

AGENDA
MAYOR AND COUNCIL
NOVEMBER 18, 2024

Council President Yeager to Call the Meeting to Order.

Council President Yeager to read the Open Public Meeting Statement.

Roll Call

Council President Yeager to request Roll Call:

Council President Yeager
Councilman Binkoski
Councilwoman Jones
Councilman Norton
Councilwoman Vasquez
Councilwoman Wickenheisser

Flag Salute

Council President Yeager to lead those present in the Salute to the American Flag.

Open to the Public

In accordance with Local Ordinance O-18-03, “Persons making public comment at the first public portion shall be limited to five (5) minutes. During the second public portion repetitive, irrelevant or excessive public comment in the interest of permitting all members of the public time to speak on any governmental issue and completing the public business within a reasonable period of time.”

Council President Yeager to open the meeting to the public. If you wish to be heard, please stand, stating your name and address.

Council President Yeager to close the meeting to the public.

Ordinance

Councilwoman Wickenheisser to introduce O-21-24, “An Ordinance Amending Chapter 315 of the Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of Wharton, County of Morris, State of New Jersey” on first reading, by title only.

Motion by _____ seconded by _____ to adopt O-21-24 on first reading.

ROLL CALL VOTE: YEA:	NAY:	ABSENT:	ABSTAIN:
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Council President Yeager to set the date of December 9, 2024 for second and final reading.

Ordinance

Councilman Binkoski to introduce O-22-24, “An Ordinance Amending Chapter 247 of the Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of Wharton, County of Morris, State of New Jersey” on first reading, by title only.

Motion by _____ seconded by _____ to adopt O-22-24 on first reading.

ROLL CALL VOTE: YEA:	NAY:	ABSENT:	ABSTAIN:
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Council President Yeager to set the date of December 9, 2024 for second and final reading.

Ordinance

Councilman Norton to introduce O-23-24, “An Ordinance Amending Chapter 330 of the Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of Wharton, County of Morris, State of New Jersey” on first reading, by title only.

Motion by _____ seconded by _____ to adopt O-23-24 on first reading.

ROLL CALL VOTE: YEA:	NAY:	ABSENT:	ABSTAIN:
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Council President Yeager to set the date of December 9, 2024 for second and final reading.

Ordinance

Councilwoman Jones to introduce O-24-24, “An Ordinance Amending Chapter 287 of the Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of Wharton, County of Morris, State of New Jersey” on first reading, by title only.

Motion by _____ seconded by _____ to adopt O-24-24 on first reading.

ROLL CALL VOTE: YEA:	NAY:	ABSENT:	ABSTAIN:
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Council President Yeager to set the date of December 9, 2024 for second and final reading.

Resolution

Councilwoman Vasquez to introduce R-166-24, “Resolution Authorizing a Person-to-Person and Place-to-Place Transfer of a Plenary Retail Consumption License.”

Motion by _____ seconded by _____ to adopt R-166-24.

ROLL CALL VOTE: YEA:	NAY:	ABSENT:	ABSTAIN:
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Consent Agenda

The following items are considered to be routine and non-controversial by the Mayor and Council and will be approved by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a council member or citizen so requests, in which case, the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered in a normal sequence on the agenda.

<p>Approval of Bills: Approve all bills referred to the Finance Committee Approval of Minutes: 10/21/24</p> <p>R-167-24: Payout Be’ R-168-24: Join National Co-Op R-169-24 Safe and Secure Application 2025 R-170-24: Approve Tax Overpayment Refund Block 201 Lot 25 Qualifier C093A R-171-24: Approve Tax Overpayment Refund Block 1703 Lot 8 R-172-24: Approve Addendum to Agreement with Wharton Borough Fraternal Order of Police R-173-24: Approve Amendment of Police Department Policy and Procedures Manual R-174-24: Budget Transfers R-175-24: Award Bid Baker Avenue Improvements Phase I R-176-24: Requesting Approval of Items of Revenue and Appropriations- New Jersey DOT 2024 Municipal Aid Phase III Improvements to Baker Avenue Grant R-177-24: Requesting Approval of Items of Revenue and Appropriations- New Jersey DOT 2025 Municipal Aid Phase IV Improvements to Baker Avenue Grant R-178-24: Requesting Approval of Items of Revenue and Appropriations New</p>

Jersey DOT 2022 Municipal Aid Improvements to Robert Street Grant

Appoint Acting Zoning/Housing Enforcement Official/Road Opening Official- Leon Stickle for the remainder of a one-year term to expire 12-31-24.

Motion by _____ seconded by _____ to approve all items listed on the Consent Agenda.

ROLL CALL VOTE: YEA: NAY: ABSENT: ABSTAIN:

Correspondence

- Notice of Ordinance Jefferson
- Notice of Ordinance Roxbury
- Notice of Hearing- SMCMUA

Council Reports

- Council President Yeager:
- Councilman Binkoski:
- Councilwoman Jones:
- Councilman Norton:
- Councilwoman Vasquez:
- Councilwoman Wickenheisser:

Mayor Chegwidden’s Report

Open to the Public

In accordance with Local Ordinance O-18-03, “The Mayor or Council President shall have the discretion to terminate any repetitive, irrelevant or excessive public comment in the interest of permitting all members of the public time to speak on any governmental issue and completing the public business within a reasonable period of time.”

Council President Yeager to open the meeting to the public, if you wish to be heard, please stand stating your name and address.

Council President Yeager to close the meeting to the public.

Closed Session

Councilman Binkoski to introduce R-179-24 to close the meeting to the public for discussion upon Personnel.

Motion by _____ seconded by _____ to approve R-179-24.

ROLL CALL VOTE: YEA: NAY: ABSENT: ABSTAIN:

Motion by _____ seconded by _____ to return to open session.

ROLL CALL VOTE: YEA: NAY: ABSENT: ABSTAIN:

Adjournment

Motion to adjourn by _____ seconded by _____