impact Fee	\$1,500 per dwelling unit		

4. TRASH FEES

Trash & Recycling Annual Fee

\$50.00

Regular Trash

Disposal containers are to be plastic "Perkasie Borough" trash bags at the cost of:

(1)	Large bags	\$ 3.25 \$3.75
(2)	Small bags	\$2.25 \$2.75
(3)	Small gusseted bag	\$2.50 \$3.00
(4)	Recycling Buckets	\$3.00 (if available)
(5)	Recycling Tubs	\$7.50
(6)	Trash toter service (64 gallon)	\$75 <u>\$82.50</u> per
		quarter

Recycling

Replacement fee for Hang Tags

\$5.00

Large Trash Items

Large trash items (excluding all items that contain freon) \$10.00

These "fee for collection" items include the following, and other similar large items:

Washing Machines	Wood Stoves	Riding Lawn Mowers
Dryers Trash Compactors		Dishwashers
Hot Water Heaters Air Compressors		Microwave Ovens
Humidifiers Electric Generators		Ice Boxes
Stoves (gas or electric)	Snow Blowers	Furniture

Waste Hauler Permit Fee \$100.00

Trash Certification Fee \$ 20.00

5. POOL FEES

 $\underline{\mathsf{Memberships}}$

10% Discount for on line registrations only January 15 March 31, 2023 5% Discount for on line registrations only, from April 1 April 30, 2023.

Membership Fees-Individual Individual-Age 14 and older Non-Resident Surcharge

\$ 110.00 \$1320.00 \$ 80.00 per person

Membership Fees-Family

Family includes any adults and dependent children (age 18 and younger) residing in one household year_round. \$10 Discount from 1 to for 2 family members

Per Person fee for 3+ members

 Resident
 \$ 670.00

 Non-Resident
 \$ 980.00

Membership Type	Early Bird	Early Bird	After May 1st	After May 1st
	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident
Individual	\$110 <u>\$120</u>	\$190 \$200	<u>\$130</u>	<u>\$210</u>
2 Family	\$210 <u>\$230</u>	\$370 <u>\$390</u>	<u>\$250</u>	<u>\$410</u>
3 Family	\$270 \$290	\$450 \$470	<u>\$320</u>	<u>\$500</u>
4 Family	\$ 330 \$350	\$530 \$550	<u>\$390</u>	<u>\$590</u>
5 Family	\$390 <u>\$410</u>	\$610 \$630	<u>\$460</u>	<u>\$680</u>
6 Family	\$450 <u>\$470</u>	\$690 <u>\$710</u>	<u>\$530</u>	<u>\$770</u>
7 Family	\$ 510 \$530	\$770 \$790	<u>\$600</u>	<u>\$860</u>
8 Family	\$570 \$590	\$850 \$870	<u>\$670</u>	<u>\$950</u>
9 Family	\$630 <u>\$650</u>	\$930 \$950	<u>\$740</u>	<u>\$1,040</u>
10 Family	\$690 <u>\$710</u>	\$1,010 \$1,030	<u>\$810</u>	<u>\$1,130</u>
Senior	\$55 <u>\$60</u>	\$150 \$155	<u>\$70</u>	<u>\$165</u>
PAC Full Membership	<u>\$120</u>	<u>\$200</u>	<u>\$130</u>	<u>\$210</u>
PAC Club Membership	<u>\$90</u>	<u>\$120</u>	<u>\$100</u>	<u>\$130</u>

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Perkasie Aquatic Club Member Individual Age 6+		\$ 110.00
Pennridge Aquatic Club Only	Resident	\$ 90.00
	Non Resident	\$ 120.00
Senior (62+ years old)		\$ 150.00
Senior (Borough Residents Only)		\$ 55.00
Borough Business Surcharge (50+ 20 employees)		\$ 40.00 <u>\$60 per person</u>
Borough Employee and Family		\$ 0.00
Borough Council and Family		\$ 0.00
Activity Fees		
Everybody Swims Program		\$ 0.00
(A free learn to swim program for 3 rd graders that	live in Perkasie	
Borough.) (A limit of 100 open slots per season.)		

