

**AGENDA
BOROUGH OF BERGENFIELD
MAYOR AND COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING
JUNE 15, 2021
8:00 P.M.**

1. Meeting called to order at _____ p.m.

2. **OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT STATEMENT – Mayor Amatorio**

In compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act, the notice requirements have been satisfied. Meeting dates for the year are confirmed at the Annual Meeting. The Annual Notice is sent to the Record, Star Ledger, Twin Boro News, and Cablevision, placed on two Municipal Bulletin Boards and is on file in the Office of the Borough Clerk. In case of an emergency, exits are to the rear and your left. Please turn off all cell phones.

3. Roll Call:

Roll Call	Present	Absent
Councilman Lodato		
Councilman Deauna		
Councilman Marte		
Councilwoman Kornbluth		
Council President Rivera		
Councilman Pascual		
Mayor Amatorio		

4. Salute to the Flag

5. Agenda Changes – additions or revisions

6. Approval of Minutes

MOTION OFFERED by Council _____, **SECOND** by Council _____, to approve minutes of the May 18, 2021 Regular Public Meeting and May 18, 2021 Closed Session Meeting (not to be released). All present voting in favor ____.

7. Verbal Communications I

Mayor Amatorio opens the meeting and invites the public for comments on agenda items only and asks if anyone present wishes to be heard. Please be advised there will be a limit of five (5) minutes per speaker.

There being no one else who wishes to be heard, Mayor Amatorio closes Verbal Communications I.

8. Presentations

A. Hiring and Appointments

21-205/To Promote to Full-Time Laborer – Chris Brown (*Borough Administrator*)

MOTION OFFERED by Council _____ **SECOND** by Council _____

Roll Call	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent	Recuse
LODATO					
DEAUNA					

MARTE					
KORNBLUTH					
RIVERA					
PASCUAL					
AMATORIO (tie)					

21-206/To Hire Part-Time Summer Laborers (*Borough Administrator*)

MOTION OFFERED by Council _____ **SECOND** by Council _____

Roll Call	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent	Recuse
LODATO					
DEAUNA					
MARTE					
KORNBLUTH					
RIVERA					
PASCUAL					
AMATORIO (tie)					

21-207/To Hire Full-Time Police Department Telecommunicator – Yazeed Abdelaziz (*Chief Rabbah*)

MOTION OFFERED by Council _____ **SECOND** by Council _____

Roll Call	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent	Recuse
LODATO					
DEAUNA					
MARTE					
KORNBLUTH					
RIVERA					
PASCUAL					
AMATORIO (tie)					

9. Correspondence

a) Rainey/Bergenfield Clean Communities

RE: Request to Reserve Memorial Park for Litter Cleanup with Cub Scout Pack 95/Friday, July 2, 2021/10:00 a.m.

MOTION OFFERED by Council _____, **SECOND** by Council _____, to approve Correspondence Item A. All present voting in favor _____.

10. Ordinances

A. Adoption of Ordinance

The following ordinance published herewith was re-introduced by title only on May 18, 2021 and posted on the bulletin board of the municipal center.

ORDINANCE 21-2576 – AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED “COMMERCIAL AND RECREATIONAL VEHICLE PARKING” THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE BOROUGH OF BERGENFIELD

Public Comments on Ordinance #21-2576.

MOTION OFFERED by Council _____ **SECOND** by Council _____

Roll Call	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent	Recuse
LODATO					
DEAUNA					
MARTE					
KORNBLUTH					
RIVERA					
PASCUAL					
AMATORIO (tie)					

B. Introduction of Ordinance

Motion that the following ordinances be introduced and passed on first reading and setting Tuesday, July 20, 2021 at 8:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard as the date and time and the Council Chambers of the Bergenfield Borough Hall as the place for a hearing on said ordinance.

ORDINANCE 21-2582 - AN ORDINANCE AMENDING STORM WATER CONTROL IN THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF BERGENFIELD

MOTION OFFERED by Council _____ **SECOND** by Council _____

Roll Call	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent	Recuse
LODATO					
DEAUNA					
MARTE					
KORNBLUTH					
RIVERA					
PASCUAL					
AMATORIO (tie)					

11. Consent Agenda

CONSENT RESOLUTION 21-208. All matters listed below are considered by the Governing Body to be routine in nature. There will be no separate discussion of these items. If any discussion is desired by the Governing Body, that item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered separately.

