COMMUNITY DEMOCRACY NEWS 03/25/2024 - 04/01/2024

BEAVER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

• Board of Commissioners

- There was a meeting on 3/28 (Agenda) which included:
 - A motion to reappoint Matthew Cucinelli to the Industrial Development Authority Board
 - A resolution permitting the Beaver Farmer's Market to happen in the Courthouse parking lot
 - A resolution providing portable toilets for county parks and properties through March 2026
 - A resolution approving the installation of a playground and community garden in Aliquippa
 - A resolution providing entrepreneurship education workshops for potential business owners
 - A resolution providing nutritious food assistance for disadvantaged families and individuals
 - A resolution approving improvements through the Ruhe Park Project in Beaver Falls

BIG BEAVER, PENNSYLVANIA

• City Council

- Upcoming meeting on 4/2 at 6 pm (<u>Agenda</u>)
 - It will include committee reports on Zoning, Parks and Recreation, Public Health and Safety, Public Works, and a workshop discussion of a draft zoning map

HOPEWELL, PENNSYLVANIA

- Board of Commissioners
 - Upcoming workshop meeting on 4/8
- **Zoning Hearings**
 - \circ No meetings during the week of 3/25-4/1

• News

- o Story 3/26: Did Ohio train derailment have long-term health impacts? Pitt scientists look for answers.
 - Federal officials are funding University of Pittsburgh research into community health outcomes within an 8 miles radius of last year's Norfolk Southern train derailment and toxic controlled burn
- Story 3/28: White Township to receive \$200,000 grant for road improvements
 - It is receiving the grant through the state's Multimodal Transportation Fund
- Story 4/1: Ready for the eclipse? Info on event times, safety and school dismissals in Beaver County
 - Doctors are reminding the public to take the necessary steps to stay safe during the eclipse on 4/8 including viewing the sky through a set of eclipse filter glasses to protect from damaging UV rays

ALIQUIPPA, PENNSYLVANIA

- City Council
 - o There was a work session meeting on 3/27 (no agenda uploaded yet)
- Zoning Hearings
 - \circ No meetings during the week of 3/25-4/1

BEAVER FALLS, PENNSYLVANIA

- City Council
 - There was a meeting on 3/26 (Agenda)
 - It included Women of Influence Awards, approving General Fund and payroll expenditures, a plumbing proposal, and a repository purchase on 10th St near 10th Ave
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