



BOROUGH OF BERLIN

WORKSHOP MEETING MINUTES

THURSDAY, APRIL 8, 2021 – 6:30 pm.

Mayor Rick Miller called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm. He stated that adequate notice of this meeting had been given in accordance with the Open Public Meeting Act, Pursuant to Public Law 1975, Chapter 231. Said notice has been advertised in the Courier-Post and posted on the Borough Hall Bulletin Board showing the said meeting's date, place, and time.

After the salute to the Flag, the following roll call was taken:

Present: Councilmembers Badolato, Cummings, Miller, Simone, Pearce and Mayor Miller.
Councilman Hohing arrives at 6: 33 pm.
Absent: Councilman Simone

Also, Present: Howard Long, Solicitor
Dwayne Harris, Clerk/Administrator
Debra DiMattia, CFO
Michaela Bosler, Deputy Clerk

COUNCIL DISCUSSION:

Councilman Len Badolato briefly discussed the pickleball organization has reached out to him again for the installation of a pickleball court.

Councilwoman Patricia Cummings discussed funding for the painting of the water tower.

Council President Jim Pearce discussed that there are contract issues with the DPW Union that he would like to review in closed session.

Councilman Keith Hohing questioned when the public hearing for the budget will be.

Councilman Jake Miller discussed the average home assessment for residential properties in Berlin.

Solicitor Howard Long had nothing to report.

Mayor Miller discussed the rabies clinic will be held this weekend and the details of the event. He further discussed that the senior bus is still on hold. He stated that the county has received additional COVID-19 vaccines.

Motion to Enter into Executive Session – 6:42 PM

For discussion relating to collective bargaining agreements

Moved by: Hohing; **Seconded by:** Miller.

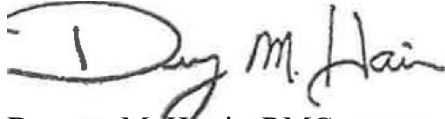
Vote: Motion carried by roll call vote (summary: Yes = 5).

Yes: Badolato, Cummings, Hohing, Miller, Pearce
No: None
Abstain: None
Absent: Simone

Meeting was adjourned at 6:56 PM and everyone transitioned to the courtroom.

I, Dwayne M. Harris, Municipal Clerk/Administrator of the Borough of Berlin, in the County of Camden, State of New Jersey, hereby certify these Minutes were approved by the Governing Body, at its Regular Meeting, held May 13, 2021.

WITNESS my hand this 14th day of May 2021.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dwayne M. Harris". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "D" at the beginning.

Dwayne M. Harris, RMC
Administrator/Clerk