

**AGENDA TO THE EXTENT KNOWN AT TIME OF
POSTING ON 11/12/24 AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE UP
UNTIL THE TIME OF THE MEETING**

**AGENDA FOR THE MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF HARDYSTON TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 13, 2024 AT 7:00
P.M.**

CALL TO ORDER: Adequate notice of this meeting was provided to the public and the press by delivering to the press and posting in the Municipal Building, the Annual Meeting Notice.

ROLL CALL

SALUTE THE FLAG

CONSENT AGENDA: ALL MATTERS LISTED BELOW ARE CONSIDERED TO BE ROUTINE IN NATURE AND WILL BE ENACTED BY ONE MOTION. THERE WILL BE NO SEPARATE DISCUSSION OF THE ITEMS. IF ANY DISCUSSION IS DESIRED, THAT PARTICULAR ITEM WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA AND WILL BE CONSIDERED SEPARATELY.

Monthly Reports:

1. Municipal Clerk Report – September 2024
2. Tax Collector Report – September 2024
3. Construction Certificate Activity Report – September 2024
4. Construction Permit Activity Report – Hardyston – September 2024
5. Construction Permit Activity Report – Hamburg – September 2024
6. Construction Permit Activity Report – Franklin – September 2024
7. Construction Permit Activity Report – Newton – September 2024
8. Construction Permit Activity Report – Sussex – September 2024
9. Construction Permit Activity Report – Wantage – September 2024
10. Municipal Court Report – September 2024
11. Police Department Report – September 2024
12. Land Use Report – September 2024
13. Department of Public Works Report - September 2024
14. Zoning Officer Report – September 2024
15. Sussex County Health Department Report – September 2024

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Agreements/Applications/Licenses:

1. Raffle – Wallkill Valley Band Boosters, Inc.
2. Raffle – The Rotary Club of Wallkill Valley
3. Hardyston Township Fire Department - New Member Application
4. Sharp Business Systems – Equipment Lease Agreement

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MANAGERS REPORT

ORDINANCES

1ST READING:

2024-20

ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HARDYSTON, COUNTY OF SUSSEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AUTHORIZING THE DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS PROPERTY PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:12-13 ET SEQ.

ORDINANCES

2ND READING:

2024-13

BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE ACQUISITION OF A NEW FIRE TRUCK BY THE TOWNSHIP OF HARDYSTON, IN THE COUNTY OF SUSSEX, NEW JERSEY, APPROPRIATING \$2,100,000 THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$2,000,000 BONDS OR NOTES OF THE TOWNSHIP FOR FINANCING SUCH APPROPRIATION

2024-14

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HARDYSTON, SUSSEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY AMENDING AND MODIFYING CHAPTER 185 “ZONING”, ARTICLE XXV “STORMWATER MANAGEMENT”, OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HARDYSTON GENERAL CODE

2024-15

ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HARDYSTON, COUNTY OF SUSSEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY AMENDING CHAPTER 60, ANIMALS, OF THE TOWNSHIP GENERAL CODE TO ESTABLISH REGULATIONS PROHIBITING THE FEEDING OF WILDLIFE IN ANY PUBLIC PARK OR PROPERTY OWNED BY THE TOWNSHIP OF HARDYSTON

2024-16

ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HARDYSTON, COUNTY OF SUSSEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY AMENDING THE TOWNSHIP CODE BY ESTABLISHING CHAPTER 153, STORM SEWERS

2024-17

ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HARDYSTON, COUNTY OF SUSSEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY AMENDING CHAPTER 152, SOLID WASTE OF THE TOWNSHIP GENERAL CODE TO CREATE NEW ARTICLES REGULATING THE DISPOSAL OF YARD WASTE AND PET WASTE

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2024-18

ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HARDYSTON, COUNTY OF SUSSEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY AMENDING CHAPTER 114, LITTERING OF THE TOWNSHIP GENERAL CODE TO AMEND AND SUPPLEMENT THE DEFINITION OF LITTERING

2024-19

ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HARDYSTON, COUNTY OF SUSSEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY REPEALING CHAPTER 116, LOITERING, OF THE TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL CODE

OLD BUSINESS:

