

JESSUP BOROUGH COUNCIL

June 5, 2024

REGULAR MEETING

AGENDA

1. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

2. ANNOUNCEMENT

The meetings of Jessup Borough Council are being recorded and live streamed for the purpose of transparency and increased public access.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Gregg Betti	Tom Fiorelli
Curt Camoni	Joe Mellado
Jeffrey Castellani	Roberta Galati
Jerry Crinella	

3. LACKAWANNA ENERGY CENTER REPORT

4. PUBLIC COMMENT

Public Comment period is for oral comments regarding any action item(s) listed on this meeting agenda or any comments in general. No deliberations will be entered into by Council at this time. For an accurate public record, citizens are asked to approach the podium, state their name and address. Comment is limited to 5 minutes.

5. CONSENT AGENDA

All items listed on the consent agenda are considered routine and will be acted upon by a single motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a member of the Council request specific items to be removed for separate action.

Approve the Minutes of the Regular May Meeting.

Approve the Minutes of the May 16, 2024 Special Meeting.

Approve the Secretary Report.

Approve the May Payroll in the amount of \$ 59,004.54.

Approve monthly payments in the amount of \$ 100,546.33 from General Fund.

6. ADDITIONS TO THE COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

Act 65 of 2021, if a matter is not on the Agenda, Council may not take official action on it with the following exceptions: Council can act on matter relating to potential or real emergencies. Council may add a matter of agency business to its agenda through a majority vote. The council must state why the action item is being added to the Agenda. Council may vote to add action item(s) to the agenda.

7. OLD OR UNFINISHED BUSINESS

8. NEW BUSINESS

- Authorize purchase of computers for police vehicles
- Authorize acquisition of a title search
- Advertise change to July 2024 Work session
- Advertise consideration of a feral cats ordinance
- Authorize entry into agreements
- Authorize removing from the table and advertising consideration of one-way street ordinance
- Award St. Ubaldo Society HVAC Contract
- Accept resignation from Civil Service Commission
- Appoint member of Civil Service Commission
- Authorize funding fireworks display
- Authorize purchasing movie license
- Authorize shredding records
- Authorize advertising for part-time police officers and chief of police
- Accept resignation of part-time police officer
- Authorize leave of absence
- Authorize expenditure for police vehicle light
- Authorize sale or auction of police bike
- Permit use of soccer fields
- Reinvest treasury bond

9. REPORTS

Mayor

Committees, Commissions, and Boards

- Stormwater; Chairperson – Jerry Crinella
Draft minutes, memos, reports, etc.
Report attached
- Finance & Grants; Chairperson – Tom Fiorelli
Draft minutes, memos, reports, etc.

- Planning Commission; Chairperson – Corey Mahon
Draft minutes, memos, reports, etc.
- Zoning Hearing Board; Chairperson – Jeff Smith
Draft minutes, memos, reports, etc.

Controller; Benjamin Cardoni

Tax Collector; Genevieve Lupini

Zoning Officer; NEIC, Anthony Mengoni

Police Department; Chief Robert Berta

DPW; Foreman Joseph Cirba

Report Attached

Engineer; Peters Consultants, Inc

Report Attached

Solicitor: Maura Armezzani Tunis

10. COMMUNICATIONS (Attachments)

- A. April 2024 LEC Call Log
- B. General Obligation Note of 2011--Satisfaction
- C. LEC NPDES Discharges of Stormwater 2023 Annual Report
- D. LEC Sewer Discharge Report – 04.2024
- E. Peoples Security Bank Loan Account

11. MOTIONS

- A. Motion to purchase computers for two police vehicles from Northeast MDT LLC at a cost of \$ 13,221.86.

Gregg Betti	Yea___	Nay___
Curt Camoni	Yea___	Nay___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea___	Nay___
Jerry Crinella	Yea___	Nay___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea___	Nay___
Joe Mellado	Yea___	Nay___
Roberta Galati	Yea___	Nay___

B. Motion to obtain a title search for the property located at 369 Lane Street, Jessup, Pennsylvania at a cost of _____.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

C. Motion to advertise a change to the July 2024 work session.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

D. Motion to advertise for consideration a Feral Cats Ordinance.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

E. Motion to take from the table an ordinance which would make Ward and Short Street a One-Way Street.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

F. Motion to adopt Resolution No. 10 of 2024 entering into a settlement agreement with the former borough manager and to authorize the appropriate Borough officers to execute the same.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

G. Motion to adopt Resolution No. 11 of 2024 entering into an agreement with the Teamsters 229 and to authorize the appropriate Borough officers to execute the same.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

H. Motion to award the contract for the St. Ubaldo Society HVAC Improvement Project to J&F Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Services at a cost of \$ 15,000.00.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___

I. Motion to accept the resignation of Todd Ferretti from the Civil Service Commission.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___

Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

J. Motion to appoint Steve Pitoniak as a member of the Civil Service Commission with a term expiration of December 31, 2024.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

K. Motion to fund a 20-minute fireworks display for the 21st Century Association's July 5th event at a cost of \$6000.00.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

L. Motion to approve the purchase of the movie license for the movie Sing at a cost of \$ 325.00.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___

Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

M. Motion to adopt Resolution No. 12 of 2024 authorizing the shredding of records in accordance with the Municipal Records Manual.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

N. Motion to advertise for part-time police officers.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

O. Motion to accept the resignation of Jacob Piazza as a part-time police officer effective May 30, 2024.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

P. Motion to permit Scott Syryla to take a leave of absence for a period of 6 months beginning June 5, 2024 pursuant to the Police Collective Bargaining Agreement Article 21.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

Q. Motion to expend the sum of \$ 400.00 to replace the Opticon light in the new police vehicle.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

R. Motion to permit Citizens for Healthy Jessup to host soccer clinics on the soccer fields on July 18, 2024 and July 25, 2024 from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m..

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

S. Motion to adopt Resolution 13 of 2024 authorizing the sale or auction of the Police Recon Bike.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___

Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

T. Motion to advertise for the Chief of Police position.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

U. Motion to reinvest the \$ 130,713.37 matured US Treasury Bill proceeds into a one (1) year Treasury security investment to continue the ladder investment at People's Security Bank & Trust, Company.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

V. Motion to and advertise for consideration an Ordinance that would make Ward and Short Street a One-Way Street.

Gregg Betti	Yea ___	Nay ___
Curt Camoni	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jeffrey Castellani	Yea ___	Nay ___
Jerry Crinella	Yea ___	Nay ___
Tom Fiorelli	Yea ___	Nay ___
Joe Mellado	Yea ___	Nay ___
Roberta Galati	Yea ___	Nay ___

W. ADJOURN