

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2018

(Immediately following Agenda Conference)

BOROUGH COUNCIL CHAMBERS
263 SOMERSET STREET, NORTH PLAINFIELD, NJ

ROLL CALL

Council Members:

Everett Merrill
Keiona R. Miller
Frank Righetti
Wendy Schaefer
Douglas M. Singleterry
Frank "Skip" Stabile
Lawrence La Ronde, Council President

Statement of Compliance as to Notice of Meeting

APPROVAL OF COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES:

Agenda Conference and Regular Meeting of January 22, 2018

Roll Call

HEARING: ORDINANCE NO. 18-02 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND, REVISE AND SUPPLEMENT THE BOROUGH CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD, CHAPTER II ENTITLED, "ADMINISTRATION," ARTICLE I ENTITLED, "ADMINISTRATIVE CODE," SECTION 2-6 ENTITLED, "DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION," MOST NOTABLY, SECTION 2-6.5, ENTITLED "ESTABLISHMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION COMMITTEE."

Be read by its title by the Borough Clerk

PUBLIC HEARING

MOTION: Close public hearing

Roll Call

Ms. Schaefer:

02-13-18-01 Adoption and advertising of Ordinance No. 18-02

Roll Call

RESOLUTION:

Mr. Singleterry:

02-13-18-02: ORDINANCE NO. 18-03 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND, REVISE AND SUPPLEMENT THE BOROUGH CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD, CHAPTER II ENTITLED, "ADMINISTRATION," ARTICLE I ENTITLED, "ADMINISTRATIVE CODE," SECTION 2-6 ENTITLED,

“DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION,” MOST NOTABLY, SECTION 2-6.14, ENTITLED “MUNICIPAL ALLIANCE COMMITTEE.”

Be read by its title by the Borough Clerk

Roll Call

RESOLUTION:

Mr. Stabile:

02-13-18-03: ORDINANCE NO. 18-04 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND, REVISE AND SUPPLEMENT THE BOROUGH CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD, CHAPTER II ENTITLED “ADMINISTRATION,” ARTICLE I ENTITLED, “ADMINISTRATIVE CODE,” SECTION 2-6 ENTITLED, “DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION,” MOST NOTABLY, SECTION 2-6.13, ENTITLED “YOUTH SERVICES COMMISSION.”

Be read by its title by the Borough Clerk

Roll Call

RESOLUTION:

Mr. Merrill:

02-13-18-04: ORDINANCE NO. 18-05 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND, REVISE AND SUPPLEMENT THE BOROUGH CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD, CHAPTER XXII ENTITLED, “LAND DEVELOPMENT,” SECTION 22-3 ENTITLED, “DEFINITIONS,” AND SECTION 22-110.1 ENTITLED “USES”

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Roll Call

CONSENT AGENDA

Statement by Council President

RESOLUTION:

Ms. Miller:

02-13-18-05 Approving Consent Agenda

Roll Call

CONSENT AGENDA RESOLUTIONS:

- a. Approving Treatment Works Approval Application
- b. Authorizing Sale of Surplus Equipment
- c. Approving Participation with the State of New Jersey Federal Grant Program administered by the Division of Criminal Justice, Dept. of Law and Public Safety (Safe and Secure Communities Program)

- d. Authorizing Amendments to the 2018 Temporary Budget
- e. Authorizing Duplicate Tax Sale Certificates
- f. Authorizing Plainfield Area Humane Society Pocketbook Bingo License
- g. Approving the Consolidated Bill List of February 13, 2018
- h. Authorizing Recycling Agreement with County of Somerset
- i. Authorizing Tax Collector to Transfer Credits to Surplus

COMMUNICATIONS:

Somerset County Office of Public Information Somerville, NJ Richard K. Phoenix, RMC – Borough Clerk & Chief Operator, WPQJ970 – 1630-AM Radio NJ State League of Municipalities Trenton, NJ PSE&G Newark, NJ NJ Highlands Coalition Boonton, NJ Plainfield Area Humane Society Plainfield, NJ Plainfield Area Regional Sewerage Authority, Middlesex, NJ Frank D’Amore Sr. North Plainfield AAIRO, Zeeland, Michigan Kevin Watsey, NJ American Water Voorhees, NJ Comcast Financial Agency Corp. Philadelphia, PA NJRA Redevelopment Training New Brunswick, NJ Scott Rudder, NJ Cannabusiness Association Trenton, NJ Dept. of Environmental Protection Trenton, NJ NJ Local Technical Assistance Program New Brunswick, NJ Green Brook Flood Control Commission	Various Communications, Advisories and News Releases Calendar Updates and Advisories; Time-Sensitive Radio Scripts Newsletters & Advisories Newsletters and Hearing Notices Newsletters Invoice and Report Agenda and Minutes Property Maintenance Memo The Source Newsletter Municipal Contact Database Franchise Fee Calendar Event Announcement Weekly Update, No Further Action Notice Innovation Exchange Webinar Meeting Announcement
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Green Brook, NJ Somerset Co. Deputy Clerk Somerville, NJ Betsy G. Ramos, Esq. Capehart Scatchard, Esq., Mt. Laurel, NJ Somerset Co. Business Partnership Somerville, NJ Municipal Clerks' Association of NJ Ocean Grove, NJ William Crosby, North Plainfield Friends of Vermeule Mansion North Plainfield Public Service Electric & Gas, Newark, NJ Larry Cohen US Humane Society NJ Transit, Newark, NJ The Alternative Press, North Plainfield Hon. Leonard Lance Westfield, NJ	Primary Election Petition Requirements NJ Public Entity Law Monthly Member News The Quill Newsletter Memorial – Jim Freeman Valentine's Day Program Ahead of Paving Request Pet Store Ordinances National Signing Day Town Hall Appearance, Bridgewater, NJ
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REQUESTS FOR AGENDA ITEMS

PUBLIC COMMENT

General public comments shall be limited to five minutes for each individual.
(Rule 29 of the Borough Council's Rules of Order)

COMMENTS BY MAYOR, ADMINISTRATOR AND COUNCIL MEMBERS

ADJOURNMENT