

TOWNSHIP OF LOPATCONG
REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

6:30 PM Executive Session/7:30 PM Regular Session

December 1, 2021

Call to Order

Adopt Resolution to hold Executive Session:

1. Attorney/Client Privilege - Warehouse Litigation
2. Attorney/Client Privilege - Rent Stabilization

Prayer

Oath of Allegiance

Adequate notice of this meeting has been provided indicating the time and place of the meeting in accordance with Chapter 231 of the Public Laws of 1975 by advertising a Notice in The Star Ledger and The Express-Times and by posting a copy on the bulletin board in the Municipal Building.

Roll Call

Proclamation – Retired Chief of Police – Scott Marinelli

Public Comment - Agenda items.

Old Business:

1. Minutes – September 1, 2021 Executive and Regular Sessions.
2. Ordinance No. 21-10 – Second reading and public hearing to Establish/Adjust the Salaries, Retainers and Wage Rates.
3. Ordinance No. 21-12 – Second reading and public hearing to increase fees for Dog Licenses.
4. Ordinance No. 21-13 – Second reading and public hearing to increase fees for Certified Copies of Vital Records to \$15.00 each.
5. Ordinance No. 21-14 – Second reading and public hearing to Amend Chapter 101 “Dogs, Cats and Other Animals,” to Create Article VI “Chickens and Other Fowl,” to Regulate Keeping of Chickens and Other Fowl in the Township.

New Business:

1. Rotation of cars from Police Dept. to Construction Office and Fire Police.
2. Quotes for Cleaning Municipal Building Duct Work

Consent Agenda:

1. Resolution – Authorize Towers List for three years
2. Authorize payment of \$1,000 to Garden State Fireworks from Recreation Trust Account.
3. Approve Raffle License 21-04 and 21-05 for PHS Garnet Boosterettes.
4. Resolution – Authorize Clothing Allowance for certain active members of the Fire Departments.
5. Resolution – Authorize redemption of Tax Sale Certificate No. 2020-031 on Block 99, Lot 145 C0622 in the amount of \$533.66.
6. Resolution – Authorize redemption of Tax Sale Certificate No. 2020-025 on Block 93, Lot 3.01 in the amount of \$73,894.33, Premium \$123,000.00.
7. Resolution – Authorize Tax Overpayment for Block 2, Lot 29 in the amount of \$2,260.37.
8. Approve application to Fire Department No. 2 for Nolan Sweeney as recommended by Fire Chief LaFord.

Announcements – Year-end Council Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, December 29th.

Council Reports

Report of the Engineer

Report of Chief of Police

Approve Dept. Reports

Approve Payment of Bills

Audience Participation

Adjournment