

Meeting Minutes
March 1, 2022

7:00 PM

Call to order

Roll Call

<i>Councilmember</i>	<i>Present</i>	<i>Absent</i>
<i>Councilman Anderson</i>	<i>X</i>	
<i>Councilwoman Perrone</i>	<i>X</i>	
<i>Councilwoman Worthy</i>	<i>X</i>	
<i>Deputy Mayor Whitfield</i>	<i>X</i>	
<i>Mayor McIntosh</i>	<i>X</i>	

Prayer - Tariq Chaudhri, Director of Public Affairs, AI – Nasr Mosque

Flag Salute – Township Clerk (Brenda Bligen)

Statement -

- **In compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act, this is to announce that adequate notice of this meeting was provided in the following manner:**

On January 10, 2022, advance written notice of this meeting was posted on the bulletin board in the Municipal Complex and was mailed to the Burlington County Times, the Intelligencer, and the Courier Times.

On January 10, 2022, advance written notice of this meeting was filed with the Township Clerk. The Clerk is directed to enter into the minutes of this meeting this public announcement.

PROCLAMATION –

Women’s History Month

MANAGER’S MUNICIPAL UPDATE -

- Newspaper
- Recreation Department – another successful Wall Street market expo on Feb. 26th
- March 7th – Police Department will have reaccreditation process
- Burlington County 200 Club – hosting 31st honor
- Senior Services began taking reservations for Free State and Federal Taxes – contact the Senior Center for more information
- Senior Center received donation of 65 wheelchairs from Disabled American Veterans – Ms. Foster redistributed the wheelchairs to needy organizations in Willingboro
- Streetlights – should be completed by early next week
- Ordinance 2021 – 1 – was tabled February 15, 2022
- Ordinance 2022 – 2
- Ordinance 2022 – 3
- Resolution 2022 – 40 – Skip
- Resolution 2022 – 41 – not to be considered (finalizing the numbers this will be deferred till March 15th)
- Resolution 2022 – 42 – not to be considered (finalizing the numbers this will be deferred till March 15th)
- Resolution 2022 – 43 brief highlight
- Resolution 2022 – 44 brief highlight
- Resolution 2022 – 45 brief highlight
- Resolution 2022 – 46 brief highlight
- Resolution 2022 – 47 brief highlight
- Resolution 2022 – 48 brief highlight

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- Resolution 2022 – 49 brief highlight
- Resolution 2022 – 50 brief highlight
- Resolution 2022 – 51 brief highlight
- Resolution 2022 – 52 brief highlight

Questions –

Councilwoman Perrone – I did review the introduction to the municipal budget, resolution 2022 – 40 is the introduction to the municipal budget. I do have questions; I know we do have two budget meetings coming up I am not sure if we ask questions now or wait till this presentation.

Mayor McIntosh – We can wait until Mr. Harris presentation and then we can discuss it during discussion when we go to that resolution.

Councilwoman Perrone – Okay, everything seems pretty clear so far. Thank you. I do not have any questions at this time.

Mayor McIntosh – Ok, Mr. Harris you can move onto the introduction.

Township Manager – Ok, I am going to go ahead and share my screen.

Introduction to Municipal Budget Presentation – done by Township Manager (Dwayne Harris)

Public Comment - *Agenda Items Only - 2 minutes*

Pat Lindsay Harvey 12 Hadley Lane

- Res. 2022 – 48 – Hiring outside person with license, how come all employees are not licensed?
- Budget – I did not see the library budget

Martin Nock Windsor Lane

- Res. 2022 – 51 - What percentage of delinquent tax collections are we at?
- Budget – Page 93, Tax of our properties, exempt properties and taxpayers receiving deductions for tax duplicate, 364 properties that are miscellaneous that are exempt, council needs to look at the budget

Grover McKenzie 34 Eden Rock Lane

- Res. 2022 – 44 – Thank you and good work on the 1% decrease on recycling cost
- Res. 2022 – 46 – Thank you for the work that township is doing to reduce the deductible related to insurance for employees
- Res. 2022 – 50 – Has the township conserved with the school district superintendent and/or school district business administrator?
- Budget – The cuts they add up, hesitant about moving security under the police department
- Why does the Police department need the money (increase)?

