

**Workshop Meeting
Borough of Eatontown Governing Body
Thursday, April 25, 2024**

This meeting has been advertised in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act: A notice of the meeting has been published in the Asbury Park Press, Star Ledger and the Link News, posted on the bulletin board in the lobby of Borough Hall, and posted to the Borough website. Public Comment is welcome at any time.

Mayor Talerico opened the Workshop at 7:06pm, noting the Borough's compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act

1. ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Mayor Anthony Talerico, Jr., Council President Virginia M. East,
Councilmembers David Gindi, Meir Araman, Carl Lawson
ALSO PRESENT: Attorney Bayer, Interim Administrator Lucia, Borough Clerk Martin
ABSENT: Councilmember Danielle M. Jones
LATE ARRIVAL: Councilmember Candace Faust
The Flag Salute was led by C/Araman

2. PROCLAMATION – MUNICIPAL CLERK WEEK (MAY 5 – MAY 11)

Mayor Talerico read the proclamation into the record and shared his appreciation of the Borough Clerk and Deputy Borough Clerk and all that they do. Interim Administrator Lucia and Councilmember East and Councilmember Gindi said a few appreciative words too.

Mayor Talerico explained the current June meeting dates and proposed to reschedule the dates. Consensus of council was to change the meeting dates from June 6th to June 5th and from June 19th to June 26th.

3. STORMWATER MANAGEMENT (MAYOR TALERICO)

Mayor Talerico explained several complaints have been received regarding stormwater management around the Borough. Mayor Talerico further explained the current issues related to the failing infrastructure and the clogged pipes. Mayor Talerico proposed having the Code Enforcement Department be able to send out Notice of Violations to homeowners who are not maintaining their basins. Mayor Talerico asked the Borough Engineer, Ed Herrman, to talk about some strategic initiatives. Mr. Herrman provided an overview of the overall stormwater management and the current ongoing issues. Mayor Talerico explained the Borough Council will be adopting an ordinance that mentions closing commercial dumpsters so garbage does not fly out of them, which will also help the storm drains. Councilmember East asked if the ordinance will also include residential. Councilmember Gindi responded that council should not adopt an ordinance for residential dumpsters yet, due to residents still getting used to the new recycling program. The discussion continued regarding the proposed dumpster ordinance and stormwater management.

Council President East asked the Borough Engineer about the speed hump on South Street and if it can be milled down. Mr. Herrman responded.

Councilmember Araman asked who owns streetlights in Eatontown. Mr. Herrman responded the power company.

Mayor Talerico opened the meeting to the public.

No comments were made.

Mayor Talerico closed the meeting to the public.

4. ADJOURNMENT – 7:38pm

Motion to adjourn by C/Gindi; seconded by C/Lawson

Voice Vote: AYE - C/East, C/Gindi, C/Araman, C/Lawson, C/Faust
ABSENT - C/Jones



By: Julie Martin, RMC, Borough Clerk