

**BOROUGH OF LAVALLETTE
CAUCUS/REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL
LAVALLETTE MUNICIPAL BUILDING
Monday, July 6, 2026-7:00 pm**

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Walter G. LaCicero, presiding

ROLL CALL: Council Members Borowski, Zalom, Stogdill, Finter, Shenewolf and Filippone

Also present: Bill Burns, Borough Attorney
Donnelly Amico, Municipal Clerk
John Bennett, Borough Administrator

READING OF THE OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT STATEMENT: Notice of this meeting was published in the Ocean Star on January 9, 2026. Notice was also posted on our municipal bulletin board and municipal website.

MOMENT OF SILENCE:

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

MAYOR'S WELCOMING STATEMENT:

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Regular Meeting of May 18, 2026
Caucus/Regular Meeting of June 1, 2026

Motion: Second: Vote:

REPORTS:

- a) Construction Report for June 2026 -Councilwoman Filippone
- b) Zoning/Code Report for June 2026-Councilwoman Filippone
- c) Municipal Court Report for June 2026-Councilwoman Filippone
- d) Police Overtime Report for June 2026-Councilwoman Filippone
- e) Public Works Report for June 2026-Councilman Finter
- f) Fire Department Report for June 2026-Councilwoman Filippone
- g) Public Affairs-Council President Zalom
- h) Tax Account Report for June 2026-Tax Collector
- i) Revenue Transaction Report for May 2026-Chief Financial Officer
- j) Certificate of Determination and Award of BAN-Chief Financial Officer

Motion: Second: Vote:

ON CONSENT AGENDA/OFF CONSENT AGENDA, AND VOUCHERS:

RESOLUTIONS – ON CONSENT:

- 2026-179 approving the submission of the grant application with the NJDOT for the Pennsylvania, Philadelphia and New Brunswick Avenue Road Improvement Project
- 2026-180 requesting approval of items of revenue and appropriation for insertion of 2026 Recycling Tonnage Grant in the amount of \$6,018.30
- 2026-181 awarding a contract to Water Service Professionals of PA, Inc. in the amount of \$25,000
- 2026-182 appointing Ted Golubowski as a backup Water Distributor, Water Treatment and Sewer Collection Operator and as a Consultant for the Borough on an as needed basis
- 2026-183 approving the employment of two individuals as seasonal beach crew and one individual as a seasonal sanitation laborer
- 2026-184 rejecting the bids for the Jake’s Law Grant Inclusive Playground at Chandler Field due to the two bids exceeding the cost estimates for the goods and services
- 2026-185 confirming the appointment of Charles Farrah as the Acting Public Works Supt. with an annual salary of \$168,240.00
- 2026-186 approving the appointment of Vincent Percella as the Acting Assistant Public Works Supt. with an annual salary of \$100,000 effective July 1 ,2026

Motion: Second: Discussion: Vote:

RESOLUTIONS - OFF CONSENT:

- 2026-187 approving a stipend of \$5,000 for 2026 summer season for Craig Stogdill for his Supervisory position with the Beach Badge Office

Motion: Second: Discussion: Vote:

APPROVAL OF VOUCHERS:

- 2026-188 Bills List in the amount of \$1,369,064.27

Motion: Second: Vote:

ORDINANCES ON FOR PUBLIC HEARING AND FINAL ADOPTION:

Ordinance No. 2026-15 (1300) Ordinance Amending Chapter 90 (Zoning) to Permit Fitness Facilities and Instructional Studios in the B-1 Business District and the B-2 Downtown Business District and to Establish Off-Street Parking Standards for Such Uses

Motion: Second: Public Hearing: Vote:

Ordinance No. 2026-16 (1301) Ordinance Amending Chapter 20 “Construction Codes, Uniform,” of the Code of the Borough of Lavallette to Remove All References to the Borough of Seaside Park and to the Terminated Shared Services Agreement for Shared Construction, Zoning, and Code Enforcement Departments

Motion: Second: Public Hearing: Vote:

COMMUNICATIONS:

General With No Action:

a) Lavallette Senior Club/James Peeney, President/thanking Mayor and Council for their support in helping with their subsidy of \$1300 towards transportation for their annual trip to the Surflight Theater/June 21, 2026

b) NJ State Legislature/10th District/letter to the NJDOT regarding their Concept Development Study recommendations requesting that they take into consideration the Borough of Lavallette’s responses to these recommendations before advancing to a formal design phase/June 26, 2026

General With No Action:

a) Karen Lamb/121 Philadelphia Avenue/letter requesting a formal review of the current arrangement regarding access to the Lavallette Firehouse restrooms along with idling vehicles in their parking lot/June 30, 2026

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:

COMMENTS OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL MEMBERS:

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

ADJOURNMENT: