

MINUTES
COMBINED MEETING
AUGUST 21, 2019 ~ 7:00 P.M.

“Each person addressing the Council shall first give their name and address to the Clerk. All remarks shall be addressed to the Council as a body and not to any member thereof and, shall not exceed five (5) minutes in duration.” (Chapter 5-63 (C) Rules of Order No. 3)

Council President Farrar called the meeting to order at 7:03 p.m. and read the Roll Call.

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Councilmembers Baker, Bresenhan, Brown, Cox, Gibilisco, Miles, Wenson Maier, Mojica, and Farrar

ABSENT: None

OPEN PUBLIC MEETING STATEMENT:

City Clerk Rayna E. Harris announced the meeting had been advertised and posted in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act of the State of New Jersey.

This Meeting was called pursuant to the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act. Notice of this meeting was sent to the Union County Local Source, Home News Tribune, and the Star Ledger. In addition, copies of notice were posted on the bulletin board in the Municipal Building and filed in the Office of the City Clerk. Notices on the bulletin board have remained continuously posted. Proper notice having been given the City Clerk is directed to include this statement in the minutes of this meeting.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE and INVOCATION

Council President Farrar led the Pledge of Allegiance.

In the absence of a Member of the Clergy, Councilman David Brown offered the invocation.

PRESENTATIONS

a) Parking Enhancements 2019

Mr. Landolfi gave an overview on the parking upgrades.
 Matthew Pukavich reviewed the map of the meter stations and the parking lots.
 The Council members asked questions of the professionals.

b) Senior Bus Service

Mr. Landolfi gave an overview and background on the proposed busing service for 2020.
 Anthony Deige Jr. reviewed the current service and presented on the plan for the 2020 service.
 The Council members asked questions of the professionals.

ORDINANCES - FIRST READING

O-26-19	AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 401: VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF RAHWAY (DESIGNATION OF PARKING SPACES) Motion to introduce the above entitled Ordinance O-26-19 on first reading was made by Councilmember Miles, seconded by Councilmember Gibilisco and adopted by the following vote: YES: Councilmembers Baker, Bresenhan, Brown, Cox, Gibilisco, Miles, Wenson Maier, Mojica, and Farrar ABSENT: None Council President Farrar declared the motion carried.
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ORDINANCE
CITY OF RAHWAY, NEW JERSEY

No. O-26-19

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 401: VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF RAHWAY (DESIGNATION OF PARKING SPACES)

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained, by the City Council of the City of Rahway, County of Union, State of New Jersey, as follows:

Section 1. Schedule XXIV 401-83 – Designation of Parking Spaces

<u>ADD</u>	<u>SIDE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>HOURS</u>
**Central Ave.	Both	Irving St. to Campbell St.	7 a.m. – 7 p.m. Mon. – Sat. / 4 hr. Maximum
** Hamilton St.	Both	Central Ave. to Gordon Pl.	7 a.m. – 7 p.m. Mon. – Sat. / 4 hr. Maximum

**= Excluding resident permits

DELETION

Poplar Both Irving St. to Bridge 7 a.m. – 7 p.m. Mon. – Sat. / 4 hr. Maximum

Section 2. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith are repealed.

Section 3. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or a portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions hereof.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall become effective after second reading and publication as required by law.

City Clerk Rayna E. Harris read the following:

This Ordinance is declared adopted on first reading and the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to advertise said notice of its introduction and passage according to law. This Ordinance will come up for Public Hearing and further action at a Council Meeting on September 9, 2019 at 7 p.m. or at any time and place to which the meeting for the further consideration of the ordinances shall be adjourned.

RESOLUTIONS

AR-196-19	<p>APPROVAL TO SUBMIT A GRANT APPLICATION AND EXECUTE A GRANT CONTRACT WITH THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE 2020 TRANSIT VILLAGE APPLICATION FOR THE MAIN STREET STREETScape IMPROVEMENTS PHASE I</p> <p>Motion made by Councilmember Wenson Maier seconded by Councilmember Brown to adopt the Resolution AR-196-19, and was adopted by the following vote:</p> <p>YES: Councilmembers Baker, Bresenhan, Brown, Cox, Gibilisco, Miles, Wenson Maier, Mojica, and Farrar</p>
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	<p>ABSENT: None</p> <p>Council President Farrar declared the motion carried.</p>
AR-197-19	<p>RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ALL ACCESS AGREEMENTS TO BE APPROVED BY CITY BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR</p> <p>Motion made by Councilmember Farrar seconded by Councilmember Mojica to adopt the Resolution AR-197-19, and was adopted by the following vote:</p> <p>YES: Councilmembers Baker, Bresenhan, Brown, Cox, Gibilisco, Miles, Wenson Maier, Mojica, and Farrar</p> <p>ABSENT: None</p> <p>Council President Farrar declared the motion carried.</p>
AR-198-19	<p>RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE RELEASE OF PERFORMANCE BONDS TO ANTONIO J. & SUSAN FONSECA FOR BLOCK 201, LOTS 14, 1613 FERNOTE STREET</p> <p>Motion made by Councilmember Bresenhan seconded by Councilmember Cox to adopt the Resolution AR-198-19, and was adopted by the following vote:</p> <p>YES: Councilmembers Baker, Bresenhan, Brown, Cox, Gibilisco, Miles, Wenson Maier, Mojica, and Farrar</p> <p>ABSENT: None</p> <p>Council President Farrar declared the motion carried.</p>

MISCELLANEOUS (Unfinished Business)

No items were offered.

COMMUNICATIONS: Hearing of Citizens on Any Item (Five Minutes per Speaker)

With no one appearing, Council President Farrar declared the hearing of citizens closed.

COUNCIL COMMENT: (Three Minutes per Member)

The Council Members offered their remarks.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Councilmember Bresenhan; seconded by Councilmember Mojica at 8:16 p.m.

YES: Councilmembers Baker, Bresenhan, Brown, Cox, Gibilisco, Miles, Wenson Maier, Mojica, and Farrar

ABSENT: None

Council President Farrar declared the motion carried.

Approved:

Rayna E. Harris, City Clerk

Minutes: Special Meeting of August 21, 2019
 Approved: September 21, 2019

Rodney Farrar, Council President

