

**MEETING AGENDA  
SOUTH PLAINFIELD MAYOR AND COUNCIL**

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**JUNE 5, 2023**

**Agenda Meeting begins at 7:00 p.m.**

*(Subject to change pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-8(d) – this agenda is tentative to the extent known at time of posting)*

**PUBLIC COMMENTS – Pursuant to Article IV, Section 2 of the By-Laws, “the presiding officer shall limit such discussion to not more than three-minute duration”**

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1. Agenda Meeting Call to Order by Mayor Anesh in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-6 with adequate notice of this meeting being provided to the Borough’s two official newspapers and published on the Borough’s website.
  2. Roll Call by Municipal Clerk
  3. Review of Agenda items
  4. Council Comments on Agenda items
  5. **Resolution – Executive Session**  
  
Exec #23-192 Authorize the entering into Executive Session in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act, P.L. 1975, Ch. 231 for the following item(s):
    - There are no closed session matters for this evening.
  6. **Public Hearing– Release of Performance Bonds**
    - Release of a Performance Bond Reduction Posted by PSI Inc. for Public Improvements to Block 523, Lots 1, 2, 2.02, & 2.03
  7. Public Comment on Agenda Items Only
  8. Adjourn Agenda Meeting
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**PUBLIC MEETING OF MAYOR AND COUNCIL  
JUNE 5, 2023**

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2. Roll Call by Municipal Clerk
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Invocation by Councilwoman Mott (please remain standing)
5. **Public Comment** – On Agenda Items Only
6. **Approval of Council Minutes:**
  - May 15, 2023 - Agenda Meeting
  - May 15, 2023 – Public Meeting
  - May 15, 2023 – Executive Session
7. **Presentation** –Swearing in of Police Officers (*Resolution #23-192A below*)
  - #23-192A Authorizing the hiring of Wesley Bowe and Ricky Pellegrino as Police Officer with an annual salary pursuant to the salary ordinance and/or local contract effective July 10, 2023

8. **Presentation:** South Plainfield Women’s Leadership Team – Essay Contest Award

9. **Proclamation:** PTSD Awareness Month  
Pride Month  
Juneteenth Day

10. **ORDINANCE – SECOND READING BY TITLE** – Mayor Anesh opens the floor for public hearing.

2269 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2138, SECTIONS 230-8 & 230-24 PERTAINING TO CHAPTER 230 OF THE BOROUGH CODE TITLED “FIRE PREVENTION”

11. **ORDINANCE – FIRST READING BY TITLE** – Mayor Anesh sets the public hearing for June 19, 2023 at approx. 7 p.m.

2270 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2267 THAT PROVIDES FOR THE COMPENSATION OF EMPLOYEES OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH PLAINFIELD AND THE METHOD OF PAYMENT OF SUCH COMPENSATION FOR THE YEAR 2023 FOR DPW, TEAMSTERS LOCAL UNION NO. 469

2271 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2260 THAT PROVIDES FOR THE COMPENSATION OF EMPLOYEES OF THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH PLAINFIELD AND THE METHOD OF PAYMENT OF SUCH COMPENSATION FOR THE YEAR 2023 TO ADD ACTING BUILDING SUBCODE OFFICIAL

12. **MUNICIPAL BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING**

- **Public Hearing of the 2023 Municipal Budget**

Mayor opens the floor for public hearing  
Mayor closes the public hearing

- **23-193A Authorizing the Approval of a Minor 2023 Municipal Budget Amendment**  
(Copy available on Borough’s website) (No public hearing required)

Mayor calls for motion to approve the 2023 Municipal Budget Amendment

- **23-193 Authorizing the Adoption of the 2023 Municipal Budget**  
(Copy available on Borough’s website)

Mayor calls for motion to adopt the 2023 Municipal Budget

13. **RESOLUTIONS:**

23-194 Authorizing the approval and renewal of Liquor Licenses for 2023-2024 that have met all requirements

23-195 Authorizing the release of a performance bond posted by PSI Inc. for public improvements to Block 523, Lots 1, 2, 2.02, & 2.03

23-196 Authorizing the public auction by the Police Department for abandoned unclaimed vehicle(s)

23-197 Authorizing the services of GovDeals Inc. for the electronic auction of municipal or unclaimed surplus property no longer needed for public use by the Borough of South Plainfield

23-198 Authorizing the shared service agreement between the Borough of South Plainfield and the County of Somerset DPW for the sharing of equipment and personnel

23-199 Authorizing Senior Center refunds to various seniors due to cancelled trip

- 23-200 Authorizing a Developers Agreement between the Borough of South Plainfield and Colonial Oaks, LLC
- 23-201 Authorizing the refund of a tax overpayment in the amount of \$2,408.82 pertaining to Block 216, Lot 1.02
- 23-202 Authorizing various refunds pertaining to Legends Camp fees
- 23-203 Authorizing the award of a bid to Topline Construction for improvements to Norwood Avenue in an amount not to exceed \$938,921.83
- 23-204 Authorizing the appointment of Mark McDonough as Acting Building Subcode Official at the additional hourly rate of \$4.20 for the week of June 5, 2023
- 23-205 Authorizing the hiring of additional part-time 2023 Summer Recreation personnel
- 23-206 Authorizing Change Order #1 to Topline Construction for 2023 road and sewer improvements to increase the scope of the project to include improvements to Hopkinson St., Kenneth Ave., and additional line striping at various locations for the increased amount of \$154,000.00
- 23-207 Authorizing the ESCNJ Cooperative purchase and installation of park equipment for Putnam Park in an amount not to exceed \$226,561.56
- 23-208 Authorizing the ESCNJ Cooperative purchase and installation of PG PIP Surfacing for Putnam Park in an amount not to exceed \$129,483.33

14. **CORRESPONDENCE**

- Board of Health Monthly Report – May, 2023
- BEDAG Minutes – February 1, 2023

15. **PAYMENT OF BILLS**

Current Fund	3-01	951,642.09
Current Fund	2-01	13,825.00
Pool Utility	3-26	0.00
Pool Utility	2-26	10,065.88
Sewer Utility	3-07	107,163.95
Sewer Utility	2-07	0.00
Sewer Utility Capital	C-08	0.00
General Capital	C-04	44,973.88
Pool Capital	C-27	23,164.00
Election Account	E-18	0.00
Grant Fund	G-02	99.00
Dog Trust	T-12	6,144.28
Treasurers Trust	T-13	3,565.40
Recreation Trust	T-14	175.00
Senior Citizen Trust	T-16	0.00
	T-11	226.67
<b>Total All Funds:</b>		<b>\$1,161,045.25</b>

16. **COUNCIL REPORTS**

17. **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

18. **ADJOURNMENT**