

Agenda

Council Meeting
Monday, December 2, 2024
Council Chambers

6:30 p.m. Caucus – Meeting to immediately follow the Caucus
Live via Facebook @ <http://facebook.com/lackawannany/>

Meeting Called to Order/Pledge of Allegiance.
NB: Meeting being recorded.

Roll Call: Council: Muflahi, Anderson, Moretti, Surdyke, Marrano
Dept. Heads: Law, Development/Marketing, Public Works, Public Safety, Assistant Comptroller, Recreation

Hearings from Citizens:

Approval of Minutes: of the Regular Meeting of November 18, 2024.

Departmental Reports:

1. **Assistant Comptroller** – A/P Check Listing #11, dated 11/20/2024.

Communications from the Mayor:

2. **Mayor Iafallo** - Requests the City Council approve Commissioner of Deeds Status for herself and her secretary, Gail Nicholson. Term to expire 12/31/2026.

Communications from Division/Department Heads:

3. **Director of Public Safety** - Requests the City Council approve Commissioner of Deeds Status for 23 employees of the Police Department. Term to expire 12/31/2026. List of employees attached.
4. **Director of Development** - Requests the City Council approve Commissioner of Deeds Status for Shannon Katra, Scott Hayes, Steve Balon, Wanda Turner and Mustafa Mohamed. All are employees of the City of Lackawanna. Term to expire 12/31/2026.
5. **City Attorney** – Requests the City Council approve and authorize the execution of the attached agreement with SelectOne; a job placement agency that will assist the City in finding a qualified candidate for the City Comptroller position.
6. **City Attorney** – Requests the City Council approve the Commissioner of Deeds Status for Denise Fitzgibbons, an employee in the Law Department. Term to expire 12/31/2026
7. **Chief of Police** – Requests the City Council approve an ordinance placing insurance funds received in the Police Cars Budget line.

7(A) An ordinance amending the 2024 – 2025 Budget Ordinances recognizing the receipt of revenue from insurance proceeds, 'Insurance Recoveries' budget line to 'Police Cars' budget line in the amount of \$49,175.

8. **Fire Chief** – Requests the City Council approve an ordinance creating a budget line and advanced funding for the purchase of needed equipment. The Fire Department was awarded a DASNY grant in the amount of \$400,000.

8(A) an ordinance amending the 2024 -2025 Budget Ordinances to add the Budget Code **“Purchase and Installation of Safety Equipment (DASNY)”**. And to allocate budgeted funds in the amount of \$400,000 to this newly created budget code.

Business Registrations:

Alec Seifer, Seifer Fitness, LLC 3292 South Park Ave., Personal Training and Fitness. This location has been a fitness facility. Mr. Seifer is the new owner.

Jamee Felt, Catholic Charities WIC, 1234 Abbott Road, Suite 530, supplemental nutrition program for families.

Tabled Items:

Old Business:

Adjournment:

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