BOROUGH OF FAR HILLS

Borough Council Regular Meeting

AGENDA

August 28, 2023 – 7:00 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER

OPEN PUBLIC MEETING STATEMENT

Adequate notice of this meeting was posted on the bulletin board in the Borough Hall, was sent to the newspapers of record and was furnished to persons requesting same as required by law and paid the appropriate fees, in compliance with law.

ROLL CALL

REPORTS

- 1. Councilman Peter J. Cocoziello, Jr. Roads
- 2. Councilwoman Sheila Tweedie Health/Sanitation
- 3. Councilman Joseph Carty Finance/Insurance
- 4. Council President Mary Chimenti Laws & Ordinances
- 5. Councilman David P. Karner Fire, Water, Light, Buildings & Grounds
- 6. Councilman Rick Rinzler Police
- 7. Chief Michael DeCarolis
- 8. Mayor Kevin P. Welsh

REGULAR AGENDA APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- 1. 8/14/2023 Regular Meeting Minutes
- 2. 8/14/2023 Executive Session Minutes

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

ORDINANCE - PUBLIC HEARING AND ADOPTION

ORDINANCE 2023-10 - AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE BOROUGH OF FAR HILLS' ACCEPTANCE OF A 200-FOOT-WIDE SCENIC CORRIDOR EASEMENT, STREAM CORRIDOR CONSERVATION EASEMENT, AND RIGHT-OF-WAY EASEMENT (LAKE ROAD) IN CONNECTION WITH THE PLANNING BOARD'S GRANT OF VARIANCE RELIEF FOR THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 20 LAKE ROAD Tabled from 8/14/2023 Meeting

ORDINANCE 2023-11 – AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$19,305.00 FOR POLICE ALCOTEST EQUIPMENT

ORDINANCE 2023-12 – AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$155,000.00 FOR LAKE ROAD IMPROVEMENTS – SECTION 1 AND 2 – ENGINEERING

ORDINANCE 2023-13 – AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$20,000.00 FOR VILLAGE SIGN PROJECT – SPEED LIMIT AND COUNTY ROUTE CROSS-WALKS – ENGINEERING

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NEW BUSINESS

ORDINANCE - INTRODUCTION

ORDINANCE 2023-14 - AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A STATE UNIFORM CONSTRUCTION CODE ENFORCEMENT AGENCY AND ADOPTING A CONSTRUCTION FEE SCHEDULE

CONSENT AGENDA

The items listed within the consent agenda portion of the meeting have been referred to the Borough Council for reading and study; a copy placed on the table in the meeting room and is considered routine and will be enacted with one motion the Borough Council with no separate discussion. If separate discussion is required, the item may be removed from the agenda by Borough Council action and placed on the regular agenda under new business.

RESOLUTIONS

- 1. Resolution 23-147 Authorizing Waiver of Sign Permit
 Far Hills Race Meeting Association, Inc.
- 2. Resolution 23-148 Authorizing Raffle License Far Hills Race Meeting Association, Inc.
- 3. Resolution 23-149 Authorizing PB Escrow Refunds Various Accounts
- 4. Resolution 23-150 Authorizing Release of Maintenance Guarantee B5 L3
- 5. Resolution 23-151 Authorizing Purchase of Alcotest Equipment Draeger, Inc.
- 6. Resolution 23-152 Payment of Bill List

PUBLIC COMMENT – The Mayor and Council welcome comments from any member of the public. To help facilitate an orderly meeting and to permit the opportunity for anyone who wishes to be heard, speakers shall limit their comments to 5 minutes.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

- 1. Resolution 23-153
 - Attorney Client Privilege Litigation Far Hills in Crisis, Inc.
 - Attorney Client Privilege Litigation Peace and Quiet Farm, LLC
 - Attorney Client Privilege Litigation Affordable Housing
 - Contract Negotiations PBA Contract

ADJOURNMENT

Dorothy S. Hicks, Borough Clerk