

**NORTH BRUNSWICK TOWNSHIP |
MINUTES....**

**REGULAR MEETING
May 30, 2023**

A regular meeting of the North Brunswick Township Council was held on Tuesday, May 30, 2023 at 7:00 pm in the North Brunswick Board of Education Meeting Room at Linwood School, 25 Linwood Place, North Brunswick, Middlesex County, New Jersey.

Council President Mehta called the meeting to order.

Roll call:

Present: Ms. Guadagnino, Messrs. Andrews, Socio and Meta
Absent: Ms. Hutchinson, Mr. Davis and Mayor Womack

Ms. Russo announced that the notice requirements of the law have been satisfied. Notices were sent by certified mail on May 23, 2023 to the following:

- a) The Home News Tribune
- b) Star Ledger
- c) North Brunswick Sentinel

Notice receipts are on file in the Municipal Clerk's Office. Also, notices were posted on the doors at the Municipal Complex and filed in the Municipal Clerk's Office.

Also present: Business Administrator Justine Progebin, Township Attorney Ron Gordon, Director of Department of Parks and Recreation Lou Ann Benson, Acting Director of Department of Public Works Steve Bloyed, Director Community Development Michael Hritz, Municipal Clerk Lisa Russo and Clerk 3 Nellie Sowell.

Councilman Davis lead the assembly in the Pledge of Allegiance

Council President Mehta asks council members if any items are to be removed from the Consent Agenda items ***a. through v.***

Council President Mehta called for a motion to approve ***items 4a. through 4v.*** on the consent agenda. Motion made by Councilman Socio seconded by Councilwoman Guadagnino.

Roll call:

Yays: Ms. Guadagnino, Messrs. Andrews, Socio and Mehta
Nays: None
Abstain: None
Absent: Ms. Hutchinson, Mr. Davis and Mayor Womack

Consent Agenda

- a. 169-5.23 Item of revenue in budget (Chapter 159): State of New Jersey Division Of Highway Traffic Safety Grant - \$7,000.00
- b. 170-5.23 Authorizing and confirming the appointment of Andrew Heuer to the Position of Class II Special Law Enforcement Officer
- c. 171-5.23 Authorizing and confirming the appointment of Class III Special Law Enforcement Officers

- d. 172-5.23 Authorizing the acceptance of the State of New Jersey, Hazardous Waste Administration 2020 Recycling Tonnage Grant - \$92,405.49
- e. 173-5.23 Designating the Alternate Fund Commissioner to the Garden State Municipal Joint Insurance Fund
- f. 174-5.23 Authorizing an Amendment to the 2023 Agreement with DeCotiis, Fitzpatrick, Cole & Giblin, LLP to serve as Municipal Labor Counsel
- g. 175-5.23 Confirming the application of the funds under the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs Grant Program towards the Municipal Complex Improvement Project
- h. 176-5.23 Authorizing a refund to Township Customers for their Water Sewer Utility Account
- i. 177-5.23 Item of revenue in budget (Chapter 159): NJ Hazardous Waste Administration 2020 Recycling Tonnage Grant - \$92, 405.49
- j. 178-5.23 Authorizing a Change In Scope to the PSA with CME Associates appointed as the 2023 Township Consulting Engineering Firm to include Construction Administration and Record Drawing Services for the 2023 Road Program
- k. 179-5.23 Authorizing an amendment to Contract BID19012 with National Water Main Cleaning Co. for Sewer Jet Vac Services
- l. 180-5.23 Authorizing an amendment to Contract BID22002 with IPL, North America Inc. For (up to 3,000) 95 Gallon Roll-Out Containers under the Department of Public Works
- m. 181-5.23 Confirming the appointment of Luciana Wheeler as Deputy Court Administrator For the Township of North Brunswick
- n. 182-5.23 Confirming the reappointment of Joseph Lombardi, Esq. as Municipal Court Judge for the Township of North Brunswick
- o. 183-5.23 Confirming the reappointment of Christine Heitmann as Municipal Court Judge For the Township of North Brunswick
- p. 184-5.23 Confirming the reappointment of Spero A. Kalambakas as Municipal Court Judge for the Township of North Brunswick
- q. 185-5.23 Authorizing the renewal of a portion of the Township's \$21,650,000 Bond Anticipation Notes, Series 2022A, Dated July 13, 2022, and authorizing Bond Anticipation Notes in the sum of \$21,350,000 authorized by Six Bond Ordinances heretofore adopted to finance various Capital Improvements in, and by and for the Township of North Brunswick, County of Middlesex, New Jersey, and providing for other details of said issue
- r. 186-5.23 Authorizing the renewal of Liquor Licenses for 2023-2024 in the Township of North Brunswick
- s. 187-5.23 Authorizing the acceptance of the Sale of Auctioned Abandoned Motor Vehicles
- t. 188-5.23 Ratifying a Memorandum of Agreement between the Township of North Brunswick and the North Brunswick School Crossing Guards Association, Local 108 RWDSU/UFCW, AFL, CIO for the period of January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2025
- u. 189-5.23 Payment of Bills
- v. 190-5.23 Authorizing Budget Transfers for Fiscal Year 2023 Appropriations

