

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 7, 2012 IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE CONFERENCE MEETING.

1) PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

2) ROLL CALL

	PRESENT	ABSENT
Hon. Hassan Abdul-Rasheed (West-Ward)	_____	_____
Hon. Elroy A. Corbitt (At-Large)	_____	_____
Hon. Linda Jones-Bell (East- Ward)	_____	_____
Hon. Edward B. Marable, Jr. (South-Ward)	_____	_____
Hon. Rayfield Morton (At-Large)	_____	_____
Hon. Donna K. Williams (At-Large)	_____	_____
Hon. Tency A. Eason (North-Ward)	_____	_____
Council President		

ALSO PRESENT

Shinell Smith, Deputy Clerk	_____	_____
Hon. Eldridge Hawkins, Jr., Mayor	_____	_____
Marvin T. Braker, City Attorney	_____	_____
Dwayne D. Warren, Legislative Research Officer	_____	_____
Valerie Jackson, Acting Deputy Director of Admin.	_____	_____
Shirley Bailey, Clerk's Office	_____	_____

3) The Deputy 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 Orange Transcript on July 14, 2011, posted on the Bulletin Board in City Hall and filed in the Office of the Municipal Clerk.

4) APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS

Executive (Closed) Session Meeting-December 19, 2011 (Amended)

Councilman Corbitt cannot vote, because he was not present

Motion to adopt: Second:

Executive (Closed) Session Meeting- December 20, 2011

Councilman Marable Jr., cannot vote because he was not present

Motion to adopt: Second:

Conference & Regular Meeting- January 3, 2012

Motion to adopt: Second:

Conference & Regular Meeting- January 17, 2012

Councilwoman Jones-Bell cannot vote, because she was not present

Motion to adopt:

Second:

5) REPORTS:

Opra request- Month of January 2012- 17 Completed, 10 outstanding

CONSTABLE REPORTS

None

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 IN AN AUDIBLE TONE FOR THE RECORD, AND UNLESS FURTHER TIME IS GRANTED BY THE PRESIDING OFFICER, SHALL LIMIT HIS OR HER ADDRESS TO TEN (10) 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

1-2012 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. (230 Washington Street- South- East)

a) Second reading by title

b) Motion to close public hearing:

Second:

c) Motion for final adoption

Second:

10) ORDINANCE INTRODUCTION /FIRST READING

3-2012 An ordinance authorizing an appropriation of \$24,000 from the Capital Improvement Fund for improvements to Oakwood Avenue for the installation of curb cuts, ramps, speed bumps and signage for and by the City of Orange Township in the County of Essex, New Jersey.

a) Motion to adopt on first reading:

Second:

b) Public hearing: March 6, 2012

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 NO. *28-2012-*42-2012

- *28-2012 A resolution approving the bill list dated January 25, 2012 and approving checks issued by the Finance Department in accordance with Ordinance 2-95 (PAGES 1-8, GRAND TOTAL: \$478,981.06)**
- *29-2012 A resolution authorization a lease agreement between the City of Orange Township and the County of Essex for use of property at the Orange Reservoir.**
- *30-2012 A resolution authorizing the Tax Collector to cancel third and fourth quarter 2011 and first and second quarter 2012 tax billing for Orange Township Board of Education, 149 Oakwood Avenue, Block 3302, Lot 012 in the amount of \$7,185.09 plus interest.**
- *31-2012 A resolution authorizing the refund of taxes due to state board judgments in the amount of \$71,306.13.**
- *32-2012 A resolution authorizing the first one-year extension of a contract with Emerald Cleaners, 422 Pleasant Valley Way, West Orange, New Jersey 07052 for dry cleaning uniforms for police department personnel in an amount not to exceed \$32,429.00 annually.**
- *33-2012 A resolution authorizing the renewal of a contract with Language Line Services, One Lower Ragsdale Drive, Monterey, California 93940-5747 to provide translation services for one (1) year for an amount not to exceed \$4,000.00.**
- *34-2012 A resolution authorizing the submission of an application to participate with the State of New Jersey in a safe and secure communities program administered by the Division of Criminal Justice, Department of Law and Public Safety.**
- *35-2012 A resolution authorizing the refund of certificate of habitability payment of \$100.00 due to change in rental status.**

- *36-2012** A resolution authorizing the City of Orange Township to subordinate its mortgage it holds on 504 Glebe Street to permit the property owner to refinance her first mortgage with JP Morgan Chase Bank, N.A.
- *37-2012** A resolution authorizing Change Order No. 1 from Smith-Sondy Asphalt Construction Co., Inc., 150 Alexander Avenue, Wallington, New Jersey 07057 for a decrease to the project known as the 2010 NJDOT Roadway Improvements to Cleveland Street, Fairview Avenue and New England Terrace to adjust the contract quantities to meet final as-built conditions in the amount of \$17,568.40.
- *38-2012** A resolution authorizing an addendum to Resolution #117-2010 to PS&S Integrating Design & Engineering, LLC, 67B Mountain Boulevard Extension, Warren, New Jersey 07059 for additional construction administrative and inspection services for the 2010 NJDOT roadway improvements to Cleveland Street (between Park Ave. – Lakeside Ave.), New England Terrace (between Lincoln Ave. – Scotland Rd.) and Fairview Avenue (between Lincoln Ave. – Scotland Rd.) in the amount not to exceed \$6,967.50.
- *39-2012** A resolution to allow filing of the 2011 year recycling tonnage grant.
- *40-2012** A resolution authorizing the awarding of a contract for the fence enclosure construction at Colgate Park Phase 2 to Z-Tech Contracting, Inc., 114 Baltusrol Road, Summit, New Jersey 07901 in the amount not to exceed \$79,440.00.
- *41-2012** A resolution re-appointing Clifford Ross, 420 Fairview Avenue, Orange New Jersey as a member of the Housing Authority of the City of Orange Township, New Jersey for a term of (5) years.
- *42-2012** A resolution ratifying and confirming selection of Stuart B. Klepesh, Esq., 25 Lindsey Drive, Morristown, New Jersey 07960-4454, to foreclosure upon property located at 351 Mechanic Street, Block 2701 Lot 20 and 355 Mechanic Street, Block 2701 Lot 21 in the amount not to exceed \$1,750.00.

MOTION TO ADOPT CONSENT AGENDA:

Second:

RESOLUTIONS TABLED FROM 11/14/2011 MEETING

- 308-2011** A resolution authorizing and appointing Crossing Guards in the City of Orange Township as Parking Enforcement Officers for the City.

Motion to lift from table:

Second:

MOTION TO ADOPT:

Second:

RESOLUTION TABLED FROM DECEMBER 20, 2011 REGULAR MEETING

- 345-2011** A resolution of the City of Orange Township Municipal Council regarding the Office of Emergency Management.

Motion to lift from table:

Second:

MOTION TO ADOPT:

Second:

12) OTHER PENDING BUSINESS

13) MOTION TO ADJOURN

Motion:

Second:

Adjournment Time: _____

PUBLIC NOTICE

The next City Council Conference & Regular Meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 21, 2012 in the Council Chambers, City Hall, 29 North Day Street, Orange, New Jersey at 7:00 PM.