

**BOROUGH OF RAMSEY  
MAYOR AND COUNCIL  
REGULAR MEETING AGENDA  
Wednesday, March 25, 2020**

**BUDGET  
PUBLIC HEARING**

**I. ROLL CALL – FLAG SALUTE – OPEN PUBLIC MEETING LAW NOTICE**

**II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES –**

**III. COMMUNICATIONS -**

- 1. George Bumiller, Ramsey, NJ  
letter dated March 11, 2020, regarding Councilman Jones' videotaping report**
- 2. Melissa Oratio, Northwest Bergen County Utilities Authority, 30 Wyckoff Avenue,  
Waldwick, NJ  
letter dated February 20, 2020, enclosing minutes from the January 13, 2020  
meeting**
- 3. Kathy Ambrose, Chairperson, The Woman's Club of Ramsey  
letter dated March 10, 2020, requesting permission to hold the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual  
Heirloom Tomato and Plant Sale on May 16, 2020**

**IV. PUBLIC COMMENT**

**Anyone wishing to address the governing body please step up to the microphone and give your name (spelling the last name) and address as a courtesy to all present. Please speak in an audible tone and address your comments to the Chair. There will be a five-minute time limit per speaker, unless reduced because of the volume of business on the agenda. Please note, public comment is your time. Out of respect and fairness to all present, there will be no interruptions or questions answered during your time. No time shall be ceded to anyone else and no time shall be saved for later use. Any responses may be given during the governing body's comments later in the meeting, or as directed by the Chair. The Borough Clerk is the official time keeper and will hold up a sign when you have 30 seconds remaining.**

**V. ADVERTISED PUBLIC HEARING FOR FINAL CONSIDERATION OF  
ORDINANCES**

**VI. APPOINTMENTS**

## **VII. CONSENT RESOLUTION**

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the following resolutions herewith listed having been considered by the governing body of the Borough of Ramsey be and are hereby passed and approved:

- 070-2020      Resolution:    payment of vouchers**
- 071-2020      Resolution:    ratifying the actions of the governing body for payroll number six**
- 072-2020      Resolution:    authorizing tax redemption Block 1306 Lot 3 in the amount of \$10,072.43**
- 073-2020      Resolution:    endorsing the submission of the recycling tonnage grant application to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and designating Jack D'Agostaro, CRP to ensure that the application is properly filed**
- 074-2020      Resolution:    certifying the submission of expenditure for taxes paid pursuant to P.L. 2007, chapter 311, in 2019 in the amount of \$23,325.45**
- 075-2020      Resolution:    awarding contract to Gramco Business Communications, 1149 Bloomfield Avenue, Clifton, NJ, in the amount of \$9,556.00 for the videotaping of meetings, equipment and training**
- 076-2020      Resolution:    authorizing one-year contract to Aslan & Company, Inc. for cleaning of Municipal Building, Police Station and Senior Center with a price of \$2,400 per month for a one-year contract starting May 1, 2020**
- 077-2020      Resolution:    approval of change order # 5 to APS Contracting, Inc. for additional subgrade excavation, disposal of material and replacement subbase for the new east side parking and the west side parking lot extension in accordance with recommendation of geotechnical engineer, for a total amount of \$81,814.03.**
- 078-2020      Resolution:    authorizing the disposal of obsolete equipment as set forth in attachment**

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the following applications and/or recommendations hereby be approved:

**A. SPECIAL PERMITS:**

**B. BLOCK PARTY REQUESTS:**

**VIII. SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS**

**IX. COMMITTEE AND LIAISON REPORTS**

**A. FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION – Councilman Michael Gutwetter**

**1. Various Comments**

**B. PUBLIC SAFETY – Councilman Harry Weber**

**1. Various Comments**

**C. BUILDING, PLANNING & ZONING – Councilman Joseph Verdone**

**1. Various Comments**

**D. UTILITIES, BUILDINGS & GROUNDS – Councilman Peter Kilman**

**1. Various Comments**

**E. PUBLIC & GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS – Councilman William Jones**

**1. Various Comments**

**F. HEALTH, EDUCATION & SOCIAL SERVICES – Councilwoman Jane Woods**

**1. Various Comments**

**G. MAYOR DEIRDRE DILLON**

**H. BOROUGH ADMINISTRATOR – Bruce Vozeh**

**I. BOROUGH ATTORNEY – Peter A. Scandariato, Esq.**

**J. BOROUGH CLERK – Meredith Bendian**

**X. INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES**

**ORDINANCE 05-2020 - BOND ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE MAKING OF VARIOUS PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN, BY AND FOR THE BOROUGH OF RAMSEY, IN THE COUNTY OF BERGEN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$1,285,000 TO PAY THE COST THEREOF, TO MAKE A DOWN PAYMENT, TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS TO FINANCE SUCH APPROPRIATION AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES IN ANTICIPATION OF THE ISSUANCE OF SUCH BONDS**

**XI. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

**XII. NEW BUSINESS**

**XIII. ADJOURNMENT**