Council President Mehta called for a motion to approve *item 5a* on the agenda Minutes/ Special Meeting/ May 8, 2023 so moved by Councilman Socio second by Councilwoman Guadagnino

Roll call:

Yays: Ms. Guadagnino, Messrs. Andrews, Socio and Mehta
Nays: None
Abstain: None
Absent: Ms. Hutchinson, Mr. Davis and Mayor Womack

Mayor Womack called for a motion to approve *item 5b* on the agenda Minutes/ Regular Council Meeting/ May 15, 2023 so moved by Councilwoman Guadagnino second by Councilman Socio

Roll call:

Yays: Ms. Guadagnino, Messrs. Andrews, Socio and Mehta
Nays: None
Abstain: None
Absent: Ms. Hutchinson, Mr. Davis and Mayor Womack

Ordinances/Second Reading/Public Hearing:

#23-11 – Bond Ordinance providing for Capital Improvements for and by the Township of North Brunswick, in the County of Middlesex, New Jersey, appropriating the aggregate amount of \$10,000,000 thereof and authorizing the issuance of \$9,500,000 in Bonds or Notes of the Township to finance part of the cost thereof

Council President Mehta opened the Public Hearing. No comments from the public.

Council President Mehta called for a motion to close Public Hearing so moved by Councilman Socio second by Councilwoman Guadagnino.

Roll call:

Yays: Ms. Guadagnino, Messrs. Andrews, Socio and Mehta
Nays: None
Abstain: None
Absent: Ms. Hutchinson, Mr. Davis and Mayor Womack

Council President Mehta called for a motion to adopt Ordinance #23-11 So moved Councilwoman Guadagnino second by Councilman Socio that Ordinance #23-11 approved on second and final reading and referred to the Mayor for his action and then published in the June 2, 2023 issue of the Home News Tribune according to the Law. This ordinance is posted in the Municipal Complex, 710 Hermann Road, North Brunswick, Middlesex County, New Jersey and copies are available upon request.

Roll call:

Yays: Ms. Guadagnino, Messrs. Andrews, Socio and Mehta
Nays: None
Abstain: None
Absent: Ms. Hutchinson, Mr. Davis and Mayor Womack

Reports from Mayor, Council, Administrator, CFO

Councilman Socio makes announcement regarding Tunes at Twilight. Starting on June 9th at North Brunswick Township Community Park at 6:30Pm (flyer attached)

Councilman Socio announces Fathers Day Lunch on June 15 at the Senior Center starting at 1pm (flyer attached)

Councilman Socio announces the start of the North Brunswick Summer camp from June 26th to August 18th at Veterans Park. Call DPRCS for more information (flyer attached)

Councilman Socio announces MVC is coming to you! At the Senior Center on June 12th from 10am – 2pm. (flyer attached)

Municipal Clerks Russo announces the Primary Election Highlights. Primary Election is June 6, 2023. Unaffiliated voters will not receive a mail in ballot but can vote in person. Early voting will take place in different municipalities starting Friday June 2nd.

Council President Mehta opens the Public Hearing

Tony Nastus (North Brunswick resident) asked regarding several issues he feels are at specific locations in North Brunswick. Discussion continues between Mr. Nastus, Director Hritz and Township attorney Ron Gordon.

Councilwoman Guadagnino gives thanks to Director Benson for a wonderful job yesterday for Memorial Day.

Council President Mehta called for a motion to close Public Hearing, so moved by Councilman Socio second by Councilwoman Guadagnino.

Roll call:

Yays: Ms. Guadagnino, Messrs. Andrews, Socio and Mehta
Nays: None
Abstain: None
Absent: Ms. Hutchinson, Mr. Davis and Mayor Womack

Council President Mehta called for a motion to adjourn the meeting so moved by Councilman Socio second by Councilman Andrews.