Group Lessons	
Member Swimming Lessons	\$ 100.00
Non-members	\$ 115.00 \$ 120
8 lessons over a period of 2 weeks (M-Th) 40 minutes	
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Member Private Lessons	\$ 190.00 <u>\$180</u>
Non-member	
8 30-Minute Lessons	\$ 205.0 <u>0</u>
30 Minutes Individual Private Swim Lesson	\$ 50 -\$30 members/\$ 65 -\$50 non-
	members

Daily Admission

Monday - Friday	
General Admission 18 years and older	\$20.00

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Child (3-17) or Senior (age 62+)	\$15.00
2nd Street Pool - (0-6 years old)	\$ 3.00
Menlo Aquatics Center Members	\$ 0.00
Guest of Season Member	
Adult (Age 18 and older)	<u>\$15.00</u>
Chile (3-17) or Senior	<u>\$10.00</u>
Saturday and Sunday	
General Admission 18 years and older	\$31.00
Child (Age 3-17)	\$21.00
Guest of Season Member	
Adult (Age 18 and older)	\$20.00
Child (3-17) or Senior	\$15.00
Twilight (after 5:00 p.m.	
Adult Weekday	\$ \$10.00
Child or Senior Weekday	\$ 8.00
Adult Guest of a Member – Weekday	\$ 8.00
Child or Senior Guest of a Member – Weekday	\$ 5.00
Adult Weekend	\$16.00
Child or Senior Weekend	\$11.00
Adult Guest of Member Weekend	\$10.00
Child or Senior Guest of Member Weekend	\$ 8.00

Replacement charge for lost member passes

\$6 \$10

Pool Party Rentals

Monday Friday	Resident RES	\$460	NR	\$540
	Member	\$414	NR Member	\$486
Saturday Sunday	Resident RES	\$ 630	NR	\$690
	Member	\$ 567	NR Member	\$ 621

Max 10	Monday-Friday	Resident	\$155	NR	<u>\$180</u>
		Res Member	<u>\$140</u>	NR Member	<u>\$160</u>
	Sat & Sun	Resident	<u>\$210</u>	NR	\$230
		Res Member	\$190	NR Member	\$200

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Max of 20	Monday-Friday	Resident	\$310	NR	\$360
		Res Member	<u>\$275</u>	NR Member	\$325
	Sat & Sun	Resident	<u>\$420</u>	NR	<u>\$460</u>
		Res Member	<u>\$375</u>	NR Member	<u>\$415</u>
Max of 30	Monday-Friday	Resident	<u>\$460</u>	NR	<u>\$540</u>
		Res Member	<u>\$410</u>	NR Member	<u>\$486</u>
	Sat & Sun	Resident	<u>\$630</u>	NR	\$690
		Res Member	<u>\$560</u>	NR Member	\$621

During Pool Hours:

Max of 30 party participants (children and adults). _Choice of group max of 10,20 or 30 party_participants (children and adults). _Fee includes pool use, participant wrist bands, staff, and use oftables or tents at Menlo for pre and post swimming party. Parties are

3 hours starting at 12pm or 4pm. No security deposit required

After Pool Hours:

For Perkasie Borough residents and Menlo Members only. Fee includes 2 hour time period, 8:00-10:00 pm-available Fridays and Saturdays only. Includes choice of either leisure or competition pool (may switch each hour). Outside food is allowed but trash must be removed after party. Snack bar will not be open.

Cost is \$23 per person for a minimum of 40 guests and a maximum of 100 guests to include children and adults. \$500 security deposit required, must be scheduled 2 weeks in advance, must have certificate of insurance.

