

Mayor O'Brien opened the Council Meeting at 7:05 PM. followed by a short prayer and salute to the flag.

- **STATEMENT OF NOTICE OF PUBLICATION**

Municipal Clerk Farbaniec announced that this March 26, 2018 Council Meeting has been advertised and posted in accordance with Open Public Meetings Act Chapter 231, P.L. 1975 by advertising in the Home News Tribune, notifying the Star Ledger and the Sentinel Publishing Co., posting on the bulletin board, and is on file in her office.

- **ROLL CALL:**

Present: Councilpersons Buchanan, Grillo, Kilpatrick, Melendez, Novak

Absent: Councilman Lembo

Others Present: Mayor Kennedy O'Brien  
Daniel E. Frankel, Business Administrator  
Wayne A. Kronowski, C.F.O./Treasurer  
Theresa A. Farbaniec, Municipal Clerk  
Michael DuPont, Esq., Borough Attorney  
Jay Cornell, P.E., Borough Engineer

Others Absent: None

Mayor stated that before the meeting starts today he would call for a moment of silence for Frank Woods. A moment of silence was observed by all in attendance.

- **APPROVAL OF PRIOR MINUTES OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL:**

Council President Kilpatrick moved the following Council Minutes be approved, subject to correction if necessary:

- ☒ February 12, 2018 - Budget Session
- ☒ February 27, 2018 - Receipt of Bids (Improvements to Haag Street)
- ☒ March 12, 2018 - Council and Agenda Sessions

Seconded by Councilwoman Novak.

Roll Call – Councilpersons Kilpatrick, Buchanan, Grillo, Melendez, Novak, all Ayes.

- **RESOLUTION READ IN FULL:**

**RESOLUTION 2017-115**

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the following person is hereby appointed to the following title and department as per NJ Civil Service Commission Procedures:

**NAME OF APPOINTEE:** Shane Zuchek  
Llonnel Faura  
Joseph Jarock

**POSITION:** Police Officers

**DEPARTMENT:** Police Department

**EFFECTIVE:** April 2, 2018

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the compensation to be paid such appointee shall be fixed and determined by the Salary Ordinance or appropriate resolution adopted thereunder fixing the compensation to be paid municipal employees and that this appointment be made subject to all the rules and regulations of the New Jersey Civil Service Commission.

/s/ Daniel Buchanan Councilman  
(Public Safety Committee)

**ATTEST:**

**BOROUGH OF SAYREVILLE**

/s/ Theresa A. Farbaniec, RMC  
Municipal Clerk

/s/ Kennedy O'Brien  
Mayor

Councilwoman Novak moved the Resolution be approved on roll call vote. Seconded by Councilman Buchanan.

Roll Call: Councilpersons Novak, Buchanan, Grillo, Kilpatrick, Melendez.

Mayor O'Brien opened the meeting to the public for questions or comments on the appointment of the three officers. There were no appearances.

Councilwoman Novak moved the Public Portion be closed. Seconded by Councilman Buchanan.

Roll Call: Voice Vote, all Ayes.

Mayor welcomed the three officers to the Sayreville Police Department.

- **PROCLAMATION**

## **PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS**, Sexual Assault Awareness Month and the observance of "Denim Day" are intended to draw attention to the fact that sexual violence is widespread and has public health implications for every community member of Middlesex County, including lifelong mental health impact; and

**WHEREAS**, Sexual Assault, sexual abuse, and sexual harassment greatly impact our community as statistics indicate 1 in 4 girls and 1 in 6 boys are sexually abused before age 18 with many more experiencing other types of sexual violence in their adult life; and

**WHEREAS**, Prevention is possible so we must work together to educate our community about what can be done to stop sexual violence while supporting survivors; and

**WHEREAS**, Staff and volunteers of anti-violence and prevention programs in Middlesex County including the Middlesex County Center for Empowerment and Sexual Violence Prevention Coalition encourage every person to speak out when witnessing acts of violence, however small, and to challenge the social norms that continue to perpetuate a culture of violence; and

**WHEREAS**, the New Jersey Sex Crimes Officers Association and the Middlesex County Sex Crimes Liaison Officers in connection with the Middlesex County Prosecutor's Office are dedicated to ensuring the effective investigation and prosecution of sex crimes in our community through interagency collaboration and training; and

**WHEREAS**, with leadership, dedication, and encouragement, there is compelling evidence that we can be successful in reducing sexual violence in Middlesex County through increased awareness, prevention education focused on increasing gender equity, healthy relationships, and bystander intervention, and holding perpetrators who commit acts of violence responsible for their actions; and

**WHEREAS**, throughout the month of April, Middlesex County strongly supports the efforts of national, state and local partners, and of every citizen to actively engage in public and private efforts, including conversations about what sexual violence is; how to prevent it; how to help survivors connect with services; and how every segment of our society can work together to better address sexual violence; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kennedy O'Brien, Mayor of the Borough of Sayreville**, in collaboration with Middlesex County do hereby proclaim April 2018 as Sexual Assault Awareness Month and that we join anti-sexual violence advocates and support service programs in the belief that all community members must be part of the solution to end sexual violence and encourage the observation of Denim Day on Wednesday, April 25<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have caused this Proclamation to be issued and the

official seal of the Borough duly affixed this 26<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2018 and the same duly attested by the Borough Clerk.

/s/ Kennedy O'Brien

Councilwoman Novak made a motion to approve the Mayor's Proclamation. Seconded by Councilman Buchanan.

Roll Call: Voice Vote, all Ayes.

- **PRESENTATION**

- **Mayor called forward the following:**

- PBA Member Rebekah Moralos, Sayreville Police Department Patrolwoman. She announced that the Sayreville Police Department is currently implementing a program called **The Veteran Outreach Coordinators** to better serve the unique needs of veterans. Officers who are on duty will have the additional responsibility to work with our Dept. of Veteran Affairs and various other organizations like the Veteran Crisis Outreach Hotline, Catholic Charities, Operation Chill Out, Different Loan Officers for VA Loans and counsellors who specialize in PTSD. She explained that while working on the road they have encountered many veterans in different phases of their lives. Some who have adjusted very well others who have had a hard time adjusting to civilian lives. This program will give the Police Officers the ability to assist them and give them more permanent solutions to assist them to whatever problems they are facing. Patrolwoman Moralos went on to explain a second program called the **Jr. Police Academy** program. A 1 week program open to residents entering the 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grades. She went on to explain the program.

