



Borough of West Chester, Pennsylvania
West Chester Borough Council
Committee to Reestablish Rail Service to West Chester

AGENDA

PURPOSE: Monthly Meeting of the Committee to Reestablish Rail Service to West Chester

LOCATION: West Chester Borough Hall, Room 232

DATE/TIME: Wednesday, August 12, 2026, at 7:00 PM

TEAMS LINK: [MEETING LINK](#)

Meeting ID: 243 349 623 894

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1. Call to Order
 - a. Chair's Remarks (Levinn)
 - b. Public Remarks
 2. Approval of Minutes
 - a. July 8, 2026
 - b. Reminder: Launch **Transcription** to record draft Meeting Minutes.
 3. Old Business
 - a. Review of Open Action Items

#	Full Description	Due Date	Responsible Party	Comments
35	Student/Resident Transit Surveys	8/31/2026	Levinn	Westtown survey received; Cheyney outreach ongoing.
43	Meet with Sen. Kane's staff to discuss applying for state grants for the pedestrian bridge	8/28/2026	Levinn and Laarkamp	Reach out to setup meeting following initial discussions with engineering firms.
46	Project Presentations to Media Borough and Middletown Township	8/31/2026	Laarkamp	Provide run through of standard presentation
49	Turks Head Trail (THT) Reciprocal	6/30/2026	Levinn	Mutual letter

	Letters of Support			drafting in progress.
53	Cheyney Engagement	8/31/2026	Levinn	Potential collaboration around station location and ridership base
54	Quarterly RRC Update to Borough Council	10/14/2026	Levinn	
55	Plan and design an education kiosk	8/31/26	Sargent	A portable display to set up at events and school presentations
56	Send the survey to Cheyney to gather data on their level of interest	8/31/2026	Laarkamp	Create a new MS Form survey for Cheyney using the info in the Westtown MS Form
57	Thinking about corporate partnerships	8/31/2026	Farrell	Deloitte, Aramark and Kaiser Permanente were all suggested
58	The committee needs a volunteer to serve as the TAC liaison	8/12/2026	Levinn	

- b. SEPTA and WCRR Coordination Update (Levinn)
- c. FOR WC 501(c)3 Update (J.Farrell))
- d. Government/Public Relations Lead Update (Bove)
- e. Education and Development Lead Update
- f. TAC Liaison update
- g. SAC Liaison update (Clarke)

4. New Business

- a. Rollingstock option (T.Hickey)

5. Closing

- a. New Action Items
- b. Next Meeting: Wednesday, September 9, 2026, at 7:00 PM
- c. Adjourn

Committee Membership

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| • Jason Levinn, Chair | • Craig Blizzard | • Kim Bove |
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| • Steve Laarkamp | | |
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