- a. **21-209**/To Approve Bill List
- b. **21-210**/To Approve Carnival Application – St. John the Evangelist Church – September 21, 2021 to September 25, 2021 *(Borough Clerk)*
- c. **21-211**/To Approve Raffle Applications – RA 1368 and RA 1369 *(Borough Clerk)*
- d. **21-212**/To Approve Liquor License Renewals for 2021-2022 License Term *(Borough Clerk)*
- e. **21-213**/To Hire Part-time Summer Interns *(Borough Administrator)*
- f. **21-214**/To Accept Resignation – Tax Clerk *(Borough Administrator)*
- g. **21-215**/To Authorize Estimated Tax Bills *(Tax Collector)*
- h. **21-216**/To Approve Cancellation of Capital Balances *(CFO)*
- i. **21-217**/To Approve Tax Refund – 35 Sussex Road *(Tax Collector)*
- j. **21-218**/To Approve Tax Refund – 230 Merritt Avenue *(Tax Collector)*
- k. **21-219**/To Approve Insertion of Special Item of Revenue in the 2021 Budget (Chapter 159) – SFY'21 Body Worn Camera Grant *(CFO)*
- l. **21-220**/To Approve Insertion of Special Item of Revenue in the 2021 Budget (Chapter 159) – Clean Communities Grant *(CFO)*

- m. **21-221**/To Approve Grant Cancellation – 2019 Pedestrian Safety Grant (CFO)
- n. **21-222**/To Approve Capital Purchase – New Toro Mower/Power Trac Snow Cat – Storr Tractor Company (Borough Administrator)
- o. **21-223**/To Approve Purchase – Tub Grinder – Deacon Equipment Company, Inc. (Borough Administrator)
- p. **21-224**/To Approve Capital Purchase – Two (2) 2022 Ford F-350 4X4 Trucks – United Ford LLC (Borough Administrator)
- q. **21-225**/To Authorize Capital Purchase – Two (2) 2021 Utility Interceptor Vehicles – Chas S. Winner/TJH Chevrolet (Borough Administrator)
- r. **21-226**/To Reject Bid and Authorize Rebid – Lease of Real Property – Tennis Courts (Borough Administrator)
- s. **21-227**/To Approve Amendment 1 to Professional Services Agreement - 2020 Road Program – Remington & Vernick Engineers (Borough Administrator)
- t. **21-228**/To Renew Agreement – Elevator Inspector (Borough Administrator)
- u. **21-229**/To Authorize Bid – 2021 Roads Program (Borough Administrator)
- v. **21-230**/To Authorize Bid – Anderson Avenue (Borough Administrator)

MOTION OFFERED by Council _____ **SECOND** by Council _____

Roll Call	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent	Recuse
LODATO					
DEAUNA					
MARTE					
KORNBLUTH					
RIVERA					
PASCUAL					
AMATORIO (tie)					

12. Unfinished Business

- A. Donation of Fire Trucks (Mayor Amatorio)

13. New Business

- A. Presentation – Proclamation in Honor of Food Pantry Donation
- B. Public Hearing on Grant Application
 - ❖ 2021 New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection Green Acres Grants Program Application (Grant Consultants)
 - 1. Public Comments on the Grant Application
 - 2. **Resolution 21-231**/To Authorize Submission of a 2021 NJDEP Green Acres Grant Application for Park Developments

MOTION OFFERED by Council _____ **SECOND** by Council _____

Roll Call	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent	Recuse
LODATO					
DEAUNA					
MARTE					
KORNBLUTH					
RIVERA					
PASCUAL					
AMATORIO (tie)					

14. Committee/Department Reports

MOTION offered by Council President Rivera that the Committee/Department Reports be spread upon the minutes in full and filed. **SECOND** by _____. All in favor_____.

15. Verbal Communications II

Mayor Amatorio opens the meeting to Verbal Communications II and invites the public to comment on any subject matter, limited to five (5) minutes per speaker.

There being no one else who wishes to be heard, Mayor Amatorio closes Verbal Communications II.

16. Council Comments

17. Closed Session

RESOLUTION **21-232**/Authorizing the Governing Body to Enter into Closed Executive Session to discuss:

- A. Attorney-Client Privilege
 - 1. PBA Local 309 Update
 - 2. Personnel Matters

Motion Offered by Council_____ **Second** by Council_____ All in favor_____.

18. Return to Open Session

Motion Offered by Council_____ **Second** by Council_____ All in favor_____.

19. Adjournment

There being no further business before the Mayor and Council, on a **MOTION** offered by _____, **SECOND** by _____, the meeting is adjourned at _____ p.m. All in favor_____.