- Barbara Kilcomons, 22 Schmitt Street

- Barbara spoke about Jake Zollinger, a former Code Enforcement officer for the Borough who passed away last week. She also said that he was the first President of the Historical Society and was instrumental in saving the Sayre and Fisher Tower. She explained that her husband was involved in the demolition of the Brick Yard. She wanted him to save a kiln that was used in manufacturing the bricks which were shipped the NYC. She explained that her husband called an engineer who stated that the tower could be saved then explained how the Historical Society got started from there. She said that Jake was an icon in the community with his old maroon van he drove around in. She stated that he will be sadly missed.

- At this time the Mayor called for a moment of silence in remembrance of Jake Zollinger. A moment of silence was observed by all in attendance.

- Mayor wished condolences from him and his colleagues to Jakes family and friends.

- **EXECUTIVE SESSION** – 15-20 minutes Litigation & Personnel

- Borough Attorney Mr. DuPont read the following Executive Session Resolution into record.

- **RESOLUTION FOR CLOSED SESSION**

- **WHEREAS**, Section 8 of the Open Public Meetings Act, Chapter 231, P.L. 1975 permits the exclusion of the public from a meeting in certain circumstances, and

- **WHEREAS**, this public body is of the opinion that such circumstances presently exist;

- **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Sayreville, County of Middlesex, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. The public portion of this meeting is hereby adjourned in order that the Governing Body may meet in a closed, private session for approximately 15-20 minutes to discuss the following matters:

Litigation & Personnel

2. Following the conclusion of said closed session, the Governing body shall reconvene the open portion of this meeting to consider any other matters which may be properly brought before it at this time.

3. The nature and content of discussion which occurs during closed session shall be made public at the time the need for non-disclosure no longer exists.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the public be excluded and this resolution shall take effect immediately.

/s/ Victoria Kilpatrick, Council President

APPROVED:

/s/ Kennedy O'Brien, Mayor

**Councilwoman Novak moved the Executive Session Resolution be adopted on Roll Call Vote. Motion seconded by Councilwoman Kilpatrick.**

Roll Call, Voice Vote, all Ayes.

Time: 7:13PM

**Reconvene**

Council President Buchanan made a **motion to reconvene**. Motion was seconded by Councilwoman Novak

Roll Call: Voice Vote, all Ayes. - Time 7:57 PM

**OLD BUSINESS:**

- a) Public Hearing on the following Ordinances:  
Municipal Clerk Farbaniec read the heading for the following ordinances listed for Public Hearing:

Mayor O'Brien opened the meeting to the public on Ordinance #400-18.

There were no appearances. Councilman Melendez moved the Public Hearing be closed and the Ordinance adopted on second and final reading and advertised according to law. Motion was seconded by Councilwoman Novak.

Roll Call:

Ayes: Councilpersons Melendez, Buchanan, Grillo, Kilpatrick, Novak.

Nays: None

**ORDINANCE #400-18**  
**AN ORDINANCE SUPPLEMENTING AND AMENDING**  
**ORDINANCE #258-14 FIXING THE SALARIES OF**  
**CERTAIN BOROUGH OFFICIALS, OFFICERS AND**  
**EMPLOYEES FOR THE YEARS 2013, 2014, 2015 AND 2016**

(Temp. Rec. Employees)

(Co. Melendez, Rec. Committee, Public Hearing, March 26, 2018)

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED** by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Sayreville that Ordinance #258-14 is hereby supplemented and amended to include adjustments and corrections to the following:

**Borough of Sayreville – Temporary Employees**  
**2016 Salary & Wage Schedule**

Jr. Instructor – Recreation      Range \$10.00 - \$16.00  
Sr. Instructor – Recreation      Range \$10.00 - \$22.00

**SECTION 2. Severability Clause.**

If any article, section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is, for any reason, held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such decision shall not affect the remaining portions of this Ordinance and they shall remain in full force and effect, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

**SECTION 3. Repealer.**

All other ordinances in conflict or inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed, to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency. In the event of any inconsistencies between the provisions of this Ordinance and any prior ordinance of the Borough, the provisions hereof shall be determined to govern. All other parts, portions and provisions of the Ordinances of the Borough are hereby ratified and confirmed, except where inconsistent with the terms hereof.

**SECTION 4. Effective Date.**

This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon adoption and publication in accordance with the laws of the State of New Jersey.

/s/Ricci Melendez, Councilman  
(Recreation Committee)

**ATTEST:**

**APPROVED:**

/s/Theresa A. Farbaniec, RMC  
Municipal Clerk

/s/Kennedy O'Brien  
Mayor

***APPROVED AS TO FORM:***

/s/Michael DuPont, Esq.  
Borough Attorney

Public Hearing on Ordinance 401-18.

At this time Mayor O'Brien opened the meeting to the public for questions or comments on Ordinance #401-18.

Those appearing were:

- Arthur Rittenhouse, 33 Delikat Lane, Sayreville

Commented about the installation of this light making it impossible for the residents of Sheffield Mews and Main Street Townhomes to exit their development onto Main Street because of the constant flow of traffic where before there were natural breaks enabling the residents to get out. He suggested making it a No Turn on Red coming out of White Oaks and erect a green arrow light to turn right onto Main Street when the left turn lane on Main Street is on.

- Steve Melanaski, Scarlet Drive

Commented that that traffic light helps the residents coming out of White Oaks Drive safely.

Mayor commented that they need to work on additional solutions. He said that it is a benefit for the people on the White Oaks side but there is no natural break in traffic coming out of Sheffield Mews and Main Street Development.

No further questions or comments. Council President Kilpatrick moved the public hearing be closed and the Ordinance be adopted on second and final reading and advertised according to law. Seconded by Councilman Buchanan.

Roll Call – Ayes: Councilpersons Kilpatrick, Buchanan, Grillo, Melendez,  
Novak

- Nays: None

**ORDINANCE #401-18**  
**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF A  
TRAFFIC SIGNAL AT THE INTERSECTION OF WHITE OAKS DRIVE  
AND MAIN STREET (CR 670) IN THE BOROUGH OF SAYREVILLE,  
COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY**  
(Co. Kilpatrick, Public Works Committee)

**BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Sayreville, County of Middlesex, State of New Jersey as follows:

**SECTION 1.** That the intersection of Main Street (CR-670) and White Oaks Drive shall be controlled by a Traffic Control Signal in accordance with the as-built plan bearing the date of January 2018.