6. PARK AND RECREATION FEES

Park pavilion	\$40 \$75, +\$25 key deposit if electric is needed
Borough Resident	(Deposit must be cash or separate check, 2 weeks in
	advance.
Park pavilion Park pavilion	\$60-\$95, +25 key deposit if electric is needed
Non-Borough resident	(Deposit must be cash or separate check, 2 weeks in
	— advance)
Park pavilions non-profit	\$15 \$40, +\$25 key deposit if electric is needed
Borough organizations and schools	(Deposit must be cash or separate check, 2 weeks in
in the Pennridge School District	advance)

<u>Pavilion</u>	<u>Park</u>	Boro	Non Resident	Non Profit	Electric Key
		Resident			
Skate Park	<u>Lenape</u>	<u>\$60</u>	<u>\$90</u>	<u>\$40</u>	
Rotary	<u>Lenape</u>	<u>\$60</u>	<u>\$90</u>	<u>\$40</u>	
Twin Bridges	<u>Lenape</u>	<u>\$75</u>	\$100	<u>\$50</u>	
Kulp	<u>Kulp</u>	<u>\$50</u>	<u>\$75</u>	<u>\$35</u>	
Lions	<u>Menlo</u>	<u>\$75</u>	\$100	<u>\$50</u>	

Fees are for a 54-hour flexible time period.

Rentals may purchase an additional 4 hour time period for anything over. Rentals over 5 hours are charged an additional \$10

Team Facility Ren	tal	ς

Field Rentals (softball/baseball)
\$80 \$100 per team per season, \$25 key deposit if access to
Includes outfield for track/soccer etc.
storage shed is needed. (Deposit must be cash or separate check, 2 weeks in advance)

Up to 3 days per week

Any additional days are additional \$30 per season

Roster required each season, additional \$1 per Resident and \$2 per non-resident

Seasons – Spring: Mar, Apr, May; Summer: June, July

August; Fall: Sept., Oct., Nov.

Kulp Field Lights

\$50 per season

\$25 key deposit if electric is needed (Deposit must be cash or separate check, 2 weeks in advance.)

Individual Facility Rental

May rent for multiple time blocks

<u>Facility</u>	Allotted Time Block	Resident	Non-Resident
Pickleball Court	1 Hour	\$25.00	\$30.00
<u>Tennis Court</u>	2 Hours	\$25.00	\$30.00
Basketball Court	3 Hours	\$50.00	\$60.00
Baseball/Softball Field	3 Hours	\$50.00	\$60.00

Room Rental

Small birthday parties, bridal/baby showers, meetings in the Park and Rec Indoor Common Space, up to 30 attendees, tables and chairs provided, \$100 security deposit required to ensure key return, proper clean up and no damages.

 Resident
 \$100.00

 Non-Resident
 \$150.00

 Non-Profit
 \$ 75.00

<u>Tournament Request</u> \$50 per field per day

All Park Event Permits
Non-Profit event permit base fee
(see Event Fees for events For Profit event permit base fee \$100.00
Held on Borough Streets)

For Profit event permit base fee \$100.00

All permits must be submitted 45 days in advance. Add on service fees for road closures, Public Works and Electric all per hour based on current fee schedule and due upon Council approval.

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Base Fee covers one date; additional \$10 per date fee if multiple dates on one permit Multiple dates on one permit.

<u>Firew-Work Permits</u> \$100.00

<u>Community Garden Plots</u> \$20, \$25\$25 deposit for water hydrant key & plot clean up

^{*}As part of the Borough's recreation offerings, local businesses, contractors and individuals interested in running park and recreation programs at Borough parks and facilities can contact our Parks and Recreation Department directly. Interested parties are offered a percentage of program revenue.



ZEVENTS FEES

a) BOROUGH SPONSORED EVENTS

FARMERS MARKET

Full Season \$180 (single space) / \$275 (double space)

Half Season \$130 Drop in/ weekly \$30

UNDER THE STARS CAR SHOW

Food Vendor \$200

Craft/ Service/ Commercial Vendor \$30

Exhibitor entry fee \$15 (advance), \$20 \$25 (day-of)

FALL FESTIVAL

Food Vendor \$200 Craft/ Service/ Commercial Vendor \$50

AMERICA'S OLDEST TREE LIGHTING

Food Vendor \$175

FAMILY PRIDE FESTIVAL/EARTH DAY/SUMMER CONCERT SERIES OTHER COMMUNITY EVENTS:

Food Vendor \$100 Craft / Service / Commercial Vendor \$30

b) THIRD PARTY SPECIAL EVENT FEES (for events on Borough streets)