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Sarah Holley

Tioga Lane

- I am happy to see that the Communication department is under the new township manager, hopefully we the community will know what the role and responsibility are of the Communications department because we do not normally see anything from them
- In the budget under communications, are we paying another entity to handle township communication?
- Trash pickup – Included in the budget is their provision for additional trash pickup or are we staying with one day one can?
- Township Clerk – Where in the budget is the \$20,000 that you voted to give the township clerk after you came out of executive session at the last meeting?

**Public Comment on Agenda Items closed*

Township Manager Addresses Public Comment on Agenda Items

- For Ms. Lindsay – Harvey question, as I stated I did not cover all of the departments in all of the areas. The library is included in this budget and that will be part of the total information that the governing body has. That was just a cursory overview it was not by any means complete and detailed just an explanation to how we got to where we were and where we were as far as the municipal proposed rate for 2022.
- Mr. Nock did ask a question regarding the exemptions on the report that he looked at on the website, a lot of those exemptions that he may be looking at could be veteran exemptions, I do not know what specifically he was looking at because those are not the numbers I presented. He did ask what the collection rate is in Willingboro, our collection rate is 96.7% which is exceptionally good. We will be having a conversation with our tax collector to see how we can get that up in 2022. Those half of the percent equate to big dollars.
- Someone had asked about the school tax deferral; the school tax deferral has no implication on the school's budget. They get every penny that is taxed, that is more of a benefit to the municipal side because school taxes are not paid until June 30th of the subsequent year. They work on a physical year while the municipality runs on a calendar year, so their year goes from July 1st to June 30th then we take school taxes at the end of the school year. When you are talking about appropriation, we take half of that and appropriating into nearly the taxes that's actually payable instead of putting an appropriation in full on the line item. It does not affect the school.
- Mr. McKenzie the security department is still under IT, so their money is still incorporated with IT figures. The new \$5,000 increase that they did get in their budget has no relation to IT's movement into their department although they are overseeing the functions of the security department that does not mean that they are going to have spending powers over their budgets. It was not a budgetary issue that prompted me to move over that it was more oversight and professionally efficiencies.
- Ms. Holley the trash collection is currently under contract. Once that contract expires then the township has the ability to negotiate a new contract or going to be again for the additional providers. The second cans are available if anyone wants to come in and purchase one.

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Mayor McIntosh – There is an additional cost for a second trash can but no additional cost to pick up the trash can. It is \$75 and there is no other payment for collection. Mr. Taylor, am I allowed to address the \$20,000?

Solicitor – I think the question is simply is it in the budget. That is a personal matter that Mr. Harris identifies where it maybe in the budget, probably not a separate line item it is under salaries, but I prefer the end.

Township Manager – It is in the budget under salary and wages for Clerk's Department.

Mayor McIntosh – Can we explain what was done? Also, the comment was under the cloak of darkness, and I just wanted to make sure that is cleared up that it was not done under the cloak of darkness.

Solicitor – Sure Mayor, pursuing to the public means the council did pass the appropriate resolution to go into closing executive session and to discuss matters and personnel at the last council meeting in furtherance of that resolution council did indicate that action would be taken or maybe taken into public session so the action that was taken and the subjects discussed were appropriate under law.

Mayor McIntosh – I also wanted to circle back on Ms. Lindsay – Harvey's question about the library not being in the budget, we are going to breakdown the budget by departments, so we are going to have special meetings throughout this month and starting today we did the introduction to the budget.

Township Manager – Mayor, I am also going to create detailed budget books for council which you will have all of the numbers, department requests and all of their intended spending. They are being prepared.

Council Comment on Public Comment –

Deputy Mayor Whitfield – Mr. Harris can you reiterate the comment about inspections official, you stated it, but a question did come up?