**SECTION 2.** That the Traffic Control Signal installed shall be in accordance with the provisions of the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices, Title 39 of the Revised Statutes and the New Jersey Administrative Code; shall conform to the design and shall be maintained in operation, as authorized, and that the Borough of Sayreville formally accepts same.

**SECTION 3.** That all prior ordinances and/or resolutions or portions thereof of the Borough of Sayreville Council inconsistent herewith be and they are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 4.** That this ordinance shall become effective upon adoption and publication as required by law.

**SECTION 5.** That is any clause, section or provision of this ordinance is declared invalid by a Court of competent jurisdiction, such provision shall be deemed a separate distinct and independent provision and shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion hereof.

**SECTION 6.** When the ordinance is finally adopted, the Borough Clerk will send a certified copy of the same to Richard E. Wallner, Middlesex County Engineer, PO Box 871, 75 Bayard Street, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, New Brunswick, NJ 08901 for submission to the Middlesex County Board of Chosen Freeholders for a Consenting Resolution.

**SECTION 7.** Any section of any other Borough rule, regulation, policy, ordinance or requirement that conflicts with any part of this Ordinance is repealed to the extent of the conflict.

**SECTION 8.** If any chapter, section, subchapter or paragraph of this Ordinance be declared unconstitutional, invalid, or inoperative, in whole or in part, by a court of competent jurisdiction, such chapter, section, subchapter, or paragraph shall to the extent that it is not held unconstitutional, invalid, or inoperative remain in full force and effect and shall not affect the remainder of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 9.** This Ordinance shall take effect immediately or as required by law.

/s/ Victoria Kilpatrick, Council President  
(Public Works Committee)

**ATTEST:**

**APPROVED:**

/s/ Theresa A. Farbaniec, RMC

/s/ Kennedy O'Brien, Mayor

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

/s/ Michael R. DuPont, Borough Attorney

Public Hearing on Ordinance 402-18.

Mayor O'Brien opened the meeting to the public on Ordinance #402-18.

There were no appearances. Councilwoman Kilpatrick moved the Public Hearing be closed and the Ordinance adopted on second and final reading and advertised according to law. Motion was seconded by Councilwoman Novak.

Roll Call:

Ayes: Councilpersons Kilpatrick, Melendez, Buchanan, Grillo, Novak.

Nays: None

**ORDINANCE #402-18**  
**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING**  
**CHAPTER XVII OF THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES**  
**OF THE BOROUGH OF SAYREVILLE TO ADD**  
**SECTION 17-4 MUNICIPAL BOAT LAUNCHING FACILITIES**

(Co. Kilpatrick, Public Works Committee)

BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Sayreville, in the County of Middlesex, State of New Jersey, that the Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of Sayreville are hereby amended as follows:

17-4 - MUNICIPAL BOAT LAUNCHING FACILITIES

a. Eligibility. Persons eighteen (18) years of age or older, both residents and nonresidents of the Borough of Sayreville, shall be eligible to use the Buchanan Waterfront Park subsequent to complying with the requirements set forth hereunder.

b. Registration: All applicants eighteen (18) years of age or older must present current license and registrations, which clearly state the permit holder's name and address, for each of the following: driver's license, watercraft registration and trailer registration. . All required licenses and registrations must be current. Other information may be required by order of the Mayor and Council or other authorized agency.

Sayreville Resident Veterans with DD214 certificate, first watercraft annual permits are free.

Sayreville Resident Volunteer - Firemen, First Aid & Police Auxiliary with proof of service, first watercraft annual permit is free.

c. Permits.

1. All required permits shall be serially numbered for identification purposes. Permit holders engaged in launching or retrieving their watercraft shall at all times have their permits permanently affixed to the watercraft by registration numbers and on the trailer crank stem and visible to attendant. Trailer transporting two (2) watercraft must have permit affixed and displayed for each watercraft.

(a.) Permit Fees.

	1 <sup>st</sup> watercraft	2 <sup>nd</sup> watercraft
<b>Annual</b>		
Sayreville resident	80.00	30.00
Sayreville resident senior citizen (65+)	55.00	25.00
Nonresident	160.00	60.00
Nonresident senior citizen (65+)	110.00	50.00
Sayreville Resident Veterans, Vol. Fireman, First Aid, Police Aux	Free	30.00
Commercial	300.00	
<b>Daily</b>		
Resident	15.00	
Nonresident	30.00	
Commercial	50.00	
<b>Additional fees:</b>		
Replacement trailer stickers	5.00	
Replacement watercraft Sticker	5.00	

(b.) Notwithstanding the content of any State Statute, or code, any individual who is an active member in good standing of a duly authorized Police Auxiliary, Volunteer Fire Department, and/or Volunteer First Aid Squad recognized by the Borough of Sayreville, shall be entitled to a waiver of any license fee or

portion thereof which is not specifically mandated or fixed by State Statute or regulation. Said fee waiver shall apply only to individuals who are active members in good standing for at least two (2) years in a recognized Police Auxiliary, Volunteer Fire Department and/or Volunteer First Aid Squad of the Borough of Sayreville and who has received training as required by the State of New Jersey, County of Middlesex, and/or Borough of Sayreville. In addition, said waiver shall apply only to the individual and shall not apply to any business, organization, or corporate entity in which the individual is a shareholder, stockholder, partner or principal agent, except that an individual may apply for a fee waiver similar to the fee waiver granted to veterans of military service pursuant to State Statutes.

(c.) *Parking of Trailers for Daily Permit Holders.* The attendant on duty will issue daily permits which must be displayed as required in Section 17-4. Any vehicle with trailer in tow which does not display the property decal or daily permit or any vehicle not parked in the correct designated area will be ticketed and towed at the owner's expense.

d. *Facility Rules and Regulations.* The Borough Recreation Advisory Board shall promulgate rules and regulations governing the use of the boat launch facility and same shall be posted on-site and shall also be distributed to all permit applicants and daily applicants at the time of registration. Failure to comply with these rules and regulations, especially as impacts safety, shall be cause for the possible forfeiture of the offender's permit to use the facility. Daily users may be barred from future use of the facility and tickets issued under violation and penalties.

