

LINWOOD COMMON COUNCIL
CAUCUS MINUTES
March 10, 2021

Councilwoman June Byrnes called the meeting to order at 6:02 P.M., noting that the meeting had been advertised in compliance with the requirements of the Open Public Meetings Act. And read the following statement: In light of the Governor's issuance of Executive Order 107, tonight's City Council meeting is being live streamed through Zoom. Instructions on how to attend the meeting via Zoom are posted on the City's website.

FLAG SALUTE

Councilman Eric Ford led the flag salute.

1. Roll Call

Present: Mayor Darren Matik; Councilwoman June Byrnes; Councilwoman Stacy DeDomenicis; Councilman Eric Ford; Councilman Todd Gordon (via live stream); Councilman Matt Levinson; and Council President Ralph Paolone (via live stream).

Absent: None.

Also Present: Joseph L. Youngblood, Jr., City Solicitor; Vince Polistina, City Engineer; Anthony Strazzeri, CFO (via live stream); Deputy Chief Jason Weber, Police Department; Lieutenant Steve Cunningham, Police Department; and Leigh Ann Napoli, Municipal Clerk.

2. Approval of Minutes Without Formal Reading

Councilman Ford motioned, seconded by Councilwoman DeDomenicis, to approve the minutes of the February 24, 2021 Caucus meeting without formal reading. All members of Council were in favor. Motion was approved.

3. Councilwoman DeDomenicis

A. Public Works

1. Councilwoman DeDomenicis announced the final amount of \$65,933 received through a recent GovDeals auction of consisting of old Public Works vehicles and equipment.

4. Councilman Ford

A. Planning, Engineering & Development

1. Councilman Ford discussed a Resolution on the agenda authorizing a refund of a Construction Permit for 10 Lake Drive.

5. Councilman Gordon

A. Planning, Engineering & Development

1. Councilman Gordon discussed an Ordinance on the agenda amending Chapter 238 Stormwater Management pursuant to DEP revised rules.

6. Council President Paolone

A. Public Safety

1. Councilwoman DeDomenicis advised that Council President Paolone will discuss a hiring criterion at an upcoming meeting.
2. Councilwoman DeDomenicis advised of a Resolution on the agenda extending a Contract for EMS with TriCare.
3. Councilwoman DeDomenicis motioned, seconded by Councilman Levinson, to add Resolution No. 64, 2021 authorizing the hiring of Justin Williams as a Special Class II Officer to the agenda. All members of Council were in favor. Motion was approved.

7. Council President Paolone

A. Administration

1. Council President Paolone advised of Resolutions on the agenda authorizing a Raffle License to Margate Education Foundation.
2. Council President Paolone advised of an Ordinance on the agenda for final reading amending Chapter 83 Alcoholic Beverages.
3. Council President Paolone discussed a Resolution on the agenda authorizing additional funds to Judge Richard Williams.

At 6:08 P.M., Councilwoman Byrnes adjourned the Caucus meeting and began the Regular meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Leigh Ann Napoli, RMC
Municipal Clerk