Township Manager – The services that the one gentleman provided is a band-aid service. There was a need that needed to be met. I do not think it is a good idea to have all of those elements sitting with one individual. We are looking for employees who are ready, willing, and able to obtain the additional certifications and we will support them in that process.

Councilwoman Perrone - Based off the presentation and Mr. Harris statement, I will wait for my questions when he finalizes the budget with itemized details.

ORDINANCE

Ord 2022 – 1 – Mr. Solicitor can we make a motion to retable that, I believe we are going to retable that instead of taking it off the table (Township Clerk).

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Solicitor (Mr. Taylor) – I agree with that.

Ord 2022 – 1 **TABLED APRIL 5, 2022** *ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WILLINGBORO, IN THE COUNTY OF BURLINGTON, NEW JERSEY PROVIDING FOR THE RE-APPROPRIATION OF \$153,760.21 IN UNUSED DEBT AUTHORIZATIONS NOT NEEDED FOR THEIR ORIGINAL PURPOSES IN ORDER TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER PURPOSES AS LISTED BELOW*

I need a motion to retable this for April 5, 2022

Councilmember	Motion	2nd	Yea	Nay	Recuse	Abstain	Absent
<i>Councilman Anderson</i>	X		X				
<i>Councilwoman Perrone</i>			X				
<i>Councilwoman Worthy</i>		X	X				
<i>Deputy Mayor Whitfield</i>			X				
<i>Mayor McIntosh</i>			X				

Ordinance 2022 – 2 *ORDINANCE TO EXCEED THE MUNICIPAL BUDGET APPROPRIATION LIMITS AND TO ESTABLISH A CAP BANK*

I need a motion

Councilmember	Motion	2nd	Yea	Nay	Recuse	Abstain	Absent
<i>Councilman Anderson</i>	X		X				
<i>Councilwoman Perrone</i>			X				
<i>Councilwoman Worthy</i>		X	X				
<i>Deputy Mayor Whitfield</i>			X				
<i>Mayor McIntosh</i>			X				

Ord 2022 – 3 *AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF Willingboro AMENDING THE TOWNSHIP CODE CHAPTER S 3-61, ENTITLED “POLICE DEPARTMENT” “Qualifications of Members” TO PROVIDE EXEMPTIONS FROM THE CIVIL SERVICE TEST REQUIREMENT TO OFFICERS WHO HAVE COMPLETED A STATE-APPROVED TRAINING COURSE*

I need a motion

Councilmember	Motion	2nd	Yea	Nay	Recuse	Abstain	Absent
<i>Councilman Anderson</i>	X			X			
<i>Councilwoman Perrone</i>				X			
<i>Councilwoman Worthy</i>		X		X			
<i>Deputy Mayor Whitfield</i>				X			

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Mayor McIntosh				X			
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Discussion –

Councilwoman Worthy – What contributes to individuals not being able to pass the civil service exam versus just waiving the requirement altogether? From what I read, it has been lack of access to study materials, it has been lack of preparation due to not understanding the point of the exam, rigorous nature of the exam.

Deputy Mayor Whitfield – How many times a year are the civil service exams offered?

Township Manager – The civil service is administered by the Civil Service Agency. I do not know that there is a required or specific number of times. Civil Service communities are the ones bound to the list.

Councilwoman Perrone – I think it is important we create and keep standards, I would not like to see that eliminated from the process of becoming a police officer, they are there to protect our people, it just lowers our standards as far as Willingboro’s concern.

Councilman Anderson – I would not like to see the civil service portion removed especially when it comes to our own community here, I don’t want to settle for less I want us to have the best of the best and I think it’s another tool to allow us to see where they ranked and where they fell in place at.

Captain Bucs – The civil service test is given every two year. This amendment is not to get rid of the civil service exam, we would still be a civil service town, we would still use the civil service list to hire our officers. This would just give us another option to hire outside of the civil service list. An example would be where a person works for another municipality, they live in town, and they want to work for Willingboro. One of the processes that has to happen is called an inner governmental transfer so both agencies have to agree to allow... we would have to agree to accept that person from the agency that officer would come from, and we would have to agree to let that officer come to us. This would give us another option if a resident is interested, and they are not on the civil service list.

Deputy Mayor Whitfield – Captain Bucs is there a possibility or opportunity to maintain the requirement for the civil service exam but maybe allow it later in the process so if someone has put themselves through the police academy and maybe they didn’t send their scores to Willingboro and they’re not on our list, is it possible that they can send it to us at a later date or take the exam and the hiring be contingent upon their passing of the exam?

Captain Bucs – They would not be able to get on our list. They would not be able to take the exam two years from now. We give the test every two years.

Councilwoman Perrone – But everyone takes the exam, everyone has taken the exam at some different place?

Captain Bucs – It depends.

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Councilman Anderson		X	X				
Councilwoman Perrone			X				
Councilwoman Worthy	X		X				
Deputy Mayor Whitfield			X				
Mayor McIntosh			X				

Res 2022 – 44 *RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TOWNSHIP TO APPLY FOR THE 2021 RECYCLING TONNAGE GRANT*

I need a motion

Councilmember	Motion	2nd	Yea	Nay	Recuse	Abstain	Absent
Councilman Anderson	X		X				
Councilwoman Perrone			X				
Councilwoman Worthy		X	X				
Deputy Mayor Whitfield			X				
Mayor McIntosh			X				

Res 2022 – 45 *RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE FUNDING OF WILLINGBORO TOWNSHIP'S SHARE OF THE MACCS CONTRACT*

I need a motion

Councilmember	Motion	2nd	Yea	Nay	Recuse	Abstain	Absent
Councilman Anderson		X	X				
Councilwoman Perrone			X				
Councilwoman Worthy	X		X				
Deputy Mayor Whitfield			X				
Mayor McIntosh			X				

Res 2022 – 46 *RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WILLINGBORO ADOPTING THE JIF/MEL APPROVED PERSONNEL POLICIES & PROCEDURES MANUAL AND EMPLOYEE HANDBOOK*

I need a motion

Councilmember	Motion	2nd	Yea	Nay	Recuse	Abstain	Absent
Councilman Anderson		X	X				
Councilwoman Perrone			X				
Councilwoman Worthy	X		X				
Deputy Mayor Whitfield			X				
Mayor McIntosh			X				

Res 2022 – 47 *GOVERNING BODY CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE UNITED STATES EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION'S "Enforcement Guidance on the Consideration of Arrest and Conviction Records*

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in Employment Decisions Under Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964”

I need a motion

Councilmember	Motion	2nd	Yea	Nay	Recuse	Abstain	Absent
Councilman Anderson	X		X				
Councilwoman Perrone		X	X				
Councilwoman Worthy			X				
Deputy Mayor Whitfield			X				
Mayor McIntosh			X				

Res 2022 – 48

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A NON-FAIR AND OPEN CONTRACT FOR MULTI-LICENSED UNIFORM CONSTRUCTION CODE INSPECTOR (UCC)

I need a motion

Councilmember	Motion	2nd	Yea	Nay	Recuse	Abstain	Absent
Councilman Anderson	X		X				
Councilwoman Perrone			X				
Councilwoman Worthy		X	X				
Deputy Mayor Whitfield			X				
Mayor McIntosh			X				

Discussion –

Councilwoman Worthy - I do look forward to having our employees achieve these certifications, I am interested in our administration taking steps to get our employees certified

Councilman Anderson – It is also my understanding we have two employees currently looking to seek their license, we have two employees that are already in the process

Councilwoman Perrone – Township Manager Mr. Harris, if you can just make sure to speak to the employees that are interested or seeking to take these certifications that they receive, would like to see more residents be hired as employees

Res 2022 – 49

AUTHORIZING PHASE II OF THE ENERGY SAVINGS IMPROVEMENT PLAN WITH SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC

I need a motion

Councilmember	Motion	2nd	Yea	Nay	Recuse	Abstain	Absent
Councilman Anderson	X		X				
Councilwoman Perrone			X				
Councilwoman Worthy			X				
Deputy Mayor Whitfield		X	X				
Mayor McIntosh			X				

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Res 2022 – 50 *RESOLUTION FOR DEFERRED SCHOOL TAXES*

I need a motion

<i>Councilmember</i>	<i>Motion</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>Recuse</i>	<i>Abstain</i>	<i>Absent</i>
<i>Councilman Anderson</i>	X		X				
<i>Councilwoman Perrone</i>			X				
<i>Councilwoman Worthy</i>		X	X				
<i>Deputy Mayor Whitfield</i>			X				
<i>Mayor McIntosh</i>			X				

Discussion –

Mayor McIntosh – Former Mayor Nock had made a comment about the percent delinquent that taxes are not in that; I just want to make sure that is a part of the report going forward

Councilwoman Worthy – Madam Mayor is that comment for the tax collectors for Res 2022 – 51?

Res 2022 – 51 Acceptance of Tax Collector’s 2021 Annual Report

I need a motion

<i>Councilmember</i>	<i>Motion</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>Recuse</i>	<i>Abstain</i>	<i>Absent</i>
<i>Councilman Anderson</i>		X	X				
<i>Councilwoman Perrone</i>			X				
<i>Councilwoman Worthy</i>	X		X				
<i>Deputy Mayor Whitfield</i>			X				
<i>Mayor McIntosh</i>			X				

Discussion –

Mayor McIntosh – Please just make sure the percent of delinquent taxes is included in our report going forward

Res 2022 – 52 *AUTHORIZING THE APPROVAL OF VOUCHERS FOR PAYMENT & RATIFICATION*

I need a motion

<i>Councilmember</i>	<i>Motion</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>Recuse</i>	<i>Abstain</i>	<i>Absent</i>
<i>Councilman Anderson</i>	X		X				
<i>Councilwoman Perrone</i>			X				
<i>Councilwoman Worthy</i>		X	X				
<i>Deputy Mayor Whitfield</i>			X				
<i>Mayor McIntosh</i>			X				

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I need a motion to approve the Treasurer Report

<i>Councilmember</i>	<i>Motion</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>Recuse</i>	<i>Abstain</i>	<i>Absent</i>
<i>Councilman Anderson</i>		X	X				
<i>Councilwoman Perrone</i>			X				
<i>Councilwoman Worthy</i>	X		X				
<i>Deputy Mayor Whitfield</i>			X				
<i>Mayor McIntosh</i>			X				

MINUTES

I need approval for minutes

Minutes 010422

Minutes 011822

Minutes 020122

Minutes 021522 - with correction to Captain Bucs name in Council comments

<i>Councilmember</i>	<i>Motion</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>Recuse</i>	<i>Abstain</i>	<i>Absent</i>
<i>Councilman Anderson</i>	X		X				
<i>Councilwoman Perrone</i>			X				
<i>Councilwoman Worthy</i>		X	X				
<i>Deputy Mayor Whitfield</i>			X				
<i>Mayor McIntosh</i>			X				

Discussion –

Councilwoman Perrone – What is it that we are voting on?

Mayor McIntosh – We are voting on the minutes.

Councilwoman Perrone – Are we changing someone’s name?

Councilwoman Worthy – For minutes 021522, it does not say Captain Bucs it has the wrong name on there, so we are approving to have that correction for Feb. 15th, 2022, minutes.

