

**TOWNSHIP OF HARDWICK
TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE WORKSHOP MEETING
WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 2025
6:30 p.m.**

OPENING ROLL CALL

FLAG SALUTE

SUNSHINE STATEMENT

“Adequate notice of this meeting has been provided in accordance with the Open Public Meeting Law.”

Act, P.L. 1975, Ch. 231, setting forth the time, date, place, and purpose of this Public Meeting through a legal notice published in the New Jersey Herald and The Express Times, following the Township’s Annual Reorganization Meeting at which the 2025 meeting schedule was adopted.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

2025-35- Resolution Authorizing Executive Session for the Purpose of

- Contract Negotiation

PUBLIC COMMENT

DEPARTMENT REPORT

MINUTES.

April 16, 2025, Executive Session Meeting Minutes

April 16, 2025 Public Session Meeting Minutes

Motion/ Second AIF:

ORDINANCE

Public Hearing/ Adoption:

2025-05 Ordinance of the Township of Hardwick, County of Warren, State of New Jersey, Repealing and Replacing Section 2-13 Entitled “Road Department” of Chapter 2-Administration to Amend the Position Comprising the Township Road Department.

Motion/ Second Roll Call:

Introduction:

2025-06 Ordinance of the Township of Hardwick, County of Warren, State of New Jersey Amending and Supplementing the Township’s Salary Ordinance to Supplement the Road Department Personnel.

Motion/ Second AIF

Consent Agenda

1. 2025-36- Resolution Reaffirming Fix the S-Curve Resolutions, Requesting the North Jersey Transportation Planning Authority (NJTPA) Include a Fix the S-Curve Study in the Long-Range Transportation Plan, and Soliciting Support
2. 2025-37- Approving Vouchers and Claims

Motion/ Second Roll Call:

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Website Update

Township Fee Schedule

State Development and Redevelopment Plan Cross-Acceptance Process 2024 Cross-Acceptance Manual

Vass Farmstead Lease Update

Municipal Phone Lines

Alinda Lodge Meeting

Dedication Ceremony for the Reopening of Spring Valley Rd.

Veterinary Agreements

Bear Proof Garbage Can Pilot

NEW BUSINESS

Funding the Master Plan Project and the General Property Revaluation Project

Resignation of DPW Employee David Quick

Publication of New Hire for DPW Employee

CORRESPONDENCE

April 29, 2025 Madeline Dubuche NJDOT

Subject: New Traffic Impact Notice

May 1, 2025 Kailene Pierson, Knowlton Township

Subject: I-80 Exit 4 Traffic Study Response & Request for “Fix the S-Curve” to Be in NJTPA Long Range Plan

May 3, 2025 Edward O’Donnell, Jersey Shore Coastal Coalition

Subject: JSCC Letter to Legislators on EMO Package

May 7, 2025 Lisa Hibbs, Concord Engineering

Subject: SWAEC- Updated Procedures/ Documents for GEA Program and Auction

May 12, 2025 Joesph Mancini, Mayor of the Township of Long Beach

Subject: Opposition to NJPACT/ Real Act

May 16, 2025 Jacqueline Galka New Jersey Board of Public Works

Subject: Staff Comments Re: GEA Sussex Warren SWAEC E025050292

TOWNSHIP ATTORNEY

TOWNSHIP CLERK

TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE REPORTS

PUBLIC COMMENT

ADJOURNMENT