*See PARKS & RECREATION FEES section for events in Borough park system

Event Permit Application Fee	For Profit Non-Profit	\$100.00 \$ 50.00
	Each Additional Day	\$ 10.00
Road Barricades & Cones	Estimated 4hours Straight Time	Hourly Rate as listed in the PUBLIC WORKS SERVICE FEES SECTION
Trash & Recycling	Estimated 4 hours Straight Time	Hourly Rate as listed in the PUBLIC WORKS SERVICE FEES SECTION
Electric setup & breakdown	Estimated 8 hours Straight Time	Hourly Rate as listed in the ELECTRIC DEPT. SERVICE FEES SECTION
Crossing Guards	Hours Requested	Hourly Rate as listed in the POLICE DEPT. SERVICE FEES SECTION
Police Support	Hours Requested	Special Duty Rate as listed in the POLICE DEPT. SERVICE FEES SECTION
<u>Transient Retail Vendor</u>	Per for-profit vendor	Daily Rate as listed in the TRANSIENT RETAIL LICENSE FEE SECTION

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No Parking Signs	Per Sign	Fixed prices as listed in the
		POLICE DEPT. SERVICE FEES SECTION

Estimated fee per service is due at the time of application. Perkasie Borough will provide an invoice when the permit application is reviewed and approved detailing an estimate of any additional fees if these exceed the initial estimate. Perkasie Borough reserves the right to add services during the event if we deem it necessary for event safety then invoice a final balance.

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8.	TRANSIENT RETAIL LICENSE FEES	
	One day	\$25.00
	One calendar week or fraction thereof	\$75.00
	One calendar month or fraction thereof	\$200.00
	One calendar year or fraction thereof	\$400.00
9.	ELECTRIC SERVICE FEES	
	Security deposit with electric heat	\$300.00
	Security deposit without electric heat	\$200.00
	Reconnection fee	
	During normal business hours	\$100.00
	After normal business hours	\$200.00
	Reconnection Fee – CT rated service	
	During normal business hours	\$300.00
	After normal business hours	\$400.00
	Limiter hook-up fee	\$50.00
	Meter Test Fee	\$25.00
	Duplicate tenant electric bills sent to landlord	\$15.00/account
	Renewal fee for each account	 \$5.00

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Electric bills which are not paid by the due date are subject to late payment charges applied monthly as follows: 5% of the then unpaid balance of the monthly bill and 1.5% of the outstanding balance from previous billings.

Final Meter Certification Fee	\$25.00
Temporary electric installation: min. charge	\$25.00
Install new electric service to subdivisions	\$2,500/Lot
Install street lights in subdivisions	\$3,800/Each

Cost of electric per lot:

Secondary underground electric per lot \$750.00
Primary underground electric per lot \$750.00
Transformer and fiberglass pad per lot \$1,000.00

Cost of LED street lights:

Concrete base	\$ 400.00
Aluminum pole	\$1,500.00
LED fixtures	\$ 900.00
Labor	\$ 400.00

<u>Labor</u> Straight Time	\$70.00
Overtime	\$105.00

Equipment

Line Truck	\$85.00
Bucket Truck	\$75.00
Chipper	\$50.00
Air Compressor	\$40.00
Pick-up truck	\$45.00
Dump Truck-1-Ton	\$65.00

Material: Actual cost {10% may be added for handling).

<u>Contracted Services</u>: All contracted services will be billed out at actual costs plus 10%. (The 10% is based on scheduling, reviewing work and administrative costs.)

<u>Customer Generated Electrical Service</u>

Installation of net meter \$375.00 Administrative fee \$50.00 First inspection fee \$125.00 Annual reinspection \$35.00

Pole Attachment Fees

Application Fee: \$35.00 Per Pole For new Attachments

Audit Fee: \$35.00 Per Pole

Make Ready

Engineering Fee: TBD To be provided for Each Permit

Request based on level of effort.