1. *Facility Use.* Shall be on a first-come basis with no reservations accepted. Parking shall be limited to designated areas or as directed by park attendant. Use of docks and boat ramps shall be at the permit holder's own risk.

2. *Facility Schedule.* Boat launching facilities at the River Road Facility shall be open for permit holders from January 1 through December 31. Park hours shall be from sunrise to 11:00 p.m. and boat ramp shall be open twenty-four (24) hours.

e. *Park Attendant.* The Park Attendant shall be vested with the authority to carry out all applicable rules and regulations regarding the use of the facility and the conduct of permit holders and their guests. This authority shall include but not be limited to the following:

1. Collection and certification of daily launching fees;
2. Direct permit holders and other as to parking;
3. Cause to remove any person not complying with these published rules and regulations;
4. Close facility in the event of storms and/or any unsafe boat launching conditions.

f. *Conduct.* Persons using this facility shall conform to sportsmanlike conduct and civility. Persons violating rules and regulations either oral or written shall be subject to removal from the site and/or have their permits suspended. This decision shall be rendered by the Borough Council.

g. *Food and Drink.* Food and nonalcoholic beverages shall be restricted to the picnic area. No alcoholic beverages of any kind shall be permitted or consumed at this facility. Food and drink may be stored on the boat for consumption away from the facility. Only vendors authorized by the Mayor and Council shall be permitted at the facility to dispense food and nonalcoholic beverages or other saleable product.

h. *Signs.* There shall be signs posted at the Borough's boat launching facilities stating:

1. BOAT LAUNCHING FACILITIES SHALL BE OPEN FROM JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31.

(a.) Daily permits issued during normal operating hours from Memorial Day to Labor Day at Buchanan Waterfront Park. From Labor Day to Memorial Day at the Recreation Office 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mondays to Fridays only. Weekend users from Labor Day to Memorial Day must get their permits during the week at the Recreation Office. All daily permits must be displayed on driver's side dashboard.

2. USE OF DOCKS AREA SHALL BE AT YOUR OWN RISK.

3. PENALTIES WILL BE IMPOSED FOR ALL VEHICLES, BOATS AND TRAILERS NOT HAVING PROPER PERMITS.

i. *Violations and Penalties.* Any violation of this section shall, upon conviction thereof, be punishable by a fine of not less than one hundred (\$100.00) dollars and not more than one thousand two hundred fifty (\$1,250.00) dollars, by imprisonment not to exceed ninety (90) days or by community service of not more than ninety (90) days, or any combination of fine, imprisonment or community service, as determined in the discretion of the Municipal Court. Repeat violators (three (3) or more violations) shall also be subject to revocation of permits.

j. *Enforcement.* The Borough Recreation Advisory Board shall be authorized to enforce the requirements set forth hereunder for use of the municipal launch facilities solely by permit holders who shall have paid the appropriate fees and affixed and displayed such permits as required hereunder.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Sayreville, in the County of Middlesex, that Chapter XVII, Section 17-4 Municipal Boat Launching Facilities, of the Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of Sayreville, shall be added to reflect such change.

All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed and this Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage and publication in accordance with law.

/s/ Ricci Melendez, Councilman  
(Recreation Committee)

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

/s/ Theresa A. Farbaniec, RMC

/s/ Kennedy O'Brien, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

/s/ Michael R. DuPont, Esquire  
Borough Attorney

Public Hearing on Ordinance 403-18.

Mayor O'Brien opened the meeting to the public on Ordinance #403-18.

There were no appearances. Councilwoman Novak moved the Public Hearing be closed and the Ordinance adopted on second and final reading and advertised according to law. Motion was seconded by Councilwoman Kilpatrick.

Roll Call:

Ayes: Councilpersons Novak, Buchanan, Grillo, Kilpatrick, Melendez.

Nays: None

**ORDINANCE #403-18**  
**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING**  
**CHAPTER II OF THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES**  
**OF THE BOROUGH OF SAYREVILLE**  
**TO AMEND SECTION 2-15.5 "FEES"**

(Co. Novak, Admin. & Finance Committee)

**BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED** by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Sayreville, in the County of Middlesex, that the Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of Sayreville are hereby amended as follows:

**Section 1.** This Ordinance amends Chapter 2 of the Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of Sayreville by amending Section 2-15.5:

b. ~~Recreation.~~ The following fees shall be established for the programs listed below as provided for by the Department of Recreation.

<i>Program</i>	<i>Fee</i>	
1. Gymnastics	\$40.00	
2. Wrestling Program (Winter/Summer)	\$45.00	Resident
	\$55.00	Non-Resident
3. Wrestling Program (clinic)	\$25.00	
4. Girl's Field Hockey Camp	\$25.00	Resident
	\$35.00	Non-Resident
5. Softball League Fee	\$90.00	
6. Softball per person/team member	\$25.00	Non-Resident
7. Softball Game Forfeit Fee	\$84.00	Two Umpires
8. Softball Game Forfeit Fee	\$42.00	One Umpire
9. Horseshoe League Fee	\$30.00	
10. Horseshoe per person/team member	\$10.00	Non-Resident
11. Volleyball Youth Co-ed	\$10.00	Non-Resident
12. Volleyball Adult (Winter at H.S.)	\$8.00	
13. Volleyball Adult (except Winter) League Fee	\$45.00	
14. Volleyball Adult (except Winter) per person/team member	\$10.00	Non-Resident
15. Volleyball Game Forfeit Fee	\$44.00	
16. Volleyball Children's	\$35.00	Resident
	\$45.00	Non-Resident
17. Basketball Camp	\$65.00	Resident
	\$75.00	Non-Resident
18. Floor Hockey	\$40.00	Resident
	\$50.00	Non-Resident
19. Hurdle Clinic (per day fee)	\$15.00	Resident
	\$20.00	Non-Resident
20. Tennis	\$30.00	Resident
	\$40.00	Non-Resident
21. Ceramics	\$20.00	
	\$25.00	Non-Resident
22. Down by the Seashore	\$20.00	Resident
	\$25.00	Non-Resident
23. Candy Making	\$20.00	Resident
	\$20.00	Non-Resident
24. Chefs of the Future	\$30.00	Resident
	\$40.00	Non-Resident
25. Cooking with Allison	\$20.00	Resident
	\$25.00	Non-Resident
26. Cooking	\$20.00	Resident
	\$25.00	Non-Resident

