

TOWNSHIP OF HILLSIDE
Caucus MEETING OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL VIA ZOOM

April 6, 2021 @ 6:30pm *Agenda subject to change*

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. FLAG SALUTE

C. STATEMENT OF PUBLIC NOTICE

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 and the Star Ledger. In addition, copies of notice were posted on the bulletin board in the Municipal Building, posted on the Town Hall doors, and filed in the Office of the Township Clerk. Notices on the bulletin board have remained continuously posted. Proper notice having been given, the Acting Township Clerk is directed to include this statement in the minutes of this meeting.

D. ROLL CALL

Donald J. DeAugustine, Craig Epps, Andrea Hyatt, Christopher D. Mobley, Nancy Mondella, George Cook III, Council Vice President and Gerald Pateesh Freedman, Council President

E. PROCLAMATIONS

Senior Citizens Birthdays (April)

F. PROGRESS REPORT a) Administration b) Municipal Clerk

G. PAYMENT OF BILLS: April 6, 2021

H. ORDINANCES:

Introduction & First Reading >>> O-21-xx

Amend Chapter 291- Vehicle and Traffic, Article II. . . to add Westminster Avenue to Temporary parking prohibition for snow plowing and snow removal (Snow Route)

Introduction & First Reading >>> O-21-xx (*Discussion to Table*)

Prohibiting the Operation of Any Class of Cannabis Businesses Within Its Geographical Boundaries and Amending Chapter 188. Land Use, Article II. Zoning §188-42 Of the Hillside Township Code.

I. RESOLUTIONS

CONSENT AGENDA[^]

[^]All items listed on the Consent Agenda are considered routine by the Township Council and have been listed for one roll call vote for adoption of all items. There will be no separate discussion on these items unless a Council member or Citizen so requests, in which event, the item will be removed from the general order of business and considered in its normal sequence on the Agenda.

1. **R-21-xxx** Authorizing grant to NJDHTS for the 2021 Distracted Driving Crackdown: UDRIVE.UTEXT.UPAY[^]
2. **R-21-xxx** Authorizing grant application to NJDHTS for the 2022 Highway Safety Grant[^]
3. **R-21-xxx** Authorizing grant application to NJDHTS for the 2022 Pedestrian Safety, Enforcement & Education Grant[^]
4. **R-21-xxx** Authorizing Advertising of Public Auction of vehicles towed by Highway Towing[^]
5. **R-21-xxx** Authorizing agreement between Hillside Dept. of Health & City of Elizabeth - STD Referrals/Counseling[^]
6. **R-21-xxx** Certifying Governing Body Review of 2019 Audit & audit findings & recommendations w/ group affidavit

7. **R-21-xxx** Authorizing application to NJ Dept. of Agriculture for Summer Food Program 2021(ACTION)
8. **R-21-xxx** Emergency Temporary Budget Appropriations for total sum of \$29,000.00 (ACTION)
9. **R-21-xxx** Authorizing Payment of Accumulated Severance Liabilities to Retiring employee Jude DeLane

J. OLD (UNFINISHED) BUSINESS

K. NEW BUSINESS

L. CORRESPONDENCE

M. COMMUNICATIONS

N. PUBLIC COMMENTS

The public can email questions and comments before and during the meeting to

hillsidecouncilmeeting@gmail.com. The public may also join the meeting via Zoom by using:

Meeting ID: 879 6329 0586 Passcode: 227098 or by using Zoom meeting direct link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87963290586?pwd=NDZBbjNhR1pwSG82OTV4SkRFdmhSdz09>.

The meeting will also be live-streamed on Facebook Live on Hillside Council Meetings. Please state name and address for the record.

O. COUNCIL REMARKS

P. EXECUTIVE CLOSED SESSION

Please be advised that the Council reserves the right to enter closed session per N.J.S.A. 10:4-12.

Q. ADJOURNMENT

Upcoming Meetings:

Caucus-Regular Meeting: April 20, 2021 @ 6:30 pm

Caucus Meeting: May 11, 2021 @ 6:30 pm

Caucus-Regular Meeting: May 25, 2021 @ 6:30 pm