

**BOROUGH OF FOLSOM
COUNCIL MEETING
WORKSHOP MINUTES
October 8, 2019**

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER AT 6:25 PM BY COUNCIL PRESIDENT GREG SCHENKER

OPENING STATEMENT: Adequate notice of this meeting has been given in accordance with the directives of the "Open Public Meetings Act", pursuant to Public Law 1975, Chapter 231. Said notice of this meeting has been advertised in the Hammonton Gazette and has been posted on the Borough Hall bulletin board showing the time and place of said meeting.

ROLL CALL: Councilpersons: Conway, Jantz, Arena, and Hoffman

Absent: Councilman Pagano and Mayor DeStefano

Also Present: Attorney John Carr, CFO Dawn Stollenwerk and Jen Heller (Vince Polistina & Assoc.)

Councilman Schenker discussed with Council a letter he received regarding predatory towing.

Councilman Schenker also discussed the complaints made by resident Barbara Kelsey. Councilman Conway stated that he went to visit her and called a couple of times to discuss these complaints but received no answer.

Councilman Conway expressed his concern on having a court committee so that Folsom has representation regarding the Joint Municipal Court and wanted to know what is being done to correct the coding system in the Hammonton Court System.

Jen Heller (Polistina) discussed the Pinelands Ordinance regarding the Master Plan. Jen asked Council to review the ordinance and call her with any questions before the next meeting. Jen also stated that she will be in Folsom taking a look a couple of flooding issues tomorrow. Jen updated Council on a couple of projects.

MEETING IS FOR DISCUSSION ONLY. NO VOTES WILL BE TAKEN

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC: No Comments

Councilman Schenker stated that due to a higher mild crime rate in Folsom and a lower Folsom School rating our town ranking has dropped as one of the best places to live in New Jersey. Greg stated that Folsom went from 19th to over 200.

CFO Dawn Stollenwerk discussed the Best Practices Questionnaire with Council. Councilman Conway stated that Folsom received a good rating.

With no other discussion the meeting was adjourned at 6:49PM with ayes all.

Respectfully submitted,

Patricia M. Gatto
Municipal Clerk