

**LINWOOD COMMON COUNCIL**  
**CAUCUS MINUTES**  
**September 26, 2018**

Council President Paolone called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M., noting that the meeting had been advertised in compliance with the requirements of the Open Public Meetings Act.

1. Roll Call

Present: Mayor Rick DePamphilis; Councilwoman Stacy DeDomenicis; Councilman Eric Ford; Councilman Todd Gordon; Councilman Brian Heun; Councilman Darren Matik; and Council President Ralph Paolone.

Absent: Councilman Elliot Beinfest.

Also Present: Joseph L. Youngblood, Jr., City Solicitor; Vince Polistina, City Engineer; Jen Heller, Engineer's Office; Anthony Strazzeri, CFO; Chief Doug Carman, Police Department; Captain John Hamilton, Police Department; and Leigh Ann Napoli, Municipal Clerk.

2. Approval of Minutes Without Formal Reading

Councilman Ford motioned, seconded by Councilman Heun, to approve the minutes of the September 12, 2018 Caucus meeting without formal reading. All present members of Council were in favor. Motion was approved.

3. Councilman Beinfest

A. Neighborhood Services

1. Council President Paolone discussed an Ordinance on the agenda, for final reading, amending Chapter 83, Consumption in Public to allow for the consumption of alcoholic beverages at special municipal or municipal affiliated events.

4. Councilman Ford

A. Planning & Development

1. Councilman Ford discussed a Resolution authorizing an extension for temporary signage for the Linwood Panthers till December 1, 2018. The Panthers requested the extension because they did not get the signs from the printer until after the start date of the previous approval.
2. Councilman Ford discussed three Resolutions on the agenda authorizing refunds of unused escrow funds.

5. Councilman Gordon

A. Engineering

1. Councilman Gordon discussed two Resolutions authorizing grant applications for the Bike Path Extension Project – Phase 2, and the Resurfacing of Brighton Drive Development Area.
2. Councilman Gordon advised of Resolutions awarding Contracts to Arawak Paving for the Resurfacing of Bartlett, Van Sant, Marie, and Richards – Rebid (Contract No. 18), and the 2018 Road Program (Contract No. 19) that includes the paving of Fischer Road, Evergreen Road, Park Road, Lake Drive, Ireland Avenue, Morris Avenue, Melody Lane, and Sutton Avenue.

6. Councilman Matik

A. Revenue & Finance

B. Emergency Management

1. Councilman Matik advised that he would like to pull the Ordinance on the agenda amending Chapter 183 Nuisances to add time limits on noise for commercial establishments. He would like to amend the language and re-introduce the Ordinance at the next meeting.
2. Councilman Matik advised of an Ordinance on the agenda for final reading amending Chapter 263 Vehicles and Traffic to add snow emergency no parking areas.

7. Council President Paolone
  - A. Administration
    1. Council President Paolone advised of Resolutions on the agenda authorizing Raffle Licenses to Gildas Club of South Jersey and the Alcove Center for Grieving Children & Families
    2. Council President Paolone reminded everyone that the annual group picture is scheduled for October 10, 2018 at 5:30 pm.

At 6:05 P.M., Council President Paolone called a recess.

Respectfully submitted,

Leigh Ann Napoli, RMC  
Municipal Clerk