MUNICIPAL CLERK UPDATE

Highlights

- Phone calls received – total of 969 for the month of February
- Phone calls made – total of 1018 for the month of February
- OPRAS – 53
- Birth Certificates – 63
- Continued Projects – Granicus (Meeting with them on March 4th, 2022, to decide what we are going to do as it relates to the agendas and minutes), Konica Minolta we are in the process of getting these OPRAs digitized, have an upcoming meeting next week, we have given them the departments and everyone who needs

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to be involved as far as the OPRA is concerned, one problem for digitizing the clerks' records at the municipal building and library that money was budgeted in 2021

- customized proclamation folders continue to be a challenge
- Liaison Meetings for Boards and Commissions – only have three schedules so far (Library Board, Youth Advisory Board and Shelter Board)
- Still have vacancies for boards and commissions, nothing new to come into for meeting, will give a further update March 15th, 2022
- Youth In Government Day – scheduled for Tuesday, May 17th, 2022
- Outstanding balances for Zoning board and Planning Board, zoning board has a list of invoices that came in from 2017 to present, we will give more updates about that this forthcoming

Discussion or comments from Council regarding Municipal Clerk Update Highlights – Councilwoman Worthy – I was wondering, what can Council do to support the youth in Youth in Government Day that is coming up in May?

Township Clerk – We do not have all the specifics we are collaborating with the school right now, once we receive the agenda and what they are wanting to do plus what we normally do, I will send council that draft agenda and then you can tell me where you want to be or what you want to participate in

Mayor McIntosh – When can we look forward to that?

Township Clerk – I can try to have more information for you at the next council meeting (March 15th, 2022), once Ms. McBride gets with her POC again and get you a draft agenda so we all can take a look at it so March 15th, 2022, also something that you all want to do or recommendations I am open to that too

Mayor McIntosh – We can just contact you?

Township Clerk – Yes.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS –

Councilman Anderson – As we do the budgets for the boards and commissions as they select vendors, I would like for them to look at Willingboro first and support local vendors, if Willingboro cannot supply their needs then we go outside, I want to make sure we try to support the businesses in town as we do different events, make sure we have a complete registered vendor list of businesses, ask them to come in to fill documentation out

Deputy Mayor Whitfield – The tax assessor with the inflation of the tax write after potential buyers have already been approved, can the manager give an update of that issue?

Township Manager – That meeting has been set up for March 4th, 2022, emails have been sent to realtors (local and in the county of Burlington) meeting will be held in the Municipal Court Room

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NEW BUSINESS –

Mayor McIntosh – We will be having special meetings throughout this month to dive into the budget as we are in budget season now, Mr. Harris I will send the schedule to you and if we can publicize that to our residents so that they know which departments are being showcased on specific dates, we are trying to make it into bite size pieces so that we can all digest this properly and make sure we are using this money efficiently and effectively

PUBLIC COMMENTS 4 MINUTES -

Beulah Williams

- I appreciate the council and how they voted appropriately.
- Newspaper – I am glad they will be delivered to our homes again.

Martin Nock

- Correction about comment earlier about homes that are tax exempts, properties, and charitable institutions, actually within Res. 2022 – 51, two sheets of paper, on the second sheet has a chart of all the number of taxable properties, tax exempt properties and the third chart is taxpayers receive after deductibles, call your attention to tax exempt properties,
- Concern - When you have 83 charitable properties and 364 miscellaneous, \$182 million dollars assessed that are not being taxed, it should be able to help to not have a tax increase, council needs to look at all the tax-exempt properties to see if they qualify
- To Township Manager - Would love to the miscellaneous – 364 that are miscellaneous are they associations, what are those?

Sarah Holley

Tioga Lane

- Made comment about Budget Presentation – I want to thank Mr. Harris on his budget presentation, great job.
- To Martin Nock Veterans Amount of money is \$250 a year– it has been like that for 45 years
- Are we paying any other entity to handle Communications? Mr. Harris did not answer my question.
- \$10,000 from last year and \$10,000 this year is a lot for a Clerk to be paid.

Terena Williams

- Made comment about Mr. Harris report – You are a true asset to this council, and we learned a whole lot as you did the report.
- Happy Women’s History Month to women of the township
- Any upcoming events? – Specifically honoring women of the township, to encourage the young people you can make history
- Made comment about Ms. Foster – She is such an inspiration. I learned last year that she was a veteran.
- Meetings every Tuesday – Will it be just about our budget, or will we get the opportunity to ask questions like we do during public comment during the council meetings?
- Is there a calendar concerning who do you have to pray each week so I can let my pastor know?

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Jacqueline Mack **70 Maplewood Lane**

- Comment on 2022 Residential calendars, too small to read but a magnifying glass will work but it is nice and very informational
- Made comment about Fire Academy Graduation – Happy to see a lot of young people, that is good for our township.
- Parking Lot at Grand Market Place, fence around the parking lot
- Code Enforcement for service stations, cars sitting there for a long time,

Public Comment closed

Mr. Harris addresses public comments –

- Mr. Nock – I will talk with the tax collector to see what those 364 municipals are.
- To Ms. Holley we are not paying entities to handle Communications.
- To Ms. Williams, my team will be ready to answer specific questions to the Budget on Tuesday's. Any comments above or beyond that will be determined by the body.
- We will have Inspections take a look at the service stations, the extra parking and tires building up.
- The fence around the Grand Market Place, should have come down but we will have Inspections look at that as well.
- Events for Women during the month of March is listed on the calendar on the website.

Councilwoman Perrone –

- The question about the budget meetings, I think the question was will there be community engagement, whether or not they can ask questions as well?

Mayor McIntosh –

- There will be public comment but only for discussion of the budget.

Council Comments –

Councilman Anderson –

- Made comment about thanking everyone for coming out for council meetings
- Attended Melanin Market on Saturday Feb. 26th
- Congratulations to Cory Cottenham and Aaron Crawford for putting it together
- Willingboro Baseball league starting back up – spoke with Cynthia Edwards, if interested contact 609-505-3097.
- Attended breakfast for Rev. Cassius L. Rudolph Senior, new Pastor of Saints Memorial Church

Councilwoman Perrone –

- With regards to the Grand Market place, aside from the fence coming down, what exactly are they doing with that property? It has been almost a couple of years
- There are a lot of residents with small businesses who are looking for a place to run their business, would like for JFK lower level to be looked at as well
- When you look into the fence, can you find out what is going on with the property as well
- Attended the Black Expo
- Made comment about the \$20,000 salary increase for the clerk

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- Look forward to everyone attending the budget sessions

Councilwoman Worthy –

- Happy Women’s History Month to all women
- Opportunity to acknowledge phenomenal women - Willingboro Recreational Department has Phenomenal Women’s Award applications due by March 11th , the event will be in April, if you have women in mind the application is due March 11th
- Read Across America – virtual reading
- Made comment about stipend – I stand behind my vote.

Deputy Mayor Whitfield –

- Made comment about administration and events put together during February
- Attend Poetry Slam on February 18th
- Special shoutout to Willingboro Vicinity NAACP that was present for all of the Black history events
- Thank you to the leadership of President Will Weston and his team for representing the branch at all of the events
- Encourage those to become a member at Branch 2111 , the price is \$30 for membership
- Made comment about Black History Month and Women’s History Month

Mayor McIntosh –

- Recreation and Communications did an excellent job at orchestrating and communicating the events in a timely manner
- Made comment about stipend – I stand behind my vote. The stipend was necessary to the extra responsibilities.
- Encourages residents to engage in budget season
- Baseball and Willingboro Panthers Football
- Willingboro High School – Teen Aviation Camp for High school students, info can be found at teenaviationn.com located in Medford, NJ

I need a motion for adjournment

<i>Councilmember</i>	<i>Motion</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>Yea</i>	<i>Nay</i>	<i>Recuse</i>	<i>Abstain</i>	<i>Absent</i>
<i>Councilman Anderson</i>		X	X				
<i>Councilwoman Perrone</i>			X				
<i>Councilwoman Worthy</i>	X		X				
<i>Deputy Mayor Whitfield</i>			X				
<i>Mayor McIntosh</i>			X				

ADJOURNMENT – Meeting adjourned at 9:31pm