

THE RE-ORGANIZATION MEETING OF THE CITY OF BURLINGTON COMMON COUNCIL, COUNTY OF BURLINGTON, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, WAS HELD ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 6, 2015, AT 7:00 PM, IN THE CITY HALL BUILDING, 525 HIGH STREET, BURLINGTON, NJ, PURSUANT TO THE OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT.

The Municipal Clerk advised the public of the location of the two fire exits; one on the left after exiting the Council Chamber and the other being the entrance to the building.

Members present: Mr. Babula, Mr. Conaway, Mr. Ghaul, Ms. Hatala, Ms. Lollar, Mr. Swan, Ms. Woodard. (7) Absent:(0)

Also present: Municipal Attorney- George Saponaro, Municipal Engineer - Kevin Snowden, Chief Financial Officer- Ken Mac Millan, Administrator- David Ballard, Lt. Snow, Director of Public Affairs, John Alexander

The following notice of the meeting was sent:

There will be a Re-Organization Meeting of the Common Council of the City of Burlington held on Tuesday, January 6, 2015 at 7:00 PM, prevailing time at the City Hall Building, 525 High Street, Burlington, N.J.

Cindy A. Crivaro, RMC
Municipal Clerk

The Invocation was given by Pastor Kevin Lowe of the First Baptist Church.

The Salute to the Flag was held.

Temporary Chairperson for the 2015 Re-Organization Meeting

Councilwoman Woodard was nominated by Councilman Ghaul, seconded by Councilwoman Hatala.

Upon the motion by Councilwoman Hatala, seconded by Councilman Ghaul, nominations were closed.

Councilwoman Woodard was then voted as Temporary Chairperson for the 2015 Re-Organization Meeting by the following roll call vote: AYES: Mr. Babula, Mr. Conaway, Mr. Ghaul, Ms. Hatala, Ms. Lollar, Mr. Swan. (6) NAYS: (0); ABSTAIN: Ms. Woodard. (1); ABSENT:(0).

President of Council for the year 2015

Councilman Babula was nominated by Councilwoman Hatala, seconded by Councilman Ghaul.

Upon the motion by Councilwoman Hatala, seconded by Councilman Ghaul, nominations were closed.

Councilman Babula was then voted as President of Council for the year 2015 by the following roll call vote: AYES: Mr. Conaway, Mr. Ghaul, Ms. Hatala, Ms. Lollar, Ms. Woodard. (6) NAYS: Mr. Swan. (1); ABSTAIN: Mr. Babula. (1); ABSENT:(0).

Vice President of Council for the year 2015

Councilman Ghaul was nominated by Councilwoman Hatala, seconded by Councilwoman Woodard.

Upon the motion by Councilwoman Hatala, seconded by Councilman Conaway, nominations were closed.

Councilman Ghaul was then voted as Vice President of Council for the year 2015 by the following roll call vote: AYES: Mr. Babula, Mr. Conaway, Mr. Ghaul, Ms. Hatala, Ms. Lollar, Mr. Swan, Ms. Woodard. (7) NAYS: (0); ABSTAIN: (0); ABSENT: (0).

Roberts Rules of Order - 10th Edition, for the year 2015

Upon motion of Councilwoman Lollar, seconded by Councilwoman Woodard, Roberts Rules of Order - 10th Edition for 2015 was adopted.

Consent Agenda for year 2015

Upon motion of Councilwoman Lollar, seconded by Councilwoman Woodard, a Consent Agenda for 2015 was adopted.

Limiting citizens to speak no more than five (5) minutes, and only one time during each meeting for the year 2015

Upon motion of Councilwoman Lollar, seconded by Councilwoman Woodard, the limiting of citizens to speak no more than five (5) minutes, and only one time during each meeting was adopted, for the year 2015.

Remarks

Vice President Ghaul thanked everyone for their support voting him as Vice President for the year; wished everyone a Happy New Year.

President Babula reiterated Vice President Ghaul's remarks.

Upon motion of Councilwoman Woodard, seconded by Councilman Swan, the 2015 Re-Organization Meeting of the City of Burlington was adjourned.

Cindy A. Crivaro, RMC
Municipal Clerk