



LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL BUILDING

Council Meeting Room – Lower Level

Tuesday, October 5, 2021

6:30 p.m.

1. Mayor's Welcome

STATEMENT OF PROPER NOTICE: "Adequate notice of this meeting of the Lawrence Township Council being held on Tuesday, October 5, 2021, has been provided through the posting of the annual meeting schedule of said Council in accordance with Section 13 of the Open Public Meetings Act." Said Notice was forwarded to The Trentonian, The Times and The Ledger on December 18, 2020.

2. Inspiration

3. Pledge of Allegiance

4. Roll Call

5. Special Proclamations, Recognitions and Presentations

Vulnerable Populations Assessment Report – Keith Levine, Health Officer

6. Public Participation (5-minute limitation per speaker)**

7. Review and Revision of the Agenda

8. Adoption of Minutes of Previous Meetings

- A. Closed Session – August 17, 2021
- B. Closed Session – September 21, 2021
- C. Regular Meeting – July 20, 2021
- D. Regular Meeting – August 17, 2021

9. Awarding and/or Rejecting of Bids*

- A. #321 Authorizing Awarding Bid for 2021 Tree Removal

10. Introduction of Ordinances**

11. Adoption of Ordinances*

- A. Ordinance No. 2405-21 - BOND ORDINANCE AMENDING BOND ORDINANCE BY THE TOWNSHIP OF LAWRENCE, COUNTY OF MERCER, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, IN ORDER TO REVISE THE DESCRIPTION OF THE IMPROVEMENT HEREIN
- B. Ordinance No. 2406-21 - AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL IN ITS ENTIRETY ORDINANCE NO. 1691-02 ENTITLED 'AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATIVE CODE TO CREATE A HUMAN RELATIONS COMMITTEE'
- C. Ordinance No. 2407-21 - AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LAWRENCE TO CREATE THE LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP DIVERSITY, EQUITY AND INCLUSION COMMITTEE

12. Manager's Report

13. Attorney's Report

14. Clerk's Report

15. Unfinished Business

16. New Business

17. Public Participation (3-minute limitation per speaker) **

18. Resolutions

- A. *Bond Acceptance*
- B. *Bond Release*

C. Escrow Release

- 1) #318 Authorizing Release of Escrow for Kibbey, ZB-01/21
- 2) #319 Authorizing Release of Escrow for 3870 Princeton Pike, IP-12/21

D. Refunds

- 1) #315 Authorizing a Refund for a Tax Overpayment
- 2) #320 Authorizing a Refund of Soil Test Escrow for 64 VanKirk Road, IP-18/21

E. Special Items of Revenue

F. Professional Services Agreements

- 1) #308 Authorizing Amending the Professional Services Agreement for Miscellaneous Engineering Projects Inspections

G. Grants

- 1) #309 Authorizing the Application for a Brunswick Pike Streetscape Improvement Project Grant from the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs in the Amount of \$700,000
- 2) #313 Authorizing a Body Worn Camera Grant Application from the New Jersey Department of Law and Public Safety in the Amount of \$142,660

H. Miscellaneous

- 1) #310 Authorizing the Sale of Township-owned Property on Alcazar Avenue
- 2) #311 Authorizing the Partial Closing of Mayflower Avenue for a Neighborhood Block Party
- 3) #312 Authorizing the Partial Closing of Winthrop Road for a Neighborhood Block Party
- 4) #314 Authorizing the Partial Closing of Craven for the Main Street Fall Arts Festival
- 5) #316 Authorizing the Mayor to sign a Right-of-Way Agreement with Cablevision Lightpath, LLC
- 6) #317 Authorizing a Change in the Credit Card Convenience Fee
- 7) #322 Authorizing a Closed Session of Council Immediately Following the Regular Meeting to Discuss Contract Negotiations

19. Council Initiatives & Liaison Reports

20. Written Communications

21. Executive Session (if authorized)

22. Adjournment

Next Council Meeting

Tuesday, October 19, 2021

*with public participation

**no public participation can be made regarding Ordinance Introduction