- A. 3490 Rt. 94 Redevelopment Site
- B. Street Lighting
- C. First Aid Squad Building
- D. Solar Project – Lasinski Road

NEW BUSINESS:

- A. Resolution #82-24 – Resolution awarding a contract for the purchase of a 105’ aerial ladder truck from Pierce through the Houston Galveston Area Council Purchasing Cooperative Contract #FS12-23
- B. Tax Collector Resolutions
 - 1. Resolution #84-24 – Veteran Exemption Refund – 108 Tarrington Road – Block 16.37, Lot 1.15
 - 2. Resolution #85-24 – Veteran Exemption Refund – 4 Indian Field Drive – Block 67.09, Lot 1.60
- C. Resolution #86-24 – Resolution approving a Corrective Action Plan for the 2023 Audit
- D. Resolution #87-24 – Resolution authorizing the execution of a first amendment to shared service agreement between the Township of Hardyston and the Hardyston Township Municipal Utilities Authority for the appointment of Acting Chief Financial Officer (for the period of 10/01/24 to 12/31/24)
- E. Resolution #88-24 – Resolution authorizing the disposal of surplus property
- F. Resolution #89-24 – Hardyston Municipal Court – Cancel Outstanding Check Balance
- G. Resolution #90-24 – Resolution to adopt and allocate funds for an outdoor fitness court as part of the 2025 National Fitness Campaign
- H. Resolution #91-24 – Resolution authorizing Dedication by Rider for Lead Hazard Control Assistance Fund
- I. Resolution #92-24 – Resolution providing for the insertion of a Special Item of Revenue in the 2024 Budget of the Township of Hardyston pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:4-87 (Chapter 159, P.L. 1948)

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- J. Resolution #93-24 – Resolution authorizing the submission of the CY2024/SFY 2025 Best Practices Inventory
- K. Tax Collector Resolution
 - 1. Resolution #94-24 – Tax Lien Redemption – 29 Mountain View Court – Block 67.03, Lot 1.27
- L. Resolution #95-24 – Resolution authorizing the Township of Hardyston to accept a subgrant award of the Federal Fiscal Year 2024 Emergency Management Performance Grant and the Emergency Management Agency Assistance Subgrant
- M. Resolution #96-24 – Fire Prevention Shared Service Agreements
- N. Resolution #97-24 - Shared Service Agreement – Hamburg Borough – Recreation Field Coordinator
- O. Resolution #98-24 – Shared Service Agreement – Curbside Recycling and Municipal Facility Solid Waste Collection Services – Hamburg Borough
- P. Resolution #99-24 – Shared Service Agreement – Park Maintenance and Solid Waste and Recycling Removal – Hardyston Township Board of Education
- Q. Resolution #100-24 – Resolution authorizing the execution of an agreement with the County of Sussex for Transportation Services for Senior Citizens and People with Disabilities who reside in Hardyston Township
- R. Resolution #101-24 – Chief Financial Officer Appointment
- S. Resolution #102-24 – Special Item of Revenue and Appropriation - Chapter 159
- T. Authorization to obtain bids for a freightliner chassis
- U. Gypsy moth suppression treatment
- V. Board Appointments
- W. Correspondence

COUNCIL COMMENTS

BILLS TO BE PAID

PUBLIC PORTION : The public comment portion of our meeting is to allow the public to bring to the Council’s attention their concerns or comments in accordance with N.J.S.A. 10:4-12(a). The Council asks the public to limit their comments to three (3) minutes or less. The Mayor and Council, at their discretion, may choose to respond or not respond. The Township Council will not discuss personnel matters. Please be polite when making your comments, and respectful of others being present. Any person engaging in disruptive behavior will be asked to refrain from such conduct by the Mayor, and should the conduct continue, the person may be asked to leave the meeting.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

ADJOURNMENT

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CORRESPONDENCE

1. Lafayette Township
2. Jefferson Township
3. Hamburg Borough
4. State of NJ
5. State of NJ
6. Lake Gerard
7. Lake Stockholm Systems, Inc.
8. Jefferson Township
9. Jefferson Township
10. State of NJ
11. State of NJ
12. State of NJ
13. MAP Engineering
14. Frank Cicerale
15. NJ Land Consultants, LLC
16. Saul Ewing, LLP