Annual Attachment Fee per Pole

Date

Year2022	\$29.00
Year2023	\$29.50
Year2024	\$30.00
Year2025	\$30.50
Year2026	\$31.00
Year2027	\$31.50
Year2028	\$32.00
Year2029	\$32.50
Year2030	\$33.00

Each Renewal Term \$0.50/year increase thereafter

Other Fees

Unauthorized Attachment \$35.00/pole \$100.00/pole \$100.00/pole

10 PUBLIC WORKS SERVICE FEES

LaborStraight Time\$ 55.00Overtime\$ 80.00

Equipment

 Backhoe
 \$100.00

 Refuse Truck
 \$85.00

 Dump Truck-1 Ton
 \$75.00

 Mower
 \$55.00

 Leaf Vacuum
 \$60.00

 Black Top Roller
 \$55.00

Material: Actual cost (10% may be added for handling).

<u>Contracted Services</u>: All contracted services will be billed out at actual costs plus 10%. (The 10% is based on scheduling, reviewing work and administrative costs.)

11. POLICE DEPARTMENT SERVICE FEES

Special duty: Shall be billed at 2 times the officer's hourly rate plus applicable taxes and benefits.

No Parking Signs: \$ 2.25

Use of Police Vehicle \$20.00

Use of Crossing Guard \$17.00 - \$18.54/hr

12. PUBLICATION FEES

Zoning Ordinance	\$20.00
Subdivision and Land Development Ordinance	\$15.00
Comprehensive Plan	\$52.00
Building Codes	Cost + Postage + 10%

13. AMUSEMENT DEVICE FEES

First device \$65.00

Each additional device permitted

under the same application \$25.00

Each and every re-inspection

necessitated in a license year \$25.00

14. CABLE TELEVISION-(Pursuant to Ordinance 744)

Filing Fee-Section C-2(f) \$25.00

Penalty for non-compliance-Section D-2(d) \$2,000 and reasonable attorney fees

and court cost

Fine for violation of customer service standards Section E-2(d)

15. CLAIMS, MUNICIPAL-Delinquent Account Collection Fees (pursuant to Ordinance #832)

A. Preparation and filing of Municipal Liens: \$150.00

B. Attorney's fees incurred in the collection of delinquent accounts including, but not limited to, District Justice and/or Common Pleas actions: \$125.00

C. Additionally, the owner shall be responsible for all costs of collection in addition to attorney's fees including, but not limited to, filing fees and court fees as may be paid by the Borough.

16. STORMWATER MANAGEMENT SITE PLAN SCHEDULE OF FEES

A. Filing Fee	\$75.00
G. Sump Pump Discharge & Permit Connect to Borough storm sewer Plus \$5.00 per foot, maximum Bottomless Inlet Box	\$250.00 \$1,000.00 \$1,000.00

17. MISCELLANEOUS FEES

Alarm system registration \$ 10.0

Copies

one sided	\$.25
two sided	\$.50
color copy	\$ 1.00
	\$.50
8 ½ x14 copy	\$ 1.00
11x17 copy	,

Oversize copies

(Land development, building or plot plans)

Actual cost to reproduce plus mileage

(IRS rate) to drive to copy center, plus employee time to drive to/from facility at \$25 per hour

Deed registration	\$10.00
Duplicate of Borough meetings	\$20.00 per meeting
Explosives Permit	\$15.00

False Alarms	\$50.00
Flood Plain Certification	\$100.00 + cost of survey if necessary
Inter-Municipal transfer of Liquor License Application Filing Fee	\$600
Military Banners	\$150.00
Permit Fee: Circuses, Carnivals & Exhibitions	\$100.00
Pole attachment permit application	\$25.00
Police incident reports	\$15.00
Reproduction of photographs from police	\$25.00 fee per request plus \$1.00 Incidents/accidents per standard 3"x5" Photograph of \$8.00 per 8"x11" photograph
Return Check Charge	\$25.00
Sidewalk Permit (if sidewalk is installed without Borough being notified.)	\$75.00
Street Utility Cut Permits	\$175.00 Per 100 square feet of disturbance + additional \$25.00 for each additional 100 sq. ft. of utility cut
Street Maps	\$1.00
Tax Certification Fee	\$10.00
Zoning Maps	\$5.00 \$1.00 small

18. PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Solicitor \$140 \$175/hour

Engineering Services/Gilmore Associates

Principal Engineer \$147 \$157/hour
Project Assistant \$87 \$90/hour

Consulting Professional I-V \$\frac{\\$107 \\$142 \\$117 \\$157/hour}{\\$105 \\$92 \\$102 \\$92 \\$112/hour}\$

Construction Rep. I-III \$\frac{\\$97 \\$117 \\$105 \\$125/hour}{\\$105 \\$125/hour}\$

Surveying Crew \$172 \$185/hour

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this fee schedule supersedes and replaces all prior fee schedules adopted by Perkasie Borough Council.