27. Working with Plastic Molds	\$20.00	Resident
	\$25.00	Non-Resident
28. Rings N' Things	\$20.00	Resident
	\$25.00	Non-Resident
29. Summer Band	\$40.00	Resident
	\$50.00	Non-Resident
30. Seashells & More	\$20.00	Resident
	\$25.00	Non-Resident
31. Fun with Wood	\$20.00	Resident
	\$25.00	Non-Resident
32. Scratch Art	\$20.00	Resident
	\$25.00	Non-Resident
33. Crafty Us	\$30.00	Resident
	\$40.00	Non-Resident
34. After School Program		
(a) Middle School 2 Month Program		
(1) One (1) month enrollment	\$20.00	
(2) Two (2) month enrollment	\$35.00	
(b) Middle School 3 Month Program		
(1) One (1) month enrollment	\$20.00	
(2) Two (2) month enrollment	\$35.00	
(3) Three (3) month enrollment	\$50.00	
(c) Middle School 5 Month Program		
(1) One (1) month enrollment	\$20.00	
(2) Two (2) month enrollment	\$35.00	
(3) Three (3) month enrollment	\$50.00	
(4) Four (4) month enrollment	\$65.00	
(5) Five (5) month enrollment	\$75.00	
(d) Middle School Programs (multiple birth/additional child)		
(1) Second child enrolled	2/3 of Fee	
(2) Third child enrolled	1/3 of Fee	
(All Multiple Child Fees are rounded up to the nearest dollar)		
35. Recreation Programs		
(a) One (1) hour per day program	\$5.00	Resident
	\$6.00	Non-Resident
(b) One and one half (1 ½) hour per day program	\$6.00	Resident
	\$7.00	Non-Resident
36. Parks Program	\$45.00	Resident
	\$55.00	Non-Resident
37. Creative Wood Crafts (after school)	\$15.00	Resident
	\$25.00	Non-Resident
38. Beginning Latch Hook (after school)	\$15.00	Resident
	\$25.00	Non-Resident
39. Mom & Me (one (1) hour per day)	\$2.50	Resident
	\$3.00	Non-Resident
40. Exercise	\$45.00	Resident
	\$55.00	Non-Resident
41. Exercise (one (1) hour per day)	\$3.00	Adult

	\$1.50	Child
42. Story Hour/Tiny Tots	\$80.00	Resident
	\$90.00	Non-Resident
(a) Two (2) hour per day	\$4.00	Resident
	\$3.50	Non-Resident
(b) Two (2) hour per day/third day	\$3.00	Resident
	\$3.50	Non-Resident
43. Motion	\$25.00	Resident
	\$35.00	Non-Resident
44. Crafts	\$25.00	Resident
	\$35.00	Non-Resident
45. Cultural Crafts	\$20.00	Resident
	\$25.00	Non-Resident
46. Creative Kids	\$20.00	Resident
	\$25.00	Non-Resident
47. Summer Youth Camp (per week)	\$10.00	
48. Instrumental Music	\$40.00	
49. Sports Clinics (five (5) hours per day)	\$25.00	Resident
	\$30.00	Non-Resident
50. Ski Trip	(Based Upon Prevailing Costs)	
51. Sports & Stuff	\$20.00	
52. Adult Exercise to Music	\$25.00	
53. Stardust (a children's musical theatre workshop)		
(a) First child	\$55.00	Resident
	\$65.00	Non-Resident
(b) Second child	\$45.00	Resident
	\$55.00	Non-Resident
54. Yes You Can Learn (basic understanding of fine art)	\$20.00	
55. Lets Be Creative	\$20.00	
56. Craft Art (various cultural projects)	\$20.00	
57. Projects of Wood	\$20.00	
58. Crafty Activities	\$20.00	
59. Seashore Crafts	\$20.00	

c. ~~Boat Launch~~ - The following fees shall be established for the use of any boat launch, dock or marina operated by the Borough.

<i>Program</i>	<i>Fee</i>	
1. Annual Boat Launch (per boat)	\$20.00	Resident
	\$150.00	Non-Resident
2. Extra Annual Boat Launch (per boat)	\$15.00	Resident
	\$50.00	Non-Resident
3. Senior Annual Boat Launch (per boat)	\$10.00	Resident
	\$45.00	Non-Resident
4. Extra Senior Boat Launch (per boat)	\$5.00	Resident
	\$15.00	Non-Resident
5. Daily Boat Launch (per launch)	\$7.00	Resident
	\$15.00	Non-Resident

~~(l) Boat Launching Fee Exemptions.~~

~~(a) Notwithstanding the content of any State Statute, or code, any individual who is an active member in good standing of a duly authorized Police Auxiliary, Volunteer Fire Department, and/or Volunteer First Aid Squad recognized by the Borough of Sayreville, shall be entitled to a waiver of any license fee or portion thereof which is not specifically mandated or fixed by State Statute or regulation. Said fee waiver shall apply only to individuals who are active members in good standing for at least two (2) years in a recognized Police Auxiliary, Volunteer Fire Department and/or Volunteer First Aid Squad of the Borough of Sayreville and who has received training as required by the State of New Jersey, County of Middlesex, and/or Borough of Sayreville. In addition, said waiver shall apply to individuals with exempt member status of the Volunteer Fire Department and/or Life Members of the Volunteer First Aid Squad. Said fee waiver shall apply only to the individual and shall not apply to any business, organization, or corporate entity in which the individual is a shareholder, stockholder, partner or principal agent, except that an individual may apply for a fee waiver similar to the fee waiver granted to veterans of military service pursuant to State Statutes.~~

~~f. Skate Park Fees. The following fees shall be applicable to use of the Sayreville Skate Park at Kennedy Park:~~

~~1. Annual Permit (January 1—December 31):~~

<del>Residents:</del>	<del>\$60.00</del>
<del>Non-Residents</del>	<del>120.00</del>

~~Note: Annual permits issued after September 1 in any calendar year shall be issued at the following reduced rate:~~

<del>Residents:</del>	<del>\$30.00</del>
<del>Non-Residents</del>	<del>60.00</del>

~~2. Daily Permits~~

<del>Residents:</del>	<del>\$5.00</del>
<del>Non-Residents</del>	<del>10.00</del>

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Sayreville, in the County of Middlesex, that **Chapter Two Section 2.15.5 “Fees”**, of the Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of Sayreville, shall be amended to reflect said change.

All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed and this Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage and publication in accordance with law.

/s/ Mary J. Novak, Councilwoman  
(Admin. & Finance Committee)

**ATTEST:**

/s/ Theresa A. Farbaniec, RMC  
Municipal Clerk

**APPROVED:**

Kennedy O’Brien, Mayor

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

/s/ Michael R. DuPont, Esquire  
Borough Attorney

b) **Appointments** (worksheet in packet)

Mayor noted that he received a letter of resignation from Pat Walsh from the Zoning Board of Adjustment

Mayor called for the appointment of David Sivilli to replace Pat Walsh.

Seconded by Councilwoman Kilpatrick.

Roll Call - Ayes: Councilpersons Kilpatrick, Buchanan, Grillo, Melendez, Novak.

Nays: None

Mayor called for the appointment of Shirley Meirose to the Cultrual Arts Counsel. Seconded by Councilwoman Kilpatrick.

Roll Call - Ayes: Councilpersons Kilpatrick, Buchanan, Grillo, Melendez, Novak.

Nays: None

Mayor called for the appointment of Maria Rittenhouse to the Commission on Aging. Seconded by Councilman Buchanan.

Roll Call - Ayes: Councilpersons Buchanan, Grillo, Kilpatrick, Melendez, Novak.

Nays: None

## 5. NEW BUSINESS:

a) Introduction of the following ordinances:

## 6. CONSENT AGENDA/RESOLUTIONS

- PUBLIC PORTION AND APPROVAL ON CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS ONLY

**\*\*OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**

### • CONSENT AGENDA/RESOLUTIONS

At this time the Mayor opened the meeting for questions or comments on Consent Agenda Resolutions.

Those appearing were:

- Barbara Kilcomons, 22 Schmitt Street

Questioned if the Resolutions appointing the three employees in the Dept. of Public Works were replacements for retirees?

Councilwoman Kilpatrick responded that they are replacements.

Questioned the resolution 2018-111 fixing interest charges for non-payment of taxes and how much they were.

Response by the CFO that this item deals with outstanding tax and water charges in excess of \$10,000. at end of year. This is a housekeeping item that needed updating.

Questioned Resolution #2018-113 Declining the self-exam of the municipal budget.

Response by the CFO that this item comes up every three years and this year he would like the State to do it inasmuch as this is his last year as CFO.

No further questions or comments. Mayor O'Brien called for a motion.

Council President Kilpatrick moved the public portion be closed and the Consent Agenda Resolutions be approved on Roll Call Vote. Motion was seconded by Councilwoman Novak.

Roll Call on Consent Agenda Resolutions:

Ayes: Councilpersons Kilpatrick, Buchanan, Grillo, Melendez, Novak.

Nays: None.

Before Councilman Grillo's vote on the resolutions he made the following comment with regards to Resolution #2018-114. He stated that there is a commercial section within the River Road development and we suggested that the planning board analyze if the height could be increased in that building and create

residential, should we be short of units. He asked if they would consider that- which is not in the original plan and determine if that is something that could be included.

**RESOLUTION #2018-105**

**WHEREAS**, all bills submitted to the Borough of Sayreville covering services, work, labor and material furnished the Borough of Sayreville have been duly audited by the appropriate committee;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** that all bills properly verified according to law and properly audited by the appropriate committees be and the same are hereby ordered to be paid by the appropriate Borough officials.

/s/Kennedy O'Brien  
Kennedy O'Brien, Mayor

/s/Daniel Buchanan  
Councilman Daniel Buchanan

Absent  
Councilman Pasquale Lembo

/s/Steven Grillo  
Councilman Steven Grillo

/s/ Ricci Melendez  
Councilman Ricci Melendez

/s/Victoria Kilpatrick  
Councilwoman Victoria Kilpatrick

/s/Mary J. Novak  
Councilwoman Mary J. Novak

**Bill list of March 26, 2018 in the amount of \$2,531,789.74 in a separate Bill List File for 2018 (See Appendix Bill List 2017-A for this date).**

**RESOLUTION #2018-106**

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the following person is hereby appointed to the following title and department as per NJ Civil Service Commission Procedures:

NAME OF APPOINTEE: Nicholas Tsaptsinos  
POSITION: Laborer  
DEPARTMENT: Department of Public Works  
EFFECTIVE: April 1, 2018

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the compensation to be paid such appointee shall be fixed and determined by the Salary Ordinance or appropriate resolution adopted thereunder fixing the compensation to be paid municipal employees and that this appointment be made subject to all the rules and regulations of the New Jersey Civil Service Commission.

/s/ Victoria Kilpatrick  
Victoria Kilpatrick, Councilwoman  
(Public Works Committee)

**ATTEST:**

**BOROUGH OF SAYREVILLE**

/s/ Theresa A. Farbaniec  
Theresa A. Farbaniec, RMC  
Municipal Clerk

/s/Kennedy O'Brien  
Kennedy O'Brien  
Mayor

**RESOLUTION #2018-107**

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the following person is hereby appointed to the following title and department as per NJ Civil Service Commission Procedures:

NAME OF APPOINTEE: Edward Grella  
POSITION: Laborer  
DEPARTMENT: Department of Public Works  
EFFECTIVE: April 1, 2018

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the compensation to be paid such appointee shall be fixed and determined by the Salary Ordinance or appropriate resolution adopted thereunder fixing the compensation to be paid municipal employees and that this appointment be made subject to all the rules and regulations of the New Jersey Civil Service Commission.

/s/ Victoria Kilpatrick  
Victoria Kilpatrick, Councilwoman  
(Public Works Committee)

**ATTEST: BOROUGH OF SAYREVILLE**

/s/ Theresa A. Farbaniec  
Theresa A. Farbaniec, RMC  
Municipal Clerk

/s/Kennedy O'Brien  
Kennedy O'Brien  
Mayor

**RESOLUTION #2018-108**

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the following person is hereby appointed to the following title and department as per NJ Civil Service Commission Procedures:

NAME OF APPOINTEE: Dawn Meyer  
POSITION: Clerk I  
DEPARTMENT: Department of Public Works  
EFFECTIVE: April 1, 2018

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the compensation to be paid such appointee shall be fixed and determined by the Salary Ordinance or appropriate resolution adopted thereunder fixing the compensation to be paid municipal employees and that this appointment be made subject to all the rules and regulations of the New Jersey Civil Service Commission.

