

BOROUGH OF WATCHUNG

COUNCIL AGENDA

APRIL 16, 2020 - 7:30 P.M.

(THIS MEETING IS GOING TO BE A VIRTUAL MEETING- SEE SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS BELOW ON HOW TO PARTICIPATE.)

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Agenda is available for download from the Borough website or will be emailed upon request. You may request a copy of the agenda by emailing jdamoto@watchjungenj.gov

MAYOR'S STATEMENT: Under the provisions of N.J.S.A.10:4-6 et seq., notice of the time and place of this meeting was given by way of the Annual Meeting Notice to the to the Courier News, Echoes Sentinel, and Star Ledger, and posted at Borough Hall.

SALUTE TO THE FLAG and a MOMENT OF SILENCE FOR OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN, SERVING HOME AND ABROAD.

ROLL CALL:

Robinson [] Black [] Goodloe [] Eisenberg Knegten [] Jubin [] Martino []

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES:

1. Administration & Finance
2. Police
3. Public Works / Buildings and Grounds
4. Public Affairs:
 - Environmental
 - Recreation
 - Historical
 - Board of Health

5. Fire
6. Laws/Ordinances

REPORTS - OTHER:

7. Engineer
8. Police Chief
9. Fire Department
10. Rescue Squad
11. Emergency Management
12. Attorney
13. Clerk
14. Administrator

During the conduct of the meeting, unless a Public Hearing is held or the Regular Order of Business is waived, the audience does not participate. A Public Portion is held prior to action taken on Agenda items for agenda item discussion only, and another Public Portion is held at the end of the meeting for general discussion. Individuals commenting from the audience will be limited to three minutes per person, and will not be permitted to speak again until everyone has had an opportunity to speak. If a group is represented by an attorney, the attorney will be given five minutes to make the presentation for the group.

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PUBLIC PORTION / AGENDA ITEMS ONLY

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS

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NEW BUSINESS

CONSENT AGENDA: Matters listed within the Consent Agenda have been referred to members of the Borough Council for reading and study, are considered to be routine and will be enacted by one motion of the Council. If separate discussion is desired, the item may be removed from the Consent Agenda by Council action.

Approval of the following Council minutes:

March 19, 2020 – Regular Meeting (Virtual)
April 9, 11, 2020 – Special Meetings (Virtual)

Acknowledging Receipt of the following Borough Reports:

Fire Prevention Report – March, 2020

Acknowledging Receipt of the following Correspondence:

#16- Township of Scotch Plains 4/13/20 Notice of Public Hearing on Proposed Ordinances 20-9, 10, 11
Creating inclusionary overlay zones in compliance with the Township’s Affordable Housing Obligation
C: M & C, JD, Pl. Bd

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CONSENT AGENDA RESOLUTIONS: The resolutions listed below were submitted to the Governing Body for review and will be adopted by one motion.

R1:04/16/20 Authorize Revocable License Agreement – 82 Ellisen Road

R2: Authorize Submission of Grant Application – Somerset County Cultural & Heritage
Commission / History Partnership
Prog.

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NON-CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS: Items listed below will be individually addressed and acted upon accordingly. Council reserves the right to refer an item to Committee for further review and discussion.

R3: Payment of Bills

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PUBLIC PORTION - GENERAL DISCUSSION

R4: Executive Session: Personnel

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ADJOURNMENT

The next Regular meeting of the Mayor and Council is scheduled to be held on May 7, 2020 at 7:30 P.M. and the next Special Virtual Meeting is scheduled for April 17, 2020 at 6:30 PM.