



**CITY OF RAHWAY
NEW JERSEY
MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
AGENDA: COMBINED MEETING
August 10, 2020 ~ 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)*

1. ROLL CALL

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE and INVOCATION

3. OPEN PUBLIC MEETING STATEMENT

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.

4. NOMINATION

a) 3rd Ward Council Seat Nominees:

- i. Vannie Deloris Parson, 162 Forbes Street
- ii. Mary Senkowsky Gustofson, 360 Rudolph Avenue
- iii. Joan Tapia, 889 Main Street

AR-158-20	RESOLUTION TO FILL VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF THE 3rd WARD COUNCIL MEMBER
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b) Oath of Office

5. REVIEW OF AGENDA

The Council will review all Agenda items before considering any for approval or adoption. Any and all items are open for discussion.

6. PRESENTATIONS

Proclamation - Congressman John R. Lewis

7. COMMUNICATIONS: MAYOR, REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS AND BILL PAYMENT LIST

8. REPORTS OF COUNCIL COMMITTEES

9. HEARINGS OF CITIZENS: ITEMS ON AGENDA

Except Ordinances on Second Reading. (Five Minutes per Speaker)

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13. CONSENT AGENDA

All items considered routine by the City Council will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion on these items unless a Council Member or a Citizen so requests. Any item not included on the **Consent Agenda** will be considered in its normal sequence on the Agenda.

14. **ORDINANCES - FIRST READING**

O-24-20	BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE VARIOUS CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPMENT FOR THE SEWER UTILITY OF THE CITY OF RAHWAY, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY; APPROPRIATING \$350,000 THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$350,000 BONDS OR NOTES OF THE SEWER UTILITY OF THE CITY TO FINANCE THE COSTS THEREOF
O-25-20	BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR VARIOUS 2020 CAPITAL ACQUISITIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS FOR THE CITY OF RAHWAY, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY; APPROPRIATING \$1,975,000 THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$1,876,250 BONDS OR NOTES OF THE CITY TO FINANCE PART OF THE COSTS THEREOF
O-26-20	BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE PURCHASE AND ACQUISITION OF ELECTRIC VEHICLES FOR THE PARKING UTILITY OF THE CITY OF RAHWAY, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY; APPROPRIATING \$80,000 THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$80,000 BONDS OR NOTES OF THE PARKING UTILITY OF THE CITY TO FINANCE THE COST THEREOF
O-27-20	BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR VARIOUS 2020 WATER UTILITY ACQUISITIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS BY AND IN THE CITY OF RAHWAY, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY; APPROPRIATING \$750,000 THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$750,000 BONDS OR NOTES OF THE WATER UTILITY OF THE CITY TO FINANCE THE COSTS THEREOF
O-28-20	BOND ORDINANCE AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING BOND ORDINANCE NUMBER O-6-16 HERETOFORE FINALLY ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RAHWAY ON APRIL 11, 2016 ENTITLED, "BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR SEWER UTILITY INFLOW AND INFILTRATION PROJECT (PHASE III), BY AND IN THE CITY OF RAHWAY, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY; APPROPRIATING \$425,000 THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$425,000 BONDS OR NOTS OF THE CITY TO FINANCE THE COST THEREOF", TO INCREASE THE APPROPRIATION TO \$525,000 AND TO INCREASE THE AUTHORIZATION OF BONDS OR NOTES TO \$525,000 THEREIN
O-29-20	BOND ORDINANCE AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING BOND ORDINANCE NUMBER O-19-16 HERETOFORE FINALLY ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RAHWAY ON JULY 11, 2016 ENTITLED, "BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE IMPROVEMENTS OF THE WITHERSPOON STREET OUTFALL AND MONROE STREET SEWER LINES, BY AND IN THE CITY OF RAHWAY, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY; APPROPRIATING \$325,000 THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$325,000 BONDS OR NOTS OF THE CITY TO FINANCE THE COST THEREOF", TO INCREASE THE APPROPRIATION TO \$845,000 AND TO INCREASE THE AUTHORIZATION OF BONDS OR NOTES TO \$845,000 THEREIN
O-30-20	BOND ORDINANCE AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING BOND ORDINANCE NUMBER O-20-19 HERETOFORE FINALLY ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RAHWAY ON SEPTEMBER 9, 2019 ENTITLED, "BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE REPAIR OF SINK HOLES, BY AND IN THE CITY OF RAHWAY, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY; APPROPRIATING \$500,000 THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$500,000 BONDS OR NOTS OF THE CITY TO FINANCE THE COST THEREOF", TO INCREASE THE APPROPRIATION TO \$700,000 AND TO INCREASE THE AUTHORIZATION OF BONDS OR NOTES TO \$700,000 THEREIN
O-31-20	BOND ORDINANCE AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING SECTION 3(k) OF BOND ORDINANCE NUMBER O-31-19 HERETOFORE FINALLY ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RAHWAY ON DECEMBER 9, 2019 ENTITLED, "BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR VARIOUS 2019 CAPITAL ACQUISITIONS AND