/s/ Victoria Kilpatrick  
Victoria Kilpatrick, Councilwoman  
(Public Works Committee)

**ATTEST: BOROUGH OF SAYREVILLE**

/s/ Theresa A. Farbaniec  
Theresa A. Farbaniec, RMC  
Municipal Clerk

/s/Kennedy O'Brien  
Kennedy O'Brien  
Mayor

**RESOLUTION #2018-109**

**BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** that the Borough Engineer is hereby authorized and directed to execute the necessary NJDEP permit applications associated with the Amboy Bank Site Plan.

/s/Victoria Kilpatrick, Council President  
(Planning & Zoning Committee)

**ATTEST:**

**BOROUGH OF SAYREVILLE**

/s/Theresa A. Farbaniec, RMC  
Municipal Clerk

/s/Kennedy O'Brien  
Mayor

**RESOLUTION #2018-110**

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the Borough Engineer is hereby authorized and directed to prepare plans and specifications for the 2018 Roadway Paving and Reconstruction Project at a fee not to exceed \$295,000.00 and upon approval of said plans and specifications that Borough Clerk is authorized to advertise for the receipt of bids.

/s/Victoria Kilpatrick, Councilman  
(Public Works Committee)

**ATTEST:**

**BOROUGH OF SAYREVILLE**

/s/Theresa A. Farbaniec, RMC  
Municipal Clerk

/s/Kennedy O'Brien  
Mayor

**RESOLUTION #2018-111**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 54:4-66.1, taxes in municipalities billed under a calendar based fiscal year shall be payable for the first quarterly installment of the year on February 1, for the second quarterly installment on May 1, for the third quarterly installment on August 1, and for the fourth quarterly installment on November 1; and

**WHEREAS**, N.J.S.A. 54:4-67 provides that the governing body may fix the rate of interest to be charged for the non-payment of taxes, assessments &/or other municipal liens or charges; and

**WHEREAS**, N.J.S.A. 54:4-67(a), further provides that taxes shall not be subject to interest charges if payment of any installment is made within the tenth calendar day following the date upon which the same became payable; and

**WHEREAS**, N.J.S.A. 54:4-67 (c), provides that within the current fiscal year if any delinquency is in excess to \$10,000.00, a penalty not to exceed 6% may be charged; and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Municipal Council of the Borough of Sayreville, that in accordance with N.J.S.A. 54:4-66 et seq, the rate of interest to be charged on delinquent taxes and all other municipal liens or charges for the first, second, third and fourth quarterly installments of year **2018** shall be eight percent (8%) per annum on the first \$1,500.00 of delinquency and eighteen percent (18%) per annum on any amount in excess of \$1,500.00 to be calculated from the date the tax was payable until the date of actual payment to the collector is received provided that no interest shall be charged if payment of any installment is made on or before the tenth calendar day following the date upon which same became payable; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a penalty of six percent (6%) be charged on all delinquent municipal charges in excess of \$10,000.00 that are not paid prior to the end of the fiscal year.

/s/Mary J. Novak, Councilwoman  
(Admin. & Finance Committee)

**ATTEST:**

**BOROUGH OF SAYREVILLE**

/s/Theresa A. Farbaniec, RMC  
Municipal Clerk

/s/Kennedy O'Brien  
Mayor

**RESOLUTION #2018-112**  
**GOVERNING BODY CERTIFICATION 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"**

**WHEREAS**, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-5 as amended by P.L. 2017, c.183 requires that the governing body of each municipality and county to certify that their local unit's hiring practices comply 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," as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 2000 et seq., (April 25, 2012) before submitting its approved annual budget to the Division of Local Government Services in the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs; and

**WHEREAS**, the members of the governing body have familiarized themselves with the contents of the above-referenced enforcement guidance and with their local unit's hiring practices as they pertain to the consideration of an individual's criminal history, as evidenced by the group affidavit form of the governing body attached hereto.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Borough Council of the Borough of Sayreville, hereby states that it has complied with N.J.S.A. 40A:4-5, as amended by P.L. 2017, c.183, by certifying that the local unit's hiring practices comply with the above-referenced enforcement guidance and hereby directs the Clerk to cause to be maintained and available for inspection a certified copy of this resolution and the required affidavit to show evidence of said compliance.

/s/Mary J. Novak, Councilwoman  
(Admin. & Finance Committee)

**ATTEST:**

**BOROUGH OF SAYREVILLE**

/s/Theresa A. Farbaniec, RMC  
Municipal Clerk

/s/Kennedy O'Brien  
Mayor

**RESOLUTION #2018-113**  
**RESOLUTION DECLINING SELF-EXAMINATION**  
**OF THE 2018 LOCAL MUNICIPAL BUDGET**

**WHEREAS**, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-78b has authorized the Local Finance Board to adopt rules that permit municipalities in sound fiscal condition to assume the responsibility, normally granted to the Director of the Division of Local Government Services, of conducting the annual budget examination; and

**WHEREAS**, N.J.A.C. 5:30-7 was adopted by the Local Finance Board on February 11, 1997; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-7.2 through 7.5, the Borough of Sayreville has been declared eligible to participate in the program by the Division of Local Government Services; and

**WHEREAS**, the local government wishes to decline participation in the self-examination of the 2018 Local Municipal Budget.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the governing body of the Borough of Sayreville that the Borough requests that the Division of Local Government Services perform the review of the 2018 Local Municipal Budget.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a copy of this resolution will be forwarded to the Director of the Division of Local Government Services upon adoption.

/s/Mary J. Novak, Councilwoman  
(Admin. & Finance Committee)

**ATTEST:**

**BOROUGH OF SAYREVILLE**

/s/Theresa A. Farbaniec, RMC  
Municipal Clerk

/s/Kennedy O'Brien  
Mayor

**RESOLUTION #2018-114**

**WHEREAS**, on January 27, 2003 the Borough deemed the following property as an area in need of Redevelopment:

- Block 175 Lots 9, 12.03, 12.04, 12.05
- Block 175, Lots 1 and 2
- Block 176, Lots 2.02 and 2.04

; and

**WHEREAS**, a portion of Block 175, Lots 9, 10, 11 and 12.04 is a component of the Settlement Agreement between the Borough of Sayreville and the Fair Share Housing Center (FSHC) and is also one of the affordable housing sites identified in the Sayreville Housing Element/Fair Share (HE/FSP) plan adopted by the Planning Board on August 2, 2017; and

**WHEREAS**, recently the Borough and SERA determined that it is more appropriate to significantly increase the number of affordable family rental units and reduce the number of market rate units by the developer; and

**WHEREAS**, the Governing Body of the Borough of Sayreville feels that it would be in the best interest of the Borough that an addendum be made to the River Road Redevelopment Plan reflect these changes.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLED** that the attached River Road Redevelopment Plan Addendum be referred to the Planning Board for their review and recommendation and compliance with the Master Plan.

