

**BRUNSWICK HILLS TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES**  
**SPECIAL MEETING**  
**AUGUST 5, 2025**

The Brunswick Hills Township Board of Trustees met in special session on Tuesday, August 5, 2025 at Brunswick Hills Township Town Hall.

Board of Trustees Chair Chirstina Kusnerak, Trustee Vice-Chair Ryan Nixon, Trustee Patrica Murphy, and Fire Chief Anthony Strazzo present.

Chair Kusnerak called the meeting to order at 5:00 PM, noting that the meeting was properly advertised.

Kusnerak moved to approve payroll dated 8-5-2025 in the amount of \$103,421.94, which includes Deferred Comp, F.O.P., Child Support and Life Insurance. Nixon seconded. Murphy – yes. Kusnerak – yes. Nixon – yes. Motion carried.

Nixon moved to approve the Warrant Payment Listing dated 8-5-2025 in the amount of \$44,111.20, which includes Axon Enterprises for \$25,738.20. Kusnerak seconded. Nixon – yes. Murphy – yes. Kusnerak – yes. Motion carried.

Nixon moves to go into Executive Session at 5:04 PM, to discuss the Fire Department internal investigation. The Board invited Fire Chief Anthony Strazzo into Executive Session. Murphy seconded. Kusnerak – yes. Murphy – yes. Nixon – yes. Motion carried.

Nixon moved to come out of Executive Session at 5:48 PM. Murphy seconded. Murphy – yes. Kusnerak – yes. Nixon – yes. Motion carried.

Nixon noted that as a result of Executive Session no action will be taken at this time.

Nixon moved to go into Executive Session at 5:49 PM to discuss a complaint against a public employee. Tony Destro and Chief Anthony Strazzo will be invited into Executive Session with the Board. Nixon noted before we walk into Executive Session there is to be no recording. Tony you're going to present your case to us and when you are finished Chief Strazzo will have the opportunity to address the Board, if he chooses to do so. If at any time there is engagement between the two of you, you will be asked to leave and executive session will be over. We aim to keep this as straight forward and civil as possible. In the Boards opinion, this is the best way to accomplish that. While Mr. Destro is speaking Anthony will remain quiet and then if Anthony decides to address the Board Mr. Destro will remain quiet.

Tony Destro 301 Marks Rd. Mr. Destro made the request to present his case to the Board without Fire Chief Strazzo in the room because he stated that he was not comfortable with him in the room when he is presenting a complaint against him. Mr. Destro also asked that if the Board insists that Fire Chief Strazzo be present then can an officer be present, since I am not comfortable being in a private room with Chief Strazzo. Trustee Nixon asked Mr. Destro if it was that he is afraid things would get physical. Mr. Destro stated no, it is just because I don't trust him and I don't feel it is right that I would be presenting a complaint to you with the person I'm complaining about in the room. I requested a while ago to present my complaint to the Board without Anthony present. Trustee Nixon stated he feels Anthony has the right to be

there and hear the complaint against him. There will be no banter, no engagement between the two of you. Anthony will not be sitting at the same table as you. The Board would like Anthony to be there because you stated the presentation of this might be an hour to an hour and a half long. With that length, we want him to hear it from you versus us telling him about it. We might leave something out or get facts incorrect. Trustee Kusnerak stated that you have a complaint against a public employee and it has been Township practice that the person you are complaining about has the right to hear the complaint directly from the source. Trustee Nixon stated, Tony this is the Boards Executive Session and this is the way we are going to do it. We feel it is the most efficient, fair way. If you want to be heard we can proceed the way we have stated. Mr. Destro stated I want to continue but I just have one question before we continue. Mr. Destro asked Trustee Murphy, Trustee Kusnerak, Trustee Nixon and Fire Chief Strazzo "Have you ever posted on Facebook under the name Jameson Rogers?". To which all four answered "No". Mr. Destro stated that question will make sense after my presentation. Nixon stated that he first moved to go into executive Session at 5:49 PM, We now have the ground rules laid down and the time is now 5:56 PM. Murphy seconded. Nixon – yes. Kusnerak – yes. Murphy – yes. Motion carried.

Nixon moved to go out of Executive Session at 9:01 PM. Kusnerak seconded. Murphy – yes. Kusnerak – yes. Nixon – yes. Motion carried.

Nixon noted as a result of Executive Session no action will be taken at this time.

Kusnerak moved to adjourn. Nixon seconded. Kusnerak – yes. Murphy – yes. Nixon – yes. Motion carried.

Adjourned at 9:01 PM.

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Christina Kusnerak, Trustee Chair

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Ryan Nixon, Trustee Vice-Chair

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Patrica Murphy, Trustee

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Bob Roksandich, Fiscal Officer