

PUBLIC MEETING AGENDA

**Township of West Orange
66 Main Street – 7:00 p.m.**

December 6, 2016

This is to inform the general public that this meeting is being held in compliance with Section 5 of the Open Public Meetings Act, Chapter 231, Public Law 1975. A notice of this meeting was emailed to the Star Ledger and the West Orange Chronicle on October 14, 2015. A notice of this meeting was also posted on the Bulletin Board in the Municipal Building, West Orange and filed in the office of the Municipal Clerk of the Township of West Orange on October 14, 2015.

Statement of Decorum

**In all matters not provided for in subsection 3-15.1 and except upon consent of the Council President, each person addressing the Council pursuant to this subsection shall be required to limit his or her remarks to five (5) minutes, and shall at no time engage in any personally offensive or abusive remarks. The chair shall call any speaker to order who violates any provision of this rule.
(1972 Code § 3-15.2)**

**Roll Call – Councilwoman Casalino, Councilman Guarino, Councilman Krakoviak,
Councilwoman McCartney, Council President Cirilo (Mayor Parisi)**

1. Pledge of Allegiance

2. Public Comment

3. *Consent Agenda

4. *Approval of Minutes of Previous Meeting – Public Minutes November 22, 2016, Executive Session October 26, 2016 and November 22, 2016.

5. *Report of Township Officers-None

6. *Reading of Petitions and Communications and Bids - None

7. *Bills

8. *Resolutions

- a. 256-16 Resolution Refunding and Cancelling Taxes on a Now Exempt Property Due to a County Board Judgment (Gagliardo)
- b. 257-16 Resolution Authorizing an Agreement with the Essex County Division of Senior Services to Provide Partial Funding for Senior Citizen Public Health Nurse for the Contract Period of January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017 in the Amount of \$16,127.00 (DeNova)
- c. 258-16 Resolution Authorizing the Payment of Legal Fees in the Amount of \$121,059.69 to Charles Blau, Esq., Special Tax Appeal Counsel (Trenk)
Blau and Blau successfully obtained increases in certain assessments from property owners as detailed on Schedule “A”. These increased tax assessments will lead to additional taxes totaling \$363,179.08.
- d. 259-16 Resolution Awarding a Contract for Providing Recreational, Social and Educational Services to the Senior Citizens of the Township of West Orange, for the Period Commencing January 1, 2016 and ending December 31, 2016. (DeNova)

The following organizations are willing to provide said services; Pleasantdale Senior Citizens, JCC Council of Senior Citizens, The John Renna House, Eagle Rock Senior Citizens , H.A./Tenant Services, Woodland Valley Senior Social Gathering, Knitting Club Prime Timers

- e. 260-16 A Resolution Authorizing the Collector of Taxes to Refund Payment to the Listed Taxpayer for Property at 5 Parson Drive, Block 171.04 Lot 3 Due to a Senior Citizen Deduction That Was Granted (Gagliardo)
- f. 261-16 Resolution Authorizing the Collector of Taxes to Refund Payment to the Listed Taxpayer Due to a Duplicate Payment of Fourth Quarter 2016 Taxes (Gagliardo)
- g. 262-16 Resolution Authorizing the Collector of Taxes to Refund Payment to the Listed Taxpayer Due to an Overpayment of Taxes Due to a Payment Posted in Error-Taxpayer is a Tax Exempt Disabled Veteran (Gagliardo)

9. Ordinances on Second and Final Reading

- a. 2496-16 An Ordinance Creating a Reclassification and Salary Schedule of Certain Township of West Orange Employees Setting Forth Their Titles, Classification and Salary Ranges and Adopting a Salary Guide and Establishing Employee's Status as a Township Employee and Under the Guidelines of the New Jersey Department of Personnel (Gross)
- b. 2497-16 An Ordinance Amending and Supplementing Chapter 7, Traffic, Subsection 7-32.1, Handicapped Parking on Streets and Subsection 7-32.2, Restricted Parking Zones, of the Revised General Ordinances of the Township of West Orange - 13 Cross Street, 54 Ashland Avenue and 24 Ashwood Terrace (Lepore)

10. Ordinances on First Reading

- a. 2498-16 An Ordinance Amending Chapter 7, Section 50.3 of the Revised General Ordinances of the Township of West Orange (Permit Parking in Hazel Avenue Parking Lot) (Legal-Moon)
This Ordinance revising the Township's municipal parking code to address a change in the parking rules for the municipal lot on Hazel Avenue.

11. Pending Matters/New Matters/Council Discussion

ABC Hearing

- a. 570-16 Person to Person Transfer of Plenary Retail Distribution License No. 0722-44-018-006 from Ketul Corp. to T&T Liquors, Inc., 110 Harrison Avenue
- b. 571-16 Person to Person and Place to Place Transfer of Plenary Consumption License No. 0722-33-025-009 from Mondial Consulting, LLC to Heritage Restaurant and Lounge, LLC
(resolution to follow)

13. Adjournment

**The Council President may at his/her discretion modify with consent the order of business at any meeting of the Council if he/she deems it necessary and appropriate.
(1972 Code § 3-8; Ord. No. 726-84; Ord. No. 1157-93; Ord. No. 2128-07 § II)**

Agenda is subject to change.