



Town of Port Deposit, Maryland

At the **April 7, 2026 Town Council Legislative Meeting**, Council considered project updates and proposals, reviewed public safety activity and community concerns, and received staff reports on ongoing operations and priorities.

Project & Infrastructure Updates

Council approved a Towson University research agreement for archaeological monitoring associated with trenching for the new electric line behind the Gas House on Town property. Council also reviewed AECOM's proposal for improvements to three Town parking lots and discussed it as a possible FY27 budget consideration. Additional updates were provided on the Granite Avenue/Race Street stormwater project and public boat dock repairs.

Public Safety & Community Updates

Cpl. Tyler Price reported on Sheriff's Office activity for March, including increased traffic enforcement and continued attention to parking issues and tractor trailer routing concerns. Council also received public comment regarding Race Street conditions and utility restoration concerns. Announcements were made for the ribbon cutting for Backfin Blues Bar & Grill and Artfully Dunn Creative Studio on April 9, the Planning Commission meeting on April 23, and Port Deposit Clean-Up Day on April 25.

Staff Updates

Updates were provided by Public Works and Code Enforcement Administrator Dan Jamison, Treasurer Patti Gray, and Town Administrator Vicky Rinkerman regarding ongoing maintenance, budget status, staffing activity, project coordination, tax sale MOU updates, and potential grant opportunities.

Actions Taken

- Approved minutes for the March 3, 2026 Legislative Meeting and the March 24, 2026 Work Session.
- Approved the Towson University Research Agreement for archaeological monitoring behind the Gas House.

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