RESOLVED this _____ of December ____, 2023

Attest:

By: ___

Andrea L. Coaxum Borough Manager/Secretary James A. Ryder Council President

Admin

From: Admin

Sent: Wednesday, November 29, 2023 2:24 PM

To: Admin

Subject: Hold Harmless Agreement

From: rschurr perkasiepd.org <rschurr@perkasiepd.org>

Sent: Monday, November 27, 2023 1:32 PM **To:** Admin <admin@perkasieborough.org> **Subject:** RE: Hold Harmless Agreement

Megan,

The last page of the attachment under <u>AGREEMENT</u> requires my authorized signature and is a hold harmless section. I emailed it to Jeff Garton to look at this morning for his feedback prior to the meeting.

Thank you,

Bob

Robert A. Schurr, M.S. Chief of Police Perkasie Borough Police Department 311 S. 9th Street Perkasie, PA 18944 215-257-6876



Admin

From: Admin

Sent: Wednesday, November 29, 2023 2:16 PM

To: Admin
Subject: Police Testing

From: rschurr perkasiepd.org < rschurr@perkasiepd.org>

Sent: Thursday, November 2, 2023 10:49 AM **To:** Gallo, Joseph < <u>igallo@pennridge.org</u>> **Cc:** Dale Haring < <u>drharing@comcast.net</u>>

Subject: Police Testing

Joe,

Our police department is starting a hiring process for new officers. We would like to hold the physical agility test and written examination at Pennridge High School on Saturday January 13th, 2024. We would need the use of the track and the field house weight room the morning of January 13th from 8:00 am to 10:00 am.

We would then like to use the High School cafeteria to administer the written examination from 11:30 am until approximately 1:30 pm.

Please advise what if any additional information you may need form me.

Thank you,

Bob Schurr

Robert A. Schurr, M.S. Chief of Police Perkasie Borough Police Department 311 S 9th St, Perkasie PA 18944 215-257-6876





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PENNRIDGE HIGH SCHOOL INTERNAL FACILITY REQUEST FORM Please Print Firmly GROUP NAME POR YOUGH POLICE CONTACT PERSON(S) Chief Polon A. Schurr PHONE NUMBER 215-257-6876 CELL PHONE 484-256-3570 DATE OF REQUEST 11 3 2023 EMAIL ADDRESS (Schurre Parksicp) or print person of the schurre parksicp) or print person of the schurre parksicp) or print person of the schurre parksicp) or person of the schurre parksicp).				
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1/13/2024	1100-2:30	Costoria	Nonc	Tables
If this is a long-term request, please list all days, dates, times in/out, facility, and special notes for custodians below.				
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Before you leave, please make sure the room is in the order in which it was found. Thanks!

Blice Written Testing

PURPOSE:

PENNRIDGE SCHOOL DISTRICT - PERKASIE, PA

2022-2023 REQUEST FOR USE OF SYNTHETIC TURF FIELD

*see separate form for all other School Facilities usage

Pennridge School District; Business Office; 1200 N. Fifth Street; Perkasie, PA 18944