/s/ Victoria Kilpatrick, Councilwoman  
(Planning & Zoning Committee)

**ATTEST:**

**BOROUGH OF SAYREVILLE**

/s/ Theresa A. Farbaniec, RMC  
Municipal Clerk

/s/ Kennedy O'Brien  
Mayor

**RESOLUTION READ IN FULL**

**RESOLUTION 2018-116**

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the following person is hereby appointed to the following title and department as per NJ Civil Service Commission Procedures:

**NAME OF APPOINTEE:** Denise Biancamano

**POSITION:** Municipal Treasurer/  
Chief Financial Officer

**DEPARTMENT:** Department of Finance

**EFFECTIVE:** May 1, 2018

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the compensation to be paid such appointee shall be fixed and determined by the Salary Ordinance or appropriate resolution adopted thereunder fixing the compensation to be paid municipal employees and that this appointment be made subject to all the rules and regulations of the New Jersey Civil Service Commission.

/s/ Mary J. Novak, Councilwoman  
(Admin. & Finance Committee)

/s/Theresa A. Farbaniec, RMC  
Municipal Clerk

/s/Kennedy O'Brien  
Mayor

Mayor O'Brien opened the meeting to the public for questions or comments on the appointment of a new CFO to replace Wayne Kronowski upon his retirement. There were no appearances.

Councilwoman Novak moved the Resolution be approved on roll call vote. Seconded by Councilman Buchanan.

Roll Call – Ayes: Councilpersons Buchanan, Kilpatrick, Melendez, Novak.  
Nay: Councilman Grillo.

- **PUBLIC PORTION**

At this time Mayor O'Brien opened the meeting to the public for questions or comments on any and all matters.

Those appearing were:

- Steve Melanaski, Scarlett Drive

Talked about the COAH Proformer being incorrect. Said that someone needs to look at what it is going to cost the residents of this town and the toll on the infrastructure of the town and the impact on the schools.

- William Gawron,

Said that he spoke with Ms. Davis tonight before the meeting and asked what happened with the waiver and if she supplied a copy to the Borough Clerk. She indicated that she did not but will have to get it over. Mr. Gawron felt that the Mayor and Council got lied to by Optimum. The Borough Attorney said that he would call Ms. Davis tomorrow as to where the waiver is. Mr. Gawron also asked what happened to the State Legislature getting involved as directed. Mr. Frankel said that he had reached to our representatives from the 19<sup>th</sup> District and have not heard back from them but will follow-up. Mr. Gawron urged the council not to renew Optimum's agreement. Councilwoman Novak said that Mr. Bartlinski said that he spoke with someone from there who indicated that they did not have such a waiver. They said that they applied for a waiver that had nothing to do with pro-rating or not prorating bills.

- James Lopez, 29 No. Minnisink Avenue

Commented that he is here to support the students, to make their voices heard and asked the council what steps are being taken for safety precautions in all of Sayreville public schools.

- Barbara Kilcomons, 22 Schmitt Street

She spoke about the budget, taxes, public works, employees. She also commented on how unsightly the town looks. She commented on the hours of the employees of the Public Works Department. Mr. Frankel responded to her question regarding employee hours. Mrs. Kilcomons then commented on how deplorable the Sr. Citizens building looks.

- Kim Kominkiewicz

Praised the council

- Junior Romero, 100 Bayard Street, New Brunswick

From the Food and Water Watch Group

Spoke about the Williams Gas Pipeline Expansion

Asked that people sign up as Intervenors and to attend a meeting at the Madison Park Firehouse on April 12, 2018 from 7-9 PM

- Janice Benedetto, 1 Thomas Avenue

Questioned if any court dates have changed and if opposition had been filed.

Response from the Borough Attorney that opposition had been filed and dates are on schedule.

Commented on the appraisals.

- Mike Theile, Police Detective and PBA President

Said that he was part of the budget process and that the budget that was presented by the Police Dept. was not rubber stamped and were not given everything they asked for. He also commented that the council worked on a plan for the window remodeling project at the Sr. Center.

Councilman Grillo commented on how hard the budget is worked on by the council members. He said that an Efficiency Audit may not be a bad idea. He asked if the council would be in support of the Business Administrator looking into other municipalities that may have done the same and seek vendors that perform Efficiency Audit. Councilwoman Novak commented that this was done twice over in the past. Mr. Kronowski said it was done like 20 years ago. Mayor O'Brien said that he would be in favor. Mayor asked if there were any objections. None made. Mayor asked the Business Admin. to obtain quotes.

- Ruth Ann Mahoney, 2 Gerard Place, Parlin

Read an article about So. Brunswick and Princeton were told by the Judge that they have to do it (COAH issue) The Borough Attorney said that there was a ruling by Judge Jacobsen that clearly disputed the methodology of Fair Share Housing and the Developer so it was in the municipalities favor. Comments made by Councilwoman Novak.

- Bill Gawron, Orchard Street

Commented about the wonderful job done by all during the snow storm that they plowed curb to curb, and salted. He said thank you and that he appreciate all they do. Commented about people complaining about the three people in our fire departments getting vehicles to take home, this is not a paid fire dept. they are volunteers and look at the service they provide.

There were no other questions or comments. Mayor O'Brien called for a Motion. **Councilwoman Novak made a motion to close the Public Portion. Seconded by Councilman Buchanan.**

Roll Call: Voice Vote, all Ayes.

Councilwoman Kilpatrick commented about the young people coming out to meetings and expressing their opinions about what is going on in the world today, taking a stand and speaking.

- **ADJOURNMENT**

No further business. Councilwoman Novak moved to adjourn the Council Session. Motion was seconded by Councilman Buchanan.

Roll Call – Voice Vote, all ayes. Carried.

Time 8:46 P.M.

---

Theresa A. Farbaniec, RMC  
Municipal Clerk

---

Date Approved