

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AGENDA

A REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORANGE TOWNSHIP HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL, 29 NORTH DAY STREET, ORANGE, NEW JERSEY, ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2016, IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE CONFERENCE MEETING.

1) PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

2) ROLL CALL

		PRESENT	ABSENT
Hon. Kerry J. Coley	(East-Ward)	_____	_____
Hon. Elroy A. Corbitt	(At-Large)	_____	_____
Hon. Tency A. Eason	(North-Ward)	_____	_____
Hon. Harold J. Johnson, Jr.	(West-Ward)	_____	_____
Hon. Jamie Summers-Johnson	(South-Ward)	_____	_____
Hon. Donna K. Williams	(At-Large)	_____	_____
Hon. April Gaunt-Butler	(At-Large)	_____	_____
Council President			

ALSO PRESENT

Joyce L. Lanier, City Clerk	_____	_____
Hon. Dwayne D. Warren, Esq., Mayor	_____	_____
Dan S. Smith, City Attorney	_____	_____
Kenneth Douglas, Director of Fire	_____	_____
Marty Mayes, Acting Business Administrator	_____	_____
Adrian Mapp, Director of Finance	_____	_____
John Wade, Acting Police Director	_____	_____
Joy Lascari, Chief Financial Officer	_____	_____
Kevin D. Harris, Legislative Research Officer	_____	_____
Margarette Homere, Clerk's Office	_____	_____

3) The City Clerk announces that the requirement of N.J. S.A. 10:4-9 et. seq., "Sunshine Law" has been met. A notice of this meeting was sent to the Star Ledger and published in the Record-Transcript on July 16, 2015, posted on the Bulletin Board in City Hall and filed in the Office of the City Clerk.

4) APPROVAL OF MINUTES MEETINGS

December 15, 2015- Conference & Regular Minutes

Motion to adopt:

Second:

January 5, 2016- Conference & Regular Minute

Motion to adopt:

Second:

5) **REPORTS:**

DEPARTMENT MONTHLY REVENUE COLLECTION - None

CONSTABLE REPORTS- - None

OPRA REQUESTS - None

COUNCIL REPORTS - Council President directs Clerk to file reports

6) **COMMUNICATIONS AND PETITIONS** - None

7) **CITIZEN COMMENTS ON GENERAL ISSUES/AGENDA ITEMS**

PURSUANT TO SECTION 4-10 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF ORANGE TOWNSHIP, EACH PERSON ADDRESSING THE COUNCIL SHALL STEP UP TO THE MICROPHONE, SHALL GIVE HIS OR HER NAME AND ADDRESS IN AN AUDIBLE TONE FOR THE RECORD, AND UNLESS FURTHER TIME IS GRANTED BY THE PRESIDING OFFICER SHALL LIMIT HIS OR HER ADDRESS TO FIVE (5) MINUTES.

THE PUBLIC IS EXPECTED TO CONDUCT THEMSELVES IN A PROPER MANNER, ANY DEROGATORY, ABUSIVE OR THREATENING STATEMENTS WILL NOT BE PERMITTED. THE CHAIR WILL IMMEDIATELY RULE SUCH CONDUCT OUT OF ORDER AND TERMINATE ANY FURTHER COMMENTS.

Motion to Close Citizen Comments:

Second:

8) **COUNCIL COMMENTS**

9) **ORDINANCES–SECOND READING/PUBLIC HEARING**

1-2016 An ordinance to amend the Code of the City of Orange Township, Chapter 200 entitled “Vehicles and Traffic”, Section 200-52-1 Handicapped Parking Spaces (239 North Center Street)

a) Motion to close Citizen comments: Second:

b) Motion for final adoption: Second:

2-2016 An ordinance to amend the Code of the City of Orange Township, Chapter 200, Entitled ‘Vehicles and Traffic’, Section 200-33 No Parking Certain Hours on Watchung Avenue.

a) Motion to close Citizen comments: Second:

b) Motion for final adoption: Second:

3-2016 An ordinance adopting the Vose Avenue Redevelopment Plan

- a) **Motion to close Citizen comments: Second:**
- b) **Motion for final adoption: Second:**

5-2016 An ordinance amending and supplementing Chapter 150 of the Municipal Code of the City of Orange Township entitle “Peace And Good Order” by creating Chapters regulating the sale of toys gun. (Sponsored by Council Member April Gaunt-Butler)

