



TOWN OF DOVER MAYOR & BOARD OF ALDERMEN

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA
ELECTRONIC MEETING
FEBRUARY 23, 2021 7:00 P.M.

This Agenda is in Accordance with Town Code §2-6 F (3)

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YouTube Channel found online here:**

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Zoom Information – Phone
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A) CALL MEETING TO ORDER / SUNSHINE STATEMENT – Mayor Carolyn Blackman to call meeting to order and read the Sunshine Statement:

“This meeting is being held in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act, also known as the Sunshine Law, N.J.S.A. 10:4-6. Notice of the meeting was sent to the Daily Record and Star Ledger on January 10, 2021 and published in the Record and Ledger on January 13, 2021. Notice was also posted on the Bulletin Board, in the Lobby and Entrance Doors of the Municipal Building and on the Town of Dover website.”

B) PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Mayor Carolyn Blackman to lead those in attendance in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

C) ROLL CALL – Acting Municipal Clerk to Conduct Roll Call:

Name	Present	Absent	Excused
Alderman Correa			
Alderman Tapia			
Alderman Ballesteros			
Alderwoman Rugg			
Alderwoman Cruz			
Alderman Valencia			
Alderman Quinones			
Alderwoman Wittner			
Mayor Blackman			

D) APPROVAL OF MINUTES

E) REPORT OF COMMITTEES

F) PRESENTATIONS, MUNICIPAL CORRESPONDENCE

- 1) Correspondence from Mine Hill Re: COVID-19 Vaccine
- 2) Proclamation Demonstrating Respect, Appreciation and Thanks to the Dover Fire Department for their outstanding commitment to safety and excellence which has benefited the people of our community.

G) ORDINANCES FOR FIRST READING**H) ORDINANCES FOR SECOND READING, PUBLIC HEARING AND ADOPTION****I) APPROVAL OF BILLS**

- 1) Approval of Bills List (Res. 77-2021)

Resolution 77-2021

	A.M. Correa	A.M. Tapia	A.M. Ballesteros	A.M. Rugg	A.M. Cruz	A.M. Valencia	A.M. Quinones	A.M. Wittner	Mayor Blackman
Motion									
Second									
Yes									
No									
Abstain									

J) APPROVAL OF RESOLUTIONS**1) CONSENT AGENDA RESOLUTIONS**

- 1) Res. 78-2021 – Res. Appointing Class II Police Officers – Harold Ruiz, Christopher Krasnick and Miguel Gatica
- 2) Res. 79-2021 – Res. Confirming Appointment of Firefighter Michael Coyne

Resolutions 78-79 2021

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Motion									
Second									
Yes									
No									
Abstain									

2) RESOLUTIONS FOR DISCUSSION AND CONSIDERATION

- 1) Res. 80-2021 – Res. Awarding a Contract to Billy Contracting and Restoration Inc. for the Public Works Interior Project

Resolution 80-2021

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Motion									
Second									
Yes									
No									
Abstain									

2) Res. 81-2021 – Res. Accepting the Federal Emergency Management Agency Assistance to Firefighters Grant

Resolution 81-2021

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Motion									
Second									
Yes									
No									
Abstain									

K) OLD BUSINESS

L) NEW BUSINESS

1) NEW BUSINESS ITEMS

1) Administrator's Report

2) ITEMS REQUESTED FOR DISCUSSION BY INDIVIDUAL ALDERMEN

1) Ord. 1-2021 Amending Chapter 236-43 "Land Use and Development – Off Street Parking and Loading" to Include Plug-In Electric Vehicles Charging Stations. –

Alderman Quinones and Alderman Correa

2) Ord. 2-2021 Amending Chapter 68 "Department of Recreation" of the Code of the Town of Dover to Update the Name and General Duties of the Department –

Alderman Cruz, Alderman Quinones, Alderman Correa and Alderman Tapia

3) Res. 82-2021 Mandating Anti-Harassment Training for all Elected and Appointed Officials – **Alderman Cruz, Alderman Correa and Alderman Valencia**

M) PUBLIC COMMENT:

The Town of Dover highly values the input of residents in making important decisions that affect the residents of our community. We also believe in the rights of residents to observe Governing Body Meetings. To ensure that all of our residents have the opportunity to offer comment, each statement/comment shall be held to a time period of five (5) minutes. Public comment has been solicited via the following manners:

All comments must include your name and residential address at the beginning of your

comment.

- 1) By hand delivery - Comments may be submitted by hand deliver at Town Hall, located at 37 N. Sussex Street, Dover, NJ 07801 addressed to Acting Municipal Clerk John P. Schmidt. Comments may be dropped off during normal business hours, which are 8:30a.m. to 4:30p.m. up until 1:00 p.m. the day of the meeting.
- 2) By mail - Comments may be submitted by mail to Town Hall, 37 N. Sussex Street, Dover, NJ 07801 addressed to Acting Municipal Clerk John P. Schmidt. Comments must be received by 1:00 p.m., on the day of the meeting.
- 3) By email – Comments may be submitted until 1:00p.m. on the day of the meeting via email to publiccomment@dover.nj.us. The Subject of the Email Should be as follows “Public Meeting Comment” followed by the date of the meeting and Name. Example: **Public Comment 2/23/2021 John Public.**
- 4) All comments submitted in writing must include your name and residential address at the beginning of your comment.
- 5) Members of the public may also comment during the public comment portion by raising their hands via the Zoom platform, or if participating via phone by dialing *9 on your telephonic device. After commenting, please dial *9 again to lower your hand. All members of the public who wish to comment must state their name and residential address after being recognized to speak.

Public comment portions of our agenda are not structured as question and answer sessions, but rather they are offered as opportunities to share your thoughts with the Mayor and Board of Aldermen. The Mayor and Board will attempt to engage in dialogue but may not be able to respond to all public comments. However, all comments are considered and will be investigated and addressed as appropriate.

If you have a question that we are unable to answer at the Meeting, feel free to submit your questions to the Interim Town Administrator or the Office of the Municipal Clerk, in writing, and include your name, address and telephone number where you can be contacted. The email address of the Interim Town Administrator is jbennett@dover.nj.us and the email address of the Clerk’s Office is doverclerk@dover.nj.us. Questions will be answered within a reasonable time.

Please be courteous and mindful of the rights of others when providing comments. Comments may not be abusive, obscene or threatening. All members of the public attending Mayor and Board of Aldermen Meetings must treat each other and the Mayor and Board of Aldermen with respect. Individuals offering comments are not permitted to make personal attacks on any Town Employees, the Mayor or any Member of Town Government, other testifiers or members of the public.

ADJOURNMENT

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