Roll call:

Yays: Ms. Guadagnino, Messrs. Andrews, Socio and Mehta
Nays: None

Abstain: None
Absent: Ms. Hutchinson, Mr. Davis and Mayor Womack

Adjourn 7:20pm

Lisa Russo
Municipal Clerk

June 9th

Swing Sabroso & South Street Salsa



July 7th

After the Reign & Line Dancing



Tunes at Twilight

August 11th

The Verdict & Polynesian Dancers



Music

Family Fun

Food Trucks

North Brunswick Community Park Rt 130 6:30 pm

Sponsored by Township of North Brunswick and The Heritage Day Committee

"Grant funding has been provided by the Middlesex County Board of County Commissioners Through a grant award from the Middlesex County Cultural and Arts Trust Fund."



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(732) 247-0922 ext. 475

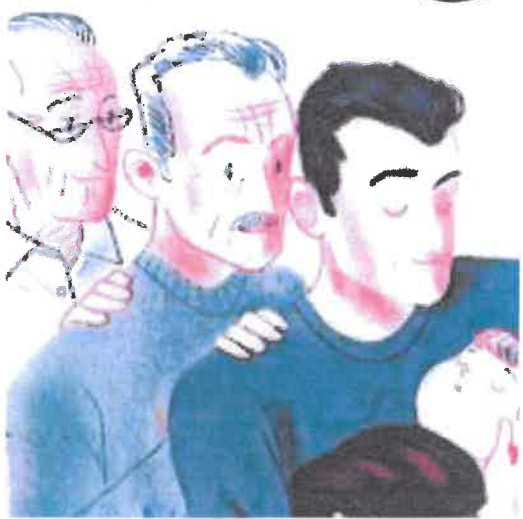


NORTH BRUNSWICK SENIOR CENTER & MOBILE FAMILY SUCCESS CENTER PRESENTS

Father's Day LUNCH

Thursday

JUNE 15, 2023 AT 1PM



Celebrating all Grandparents,
Dads, and positive male figures

In partnership with Mobile Family Success Center:
Light refreshments & Photo Booth will be available

15 Linwood Pl, North Brunswick
Township, NJ 08902

ADVANCE REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Township of North Brunswick Department of Parks, Recreation and Community Services

North Brunswick SUMMER CAMP

June 26 - August 18

Camp is held at Veterans Park



Rec Days: 7am-6pm \$275/1 week

Summer Camp: 8:30am-3pm \$220/1 week

Kindercamp 8:30am- 6:00 pm \$1380/6wks

AM Campcare: 7am-8:15am \$45/1 week

PM Campcare: 3pm-6pm \$65/1 week

For campers enter Kindergarten - 8th grade

Activities:
Swimming, Cooking,
Crafts, Games,
Science, trips
hours of fun!

Hurry!
Limited
Space

Call DPRCS
for more information

732 247 0922 x 475

Visit https://register.communitypass.net/reg/cat_program_list.cfm?season_id=28199

YOUR MVC IS COMING TO YOU!



Location:

TOWNSHIP of NORTH BRUNSWICK
SENIOR CENTER
15 LINWOOD PLACE
NORTH BRUNSWICK, NJ 08902

Date:

MONDAY JUNE 12, 2023

Time:

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

* Please note: Cancellations may occur due to weather conditions or at the discretion of the MVC over unforeseen circumstances.

OUR "AGENCY-ON-WHEELS" OFFERS ...

Driver Licenses

The Mobile Units provide the opportunity for drivers to renew their license, obtain a duplicate license, change their name or address on their license, add a boat endorsement, add a veteran designation, register to vote and/or make organ donation selections.

Non-Driver Identification Cards

The Mobile Units can provide residents with photo identification that may then serve as a primary or secondary form of personal ID.

Registrations

Drivers may renew their registration or obtain a duplicate registration card for their vehicle in the Mobile Units.

REAL ID

Mobile units can provide **REAL ID** to a limited number of customers. Customers that have scheduled appointments for **REAL IDs** must arrive no later than 11:30am, the day of appointment.

License Plates

The Mobile Units allow drivers the option to surrender license plates.

Placards

Drivers may obtain a Persons with a Disability, Purple Heart, or Disabled Veteran placard from the Mobile Units.

Examination Permits


Customers can apply for an examination permit to take a written (law/knowledge) test. However, the written test itself is not available in the Mobile Units.

PLEASE VISIT NJMVC.GOV FOR TEST LOCATIONS.




WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE

NJMVC Mobile Units are wheelchair accessible and easy for all to use.

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 instagram.com/njmvc/


New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission

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