

**BOROUGH OF LAVALLETTE
CAUCUS/REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL
LAVALLETTE MUNICIPAL BUILDING
Monday, March 23, 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:

PROCLAMATION FOR NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK

ON CONSENT AGENDA/OFF CONSENT AGENDA, AND VOUCHERS:

RESOLUTIONS – ON CONSENT:

Motion: Second: Discussion: Vote:

RESOLUTIONS - OFF CONSENT:

2026-87 approving a facilities use application to Soccer Shots to hold their children's soccer program on Chandler Field on Mondays, starting March 23rd through June 1st and June 22nd through August 10th 2026

2026-88 approving the hiring of a Class II Special Officer at an hourly rate of \$19.00 effective March 16, 2026

2026-89 approving a facilities use application to Beach House Studio to hold yoga classes on the ocean beach at Pennsylvania Ave starting May 22nd through October 1st 2026 M-Th-F-S-Sun from 7:45am to 8:45am and Tue from 6:30pm to 7:30pm and on Wed on the Camden Avenue grassy area by bay beach from 6:30pm to 7:30pm

- 2026-90 appointing Charles Farrah as Acting Public Works Superintendent effective April 1, 2026
- 2026-91 approving a facilities use application to Breathe Life Yoga to hold yoga classes on the Trenton and Philadelphia ocean beaches starting May 23rd through September 30th 2026, Mon through Sun 7am to 8:30am
- 2026-92 approving the employment of three individuals for the Department of Public Works at an hourly rate of \$16.25
- 2026-93 approving the facilities use application to K Rock Fitness to hold exercise fitness classes on the old basketball courts starting May 23rd through September 5th 2026 T-Th-Sat from 8am to 9am
- 2026-94 establishing the allocation of salaries of certain employees within the Borough
- 2026-95 approving 6 individuals to attend the OC Police Academy Class I training commencing May 18, 2026
- 2026-96 approving 1 individual to attend the OC Police Academy Class II training commencing April 24, 2026
- 2026-97 capital budget

APPROVAL OF VOUCHERS:

- 2026-98 Bills List in the amount of \$1,504,021.55

Motion: Second: Vote:

ORDINANCES ON FOR FIRST READING/INTRODUCTION:

Bond Ordinance No. 2026-02 (1287) Bond Ordinance Providing for the Chandler Park Jake’s Law Improvements Project, Appropriating \$163,000 Therefor and Authorizing the Issuance of \$154,850 Bonds and Notes to Finance a Portion of the Costs Thereof

Motion: Second: Vote:

Public Hearing and Final Adoption is scheduled for April 6, 2026.

Ordinance No. 2026-03 (1288) Ordinance to Exceed the Municipal Budget Appropriations Limits and To Establish a Cap Bank

Motion: Second: Vote:

Public Hearing and Final Adoption is scheduled for April 6, 2026.

INTRODUCTION OF THE 2026 BUDGET: (Budget Resolution) 2026-99

Motion: Second: Vote:

Public Hearing and Final Adoption is scheduled for April 20, 2026.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:

COMMENTS OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL MEMBERS:

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

ADJOURNMENT: