

Mayor Robert Jakubowski
Director of Public Works, Parks, and Buildings

Commissioner Robert O. Lee Director of Public Safety and Affairs

Commissioner Jeffrey Whitman Director of Revenue and Finance

Agenda

Commissioner's Meeting December 19, 2023 7:00 p.m.

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

- 1. OPENING STATEMENT: "Notice of this meeting has been provided in a legal notice published in the Courier Post and The Retrospect and posted in accordance with Title 10 of the New Jersey Statutes Annotated, specifying a 7:00 pm meeting time and that formal action may or may not be taken at all Caucus and Commissioners' Meetings."
- 2. FLAG SALUTE /EXIT DESIGNATIONS
- 3. ROLL CALL
- 4. MOTION TO APPROVE THE MEETING MINUTES:

December 5, 2023

Motion by:

Second by:

All in Favor

- 5. ORDINANCES FOR ACTION:
 - 2023-08 Ordinance of The Board of Commissioners of The Borough Of Audubon, County of Camden and State of New Jersey Amending Chapter 113, Land Development, Article VII, Zoning Regulations, Division 2, Supplemental District Regulations, Section 113-409, Signs, In The Code of The Borough of Audubon

First Reading-November 21, 2023; Public Hearing/Second Reading - December 19, 2023

Motion to Open:

Seconded by:

All in Favor

Motin to Close:

Seconded by:

All in Favor

Motion to Approve:

Second by:

Roll Call Vote

6. RESOLUTIONS FOR ACTION:

2023-169

Authorizing the Payment of Bills for the Month of December 2023

Motion by:

Second by:

Roll Call Vote

• 2023-170

Authorizing the Approval of a 50/50 Raffle License 08-2023 for PTA Avon

Motion by:

Second by:

All in Favor

2023-171 Authorizing the Approval of a Basket Raffle License 09-2023 for PTA Avon Motion by: Second by: All in Favor Authorizing the appointment of Ryan Sheppard as Alternate Fire Marshal for the 2023-172 period December 1, 2023 through December 31, 2024 Motion by: Second by: All in Favor 2023-173 Authorizing the Approval of Change Order Number 001 for the Audubon Senior Center Restroom and Meeting Room Improvements in the amount of \$1,242.26 (contract increase) Motion by: Second by: Roll Call Vote 2023-174 Authorizing the Transfer of Funds in the 2023 Municipal Budget Motion by: Second by: Roll Call Vote

Authorizing Settlement and Mutual Release Agreement with Levy Construction Co., Inc.

Second by:

7. COMMISSIONER REPORTS:

2023-175

- COMMISSIONER LEE
- COMMISSIONER WHITMAN
- MAYOR JAKUBOWSKI
- 8. OPEN SESSION (GENERAL MATTERS):

MOTION TO OPEN

Motion by:

Motion by:

Second by:

All in Favor

Roll Call Vote

MOTION TO CLOSE

Motion by:

Second by:

All in Favor

- 9. CLOSED SESSION (If necessary)
- **10.** ADJOURNMENT:

RESOLUTION #2023-169

PAYMENT OF BILLS

Authorizing the Board of Commissioners of the Borough of Audubon to approve and provide payment for the December bill list.

		Robert Jakubowski, Mayor
		Robert O. Lee, Commissioner
		Jeffrey Whitman, Commissioner
ATTEST:	Denielle In cross Manieiral Clark	
	Danielle Ingves, Municipal Clerk	

DATED:

December 19, 2023

RESOLUTION 2023-170

AUTHORIZING THE APPROVAL OF A 50/50 RAFFLE LICENSE 08-2023 FOR PTA AVON

WHEREAS, BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Commissioners of the Borough of Audubon, do hereby authorize the approval of a 50/50 raffle license – 08-2023 for PTA Avon.

Mayor Robert Jakubowski
Robert O. Lee, Commissioner
Jeffrey Whitman, Commissioner

DATE: December 19, 2023

RESOLUTION 2023-171

AUTHORIZING THE APPROVAL OF A BASKET RAFFLE LICENSE 09-2023 FOR PTA AVON

WHEREAS, BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Commissioners of the Borough of Audubon, do hereby authorize the approval of a Basket Raffle license – 09-2023 for PTA Avon.

Mayor Robert Jakubowski
Robert O. Lee, Commissioner
Jeffrey Whitman, Commissioner

DATE: December 19, 2023

RESOLUTION #2023-172

AUTHORIZING THE APPOINTMENT OF RYAN SHEPPARD AS ALTERNATE FIRE MARSHAL COORDINATORS FOR THE BOROUGH OF AUDUBON

WHEREAS, BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Commissioners of the Borough of Audubon, do hereby authorize the appointment of Ryan Sheppard, Alternate Fire Marshal, for the term of December 1, 2023 through December 31, 2024.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Commissioners do authorize said appointment.

	Mayor Robert Jakubowski
	Robert O. Lee, Commissioner
	Robert O. Lee, Commissioner
	Jeffery Whitman, Commissioner
ATTEST:	
Danielle Ingves, Municipal Clerk	

DATED: December 19, 2023

RESOLUTION 2023-173

AUTHORIZING THE APPROVAL OF CHANGE ORDER NUMBER 001 FOR AUDUBON SENIOR CENTER RESTROOM AND MEETING ROOM IMPROVEMENTS

WHEREAS, BE IT RESOLVED, Board of Commissioners of the Borough of Audubon to approve Change Order Number 001 for the Audubon Senior Center Interior Improvements in the amount of \$1,242.26 (increase in contract amount).

THEREFORE	BE IT RESOLVED	the Commissioners do authorize said contract change.
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		Robert Jakubowski, Mayor
		Robert O. Lee, Commissioner
		Jeffrey Whitman, Commissioner
ATTEST:	Danielle Ingves, Municipal Clerk	
DATE:	December 19, 2023	

BOROUGH OF AUDUBON, IN THE COUNTY OF CAMDEN, NEW JERSEY

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-175

RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF AUDUBON, CAMDEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY, AUTHORIZING SETTLEMENT AND MUTUAL RELEASE AGREEMENT

BACKGROUND

WHEREAS, the Borough of Audubon (the "Borough") has been involved in litigation with Levy Construction Co., Inc. ("Levy") (collectively, the "Parties"), concerning the construction of a new Audubon Recreation and Community Center, in the Camden County Superior Court Law Division under Docket # CAM-L-4957-19 (the "Litigation");

WHEREAS, pursuant to mediation taking place on December 11, 2023, the Borough and Levy tentatively agreed to settle said dispute for a lump sum payment of \$165,000.00 to Levy;

WHEREAS, the Parties have agreed to settle the matter pursuant to the terms contained in a Mediation Agreement, which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein, which contains the material terms, subject to Commissioners approval; and

WHEREAS, the Borough's attorney has recommended that this settlement is in the best interest of the Borough.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOROUGH OF AUDUBON, IN THE COUNTY OF CAMDEN, NEW JERSEY, AS FOLLOWS:

- Section 1. The Commissioners hereby authorize and approve the settlement between the Borough and Levy Construction Co., Inc., for a lump sum payment of \$165,000.00 to Levy, with Levy waiving its claim against the Borough in the amount of \$277,194.84.
- <u>Section 2</u>. The Commissioners hereby also authorize the execution of all necessary settlement documents, including Mutual Releases, contingent upon review and approval by the Borough Counsel.
- Section 3. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption this 19th day of December, 2023.

RECORDED VOTE	AYE	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Mayor Jakubowski				
Commissioner Lee				
Commissioner Whitman				

The foregoing is a true copy of a resolution adopted by The Borough of Audubon, in the County of Camden, New Jersey on December 19, 2023.

		Robert Jakubowski, Mayor
		Robert O. Lee, Commissioner
		Jeffrey Whitman, Commissioner
ATTEST:	Danielle Ingves, Municipal Clerk	
DATE:		