



CITY OF PORT REPUBLIC
CITY COUNCIL REORGANIZATION MEETING
AGENDA
JANUARY 7, 2025 - 6:00 p.m.

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY CITY CLERK BRANDY M. BLEVIN

NOTICE OF THIS MEETING HAS BEEN PUBLISHED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT

FLAG SALUTE

INVOCATION by Pastor Frank Brown of Port Community Church

OATHS OF OFFICE

Roger Giberson – Council-at-Large – term commencing 1/1/2025, expiring 12/31/2028

Steven Allgeyer – Ward I – term commencing 1/1/2025, expiring 12/31/2027

David L. Crawford - Ward II - term commencing 1/1/2025, expiring 12/31/2027

ROLL CALL

ELECTION OF COUNCIL PRESIDENT

Nomination Heard

Roll Call

Administration of Oath

ELECTION OF COUNCIL PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

Nominations Heard

Roll Call

Administration of Oath of Office

MAYOR'S STATE OF THE CITY ADDRESS

Consent Agenda: *All matters listed under the Consent Agenda are considered to be routine by this City Council and will be enacted by one motion in the form listed. There will be no separate discussion of these items. If discussion is desired, that item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and will be considered separately.*

RESOLUTIONS

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| No. 1-2025 | Approving Temporary Budget for 2025 |
| No. 2-2025 | Authorization of Cash Management Plan |
| No. 3-2025 | Establishing Depository Funds for 2024 |
| No. 4-2025 | Authorization of Petty Cash Fund in the amount of \$100.00 |
| No. 5-2025 | Establishing Charges for Municipal Public Records |
| No. 6-2025 | Governing Body Certification Pursuant to P.L. 2017, C. 183 of Compliance with the United States Equal Employment Opportunity Commission's "Enforcement Guidance on the Consideration of Arrest and Conviction Records in Employment Decisions Under Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964" |
| No. 7-2025 | Resolution Indicating the Schedule of Regular City Council Meetings for the Year 2025 |
| No. 8-2025 | Establishing Rules of Order |
| No. 9-2025 | Annual Appointments |
| No. 10-2025 | Appointment of Auditor <i>namely Nancy Sbrolla, CPA, RMA of Ford, Scott & Associates, LLC</i> |
| No. 11-2025 | Appointment of City Solicitor <i>namely William Kaufmann, Esq. of Nehmad, Davis & Goldstein, PC</i> |

- No. 12-2025 Appointment of Conflict Municipal Attorney *namely Joseph McGroarty, Esq. of Fitzgerald McGroarty*
- No. 13-2025 Appointment of Planning Board Solicitor *namely Joseph McGroarty, Esq. of Fitzgerald McGroarty*
- No. 14-2025 Appointment of Bond Counsel *namely Joel Fleishman, Esq. of Fleishman Daniels Law Offices, LLC*
- No. 15-2025 Appointment of Risk Management Consultant *namely John D'Agostino*
- No. 16-2025 Appointing Fund Commissioner *namely Monica Giberson*
- No. 17-2025 Appointment of Public Safety Director *namely Scott Winneberger*
- No. 18-2025 Appointment of DPW Consultant & Stormwater Management Coordinator *namely Bill Montag*
- No. 19-2025 Appointment of PACO *namely Brandy M. Blevin*
- No. 20-2025 Appointment of Animal Control Company *namely A-Academy*
- No. 21-2025 Appointment of Cleaner for City Hall *namely Maria Hamill*
- No. 22-2025 Appointment of Emergency Management Coordinator *namely Scott Winneberger*
- No. 23-2025 Authorizing an Agreement with Electronic Recyclers International
- No. 24-2025 Authorization to Perform Aerial Applications for Mosquito Control
- No. 25-2025 Authorizing an Agreement with Deer Carcass Removal Service
- No. 26-2025 Authorizing a Cooperative Service Agreement with the United States Department of Agriculture
- No. 27-2025 Fixing the Rate of Interest to be Charged on Delinquent Taxes and Setting the Grace Period
- No. 28-2025 Authorizing Cancellation of Certain Taxes with Delinquent and Credit Balances Under Five Dollars
- No. 29-2025 Authorizing a Tax Sale Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 54:5-19
- No. 30-2025 Authorizing Tax Assessor to Act as Agent and to File Petition(s) of Appeals to Increase Tax Assessment
- No. 31-2025 Authorizing Tax Assessor to Act as Agent and to File Petition(s) of Appeals to Decrease Tax Assessment
- No. 32-2025 Designation of Official Newspaper - *The Press of Atlantic City*
- No. 33-2025 Designation of Secondary Newspaper - *The Hammonton Gazette*
- No. 34-2025 Designation of Shelter for Stray Animals – *The Humane Society of Atlantic County*
- No. 35-2025 Volunteer Tuition Credit Program
- No. 36-2025 Approving Discharge of Fireworks
- No. 37-2025 Establishing Bid Threshold and Authorizing Purchases, Contracts and Agreements Not Exceeding the Local Public Contracts Law Bid Threshold Without Public Advertisement

MAYORAL APPOINTMENTS

- Emergency Management Deputy Coordinator (1-year appointment)
- City Council Liaison to the Planning Board (1-year appointment)
- City Engineer (3-year appointment)
 Resolution No. 38-2025 Appointment of Municipal Engineer *namely Matthew Doran of Polistina & Associates*

COUNCIL PRESIDENT'S COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

COMMENTS FROM MAYOR & MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL

PUBLIC PORTION

ADJOURNMENT OF REORGANIZATION MEETING