Name of the Organization Requesting Use of Facilities:	KOUSTY ROMOVAL POLICE
Address: 311 S 9th Street Perkaste	PA 18944
Category of Organization: Dates Desired: Requesting Use of Scoreboard: Hours Desired:	esired: 6700 to 1100
Certificate of Insurance must be received by Business Office prior to final app	proval.
SCHEDULE OF FEES	
Category 1 Pennridge Community Youth Organizations, non-Pennridge Community Youth Organizations with at least 2/3 Pennridge students, Pennridge School District activities including Parent and Booster Groups, and non-publi Schools within the District	
Field Rental-	\$175.00 per hour
(Includes custodial fee and an event supervisor fee of \$25.00) Lighting Fee (if applicable)	\$ 50.00 per hour
Category 2 All non-profit adult organizations and all non-Pennridge youth organizations with fewer than 2/3 Pennridge students Field Rental- (Includes custodial fee and an event supervisor fee of \$25.00) Lighting Fee (if applicable)	\$200.00 per hour \$ 50.00 per hour
Category 3 All for-profit youth or adult organizations Field Rental- (Includes custodial fee and an event supervisor fee of \$25.00)	\$225.00 per hour
Lighting Fee (if applicable)	\$ 50.00 per hour

ADDITIONAL EVENT STAFFING

Additional Event staffing can be required by School District and all costs must be reimbursed at the overtime cost and/or cost of persons requested.

PAYMENTS FOR USE OF FIELD BY ORGANIZATIONS OUTSIDE THE DISTRICT

At the discretion of the Pennridge Administration, any organization whose principal services are not provided to the Pennridge community may be asked to make payment in full prior to the use of the facility. Should payment not be received, the organization will be restricted from using the facilities. It is the organizations responsibility to ensure that the cost of the use of facility is determined and provided to them.

^{**}Rental of turf field includes access to gang restrooms in the Field House.

Agreement:

The undersigned is authorized to act on the behalf of the organization requesting the use of the facilities and agrees to hold harmless all members of the Pennridge Board of School Directors, administrators, certificated and non-certificated employees for loss of any material, equipment, and injury which may occur while using any of the school district owned buildings, facilities, fields, or equipment. In addition, the undersigned agrees to hold harmless all parties identified above from all acts of negligence and to inform all members of this agreement. Furthermore, I have read and agree to the terms and conditions set forth in this document and the attached Synthetic Turf Field Use Form Instructions.

Authorized Representative's Inf (Authorized Representative's Name)	311 S9th S	ete Address)	215-257-6876 (Phone & Fax)	11/3/26 (Date)
(Authorized Representative's Sig		Schure	Email Address)	
(Building Principal's Signature) (Athletic Director Signature		ector Signature)	Date Approved	
	Rental Co	st Calculati	on	
Date(s) of Use:	5 2024			
Hour(s) per date(s):				
Fee times total hours:	\$	X	= \$	
Lighting times hours requested:	\$50.00 X	=		
Additional Event Staffing:				
Security/Police		\$ (
Concession Stand		\$ 💍		
Extra Custodial Staff		\$ 🔿		
Parking Attendant		\$ ()		
Scoreboard Operator		\$ 6		
Other – Specify		\$		
		\$		
		\$		
Total Projected Cost:		\$		

Perkasie Borough to present the nation's oldest tree lighting on December 2

By MEDIA NEWS GROUP

November 24, 2023 at 10:57 a.m.

PERKASIE — Perkasie Borough will continue its longstanding holiday tradition on December 2 with the town's 115th annual tree lighting ceremony.

Beginning in 1909, the ceremony was officially recognized as the oldest in the nation in 2015, when it was read into the Congressional Record by the late Rep. Mike Fitzpatrick.

In a press release, the borough previewed some of the ceremony's attractions, including live holiday music, Pennridge school groups, games, food, live dioramas, holiday wagon rides, food trucks, performances and special guests Buddy the Elf, the Pennridge Jazz Band, Barbie, an alpaca farm and a fire performer.

"Perkasie's Tree Lighting holds a special place in the hearts of our community" said Dave Worthington, chair of Perkasie Borough Council's Parks & Recreation Committee. "We're thrilled to welcome residents old and new and to invite visitors from across the region to enjoy our town and traditions. Santa tells us America's Oldest Tree Lighting is one of his very favorite events of the season — truly a magical family evening out!"

The event opens at 5 p.m. with a reading of "Twas the Night Before Christmas" by former Perkasie Mayor John Hollenbach. At 7 p.m., Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus will arrive on a Perkasie Electric Truck to light the Christmas tree. One lucky child will be chosen to climb on the stage to help Santa light the tree. Kids can enter the drawing by bringing a non-perishable food item for Pennridge FISH, the local food pantry.