	IMPROVEMENTS FOR THE CITY OF RAHWAY, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY; APPROPRIATING \$1,057,000 THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$1,006,000 BONDS OR NOTS OF THE CITY TO FINANCE PART OF THE COST THEREOF”, TO INCREASE THE APPROPRIATION TO \$1,132,000, TO INCREASE THE AUTHORIZATION OF BONDS OR NOTES TO \$1,077,250 AND TO INCREASE THE DOWN PAYMENT TO \$54,750 THEREIN
O-32-20	BOND ORDINANCE AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING BOND ORDINANCE NUMBER O-10-20 HERETOFORE FINALLY ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RAHWAY ON APRIL 13, 2020 ENTITLED, “BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR VARIOUS IMPROVEMENTS TO BRENNAN FIELD, BY AND IN THE CITY OF RAHWAY, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY; APPROPRIATING \$475,000 THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$450,000 BONDS OR NOTES OF THE CITY TO FINANCE PART OF THE COST THEREOF”, TO INCREASE THE APPROPRIATION TO \$525,000, TO INCREASE THE AUTHORIZATION OF BONDS OR NOTES TO \$497,500 AND TO INCREASE THE DOWN PAYMENT TO \$27,500 THEREIN

15. RESOLUTIONS

Department of Administration

AR-159-20	RESOLUTION AWARDDING A CONTRACT TO HEYER, GRUEL AND ASSOCIATES FOR PROFESSIONAL PLANNING SERVICES
AR-160-20	RESOLUTION AWARDDING A CONTRACT TO TRINITAS PHYSICIANS PRACTICE FOR A COMPREHENSIVE ASSISTANCE AND REFERRAL PROGRAM (C.A.R.E.) AND AN EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (E.A.P.)

Department of Community Development

AR-161-20	RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY OF RAHWAY AND MASER CONSULTING, P.A. FOR PROFESSIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING SERVICES ASSOCIATED WITH THE MADDEN FIELD IMPROVEMENTS
AR-162-20	RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF CONTRACT TO SPORTSFIELD SPECIALTIES, INC. FOR THE SUPPLY OF ATHLETIC FIELD EQUIPMENT FOR THE MADDEN FIELD IMPROVEMENTS
AR-163-20	RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND MUNICIPAL CLERK OF THE CITY OF RAHWAY TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH THE COUNTY OF UNION TO MODIFY THE COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT DATED JUNE 2014, AS AMENDED IN 2017

Department of Health

AR-164-20	RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF RAHWAY TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT TO ACCEPT FUNDS FROM NEW JERSEY ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY AND CITY OFFICIALS (NJACCHO) FOR COVID-19 RELATED RESPONSE ACTIVITES
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Police Department

AR-165-20	RESOLUTION AWARDDING A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT TO JOB4BLUE FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF POLICE EXTRA-DUTY ASSIGNMENTS
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Department of Revenue and Finance

AR-166-20	CAPITAL BUDGET AMENDMENT
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16. ORDINANCES – SECOND READING (PUBLIC HEARING AND FINAL ADOPTION)

O-19-20	AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF THE CITY OF RAHWAY BY ADDING CHAPTER 95 SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMISSION Motion: Mojica/ Second: City Council
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O-20-20	AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY OF RAHWAY CODE CHAPTER §365 ARTICLE VIII CLOSING OF STREETS Motion: Newbury/ Second: Farrar
O-21-20	AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY OF RAHWAY CODE CHAPTER 401 VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC (Dock Street) Motion: Cox/ Second: Farrar
O-22-20	AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 401 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF RAHWAY (VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC) - HANDICAPPED PARKING (1018 Apgar Terrace) Motion: Gibilisco/ Second: Brown
O-23-20	AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 401 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF RAHWAY (VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC) - HANDICAPPED PARKING (1714 Essex Street) Motion: Cox/ Second: Gibilisco

17. **MISCELLANEOUS** (Unfinished Business)
18. **COMMUNICATIONS:** Hearing of Citizens on Any Item (Five Minutes per Speaker)
19. **COUNCIL COMMENT** (Three Minutes per Member)
20. **ADJOURNMENT**