- a) **Motion to close Citizen comments: Second:**
- b) **Motion for final adoption: Second:**

10) ORDINANCES INTRODUCTION/ FIRST READING

8-2016 An ordinance to amend the Code of the City of Orange Township, Chapter 88-1 entitled fees for certificates of occupancy (Sales Inspections)

- a) **Motion to adopt on first reading: Second:**
- b) **Public hearing March 1, 2016**

11) CONSENT AGENDA

ALL ITEMS LISTED WITH AN ASTERISK (*) ARE CONSIDERED TO BE ROUTINE BY THE CITY COUNCIL AND WILL BE ENACTED BY ONE MOTION. THERE WILL BE NO SEPARATE DISCUSSION OF THESE ITEMS UNLESS A COUNCIL MEMBER SO REQUESTS, IN WHICH EVENT, THE ITEM WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE GENERAL ORDER OF BUSINESS AND CONSIDERED IN ITS NORMAL SEQUENCE OF THE AGENDA.

RESOLUTIONS POSPONED FROM JANUARY 19, 2016 REGULAR MEETING

- *15-2016 A resolution authorizing the City of Orange Township to fix the rate of interest to be charged on delinquent taxes and other municipal charges.**
- *16-2016 A resolution authorizing amnesty to waive interest for property taxes, water charges & sewer charges from 3/1/16 to 3/31/16 and 4/1/16 to 4/30/16.**
- *17-2016 A resolution for the Transfer of Appropriation reserves.**

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- *19-2016 A resolution rescinding Resolution 12-2016 appointing Joe Jones as a Constable for the City of Orange Township.**
- *20-2016 A resolution authorizing the cancellation of outstanding checks.**

- *21-2016** A resolution authorizing the City of Orange Township to accept a donation of a permanent prescription disposal box. (Sponsored by Council President April Gaunt-Butler)
- *22-2016** A resolution authorizing the one year of contract for professional Service of Joseph A. Garcia, Esq. of Chassan, Leyner & Lamparello, P.C. to serve as Special Legal Counsel to the Office of the City Clerk on Election Matters for the year 2016 (Sponsored by Council President April Gaunt-Butler)
- *23-2016** A resolution authorizing Lerch, Vinci & Higgins, LLP certified Municipal Accountants, 17-17 Route 208 , Fair Lawn, New Jersey 07410, to act as Budget Consultants to the City of Orange Township, New Jersey upon adoption of this resolution in an amount not to exceed \$ 35,000.00.
- *24-2016** A resolution authorizing payment to J. Keane Electric Company, Inc., 622 Schuyler Avenue, North Arlington, NJ 07031 for traffic signal repairs in an amount not to exceed \$4,124.32.
- *25-2016** A resolution authorizing the City of Orange Township to enter into an agreement with New Jersey Transit for the installation of maintenance of bus shelters.
- *26-2016** A resolution authorizing the City of Orange Township Director of Planning and Economic Development and Public Works to execute a Memorandum of Understanding with the City of East Orange to utilize Transportation, Community and System Preservation (TCSP) grant funding towards roadway safety enhancements on Freeway Drives East and West.
- *27-2016** A resolution authorizing approval to purchase 395 Main Street utilizing funds from the Department of Community Affairs for the development and creation of the Orange Senior and Youth Recreation Center for \$1,500,000.00
- *28-2016** A resolution mourning the passing and celebrating the life and Legacy of Jessie Jeffries, Jr. (Sponsored by the Orange Municipal Council)
- *29-2016** A resolution approving the bill list for council meeting vote on February 2, 2016 dated January 29, 2016 and approving checks issued by the Finance Department in accordance with Ordinance 2-95 (Grand Total: \$ 1,033,542.17)

- 12) MOTION TO ADOPT CONSENT AGENDA: SECOND:**
- 13) NEW BUSINESS**
- 14) OTHER PENDING BUSINESS**
- 15) MOTION TO ADJOURN SECOND:**

Adjournment Time: _____

PUBLIC NOTICE

The next City Council Conference & Regular Meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 16, 2016 in the Council Chambers, City Hall, 29 North Day Street, Orange, New Jersey at 7:00 P. M.