Families can take photos with Santa in the RE/MAX440 building at 7th & Market St. and will find more photo ops with costumed characters at the Bloom Flower Company display on 7th St and across town. Additionally, the RAMs Pint House will host a Kids' Christmas Village on 7th St, with a host of family friendly activities and a visit from the Grinch. Other town center businesses and churches will host open houses, exhibits and shopping and dining specials.

Aerial acrobatics performances, excerpts from the Nutcracker by the Shannon Carney Dance Academy, the Revivals Block Party, wandering carolers, live musicians, hot cocoa, food vendors, free wagon rides, ballerinas in store windows and giveaways from event sponsors will round out the event, said the press release.

The town will also host several other holiday events throughout the month of December, including a Christmas-themed First Friday on December 1 from 5:30 to 8 p.m featuring a visit from Santa Claus, a nostalgic holiday train display at the Electric Building at 120 N. 7th St. from 12 to 8 p.m. on December 1 and 2, a "Gingerbread Extravaganza" at Perkasie's indoor Farmer's Market and town center stores on December 9, a jolly Grinchmas celebration on December 16 and free carousel rides at Menlo Park from 12 to 4 p.m. on December 2, said the press release.

"Families can enjoy a really festive holiday season in Perkasie. There is so much happening," said Linda Reid, the borough's community development director. "America's Oldest Tree Lighting event and all the free fun for families would not be possible without the support of our major sponsors: Adams Orthodontic, American Heritage Federal Credit Union, Gilmore & Associates, Penn Community Bank, Shelly's Design Studios, The Gutter Guys and A&T Chevrolet-Subaru. Perkasie Borough also wishes to thank Begley Carlin Mandio, Laurel Abstract Company and Grim Biehn & Thatcher for their support."

For more information about the tree lighting and other holiday events, go to the "Holiday Events in Perkasie" page on the borough's website or visit the borough's Facebook page, featuring changing and up-to-date information.

Perkasie Borough Council advertises 2024 budget with no tax increases

By <u>JOHN WORTHINGTON</u> | <u>jworthington@montgomerynews.com</u> PUBLISHED: November 27, 2023 at 10:44 a.m. | UPDATED: November 27, 2023 at 5:36 p.m.

PERKASIE — The Perkasie Borough Council Monday, November 20, approved the advertisement of the borough's 2024 preliminary budget, with formal approval set for next month.

The budget, with no tax increases, projects revenues and expenses approximately \$1.25 million higher than the 2023 budget. The budget notably contains minor trash and electricity rate increases, including a \$7.50 quarterly increase on trash toters, a \$0.50 trash bag fee increase and a \$0.01 electricity rate increase.

In other news, council agreed to draft an ordinance to implement Act 91, a state law that enables counties to offer real estate tax credits to volunteers fighters to boost recruitment. Council additionally requested that the Pennridge School District similarly implement the program.

Council also approved a letter of support for the Rural and Municipal Utility Cybersecurity (RMUC) Advanced Cybersecurity Technology (ACT) 1 Prize, a US Department of Energy program to bolster cybersecurity infrastructure. Borough manager Andrea Coaxum noted the program includes three rounds, with \$50,000 prizes for rounds one and two and a \$100,000 prize for round three.

Council approved the resignations of Deborah Sergeant as Code Enforcement Officer and Jessica Tantorno as Events Assistant. Council then approved a number of appointments, including Cassandra Grillo as Code Enforcement Officer at an annual salary of \$55,700, Logan Wilcox as the Youth Councilor, Keith Hass to the Pennridge Wastewater Treatment Authority Board and council member Greg Martin to a three-year term on the Perkasie Regional Authority.

Council also authorized the use of roughly \$59,000 in American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds to purchase an inlet vacuum cleaner and approved two events, the Perkasie Rotary's Twin Bridge decorating event on November 25 and the Perkiomen Watershed Conservancy's Freeze Up 5k on December 3 from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m.

The next Perkasie Borough Council meeting is on December 4 at 7 p.m. For more information, visit perkasieborough.org.