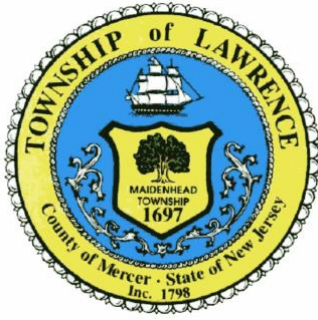




LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL BUILDING

Council Meeting Room – Upper Level

Tuesday, February 17, 2026

6:30 p.m.

YouTube Address/Link to Access Open Public Meeting:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCbjxhm2wm9V-PjdCGQSyUlg>

1. Mayor's Welcome

STATEMENT OF PROPER NOTICE: "Adequate notice of this meeting of the Lawrence Township Council being held on Tuesday, February 17, 2026, has been provided through the posting of the annual meeting schedule of said Council in accordance with Section 13 of the Open Public Meetings Act." Said Notice was forwarded to The Trentonian, The Times and The Princeton Packet on December 12, 2025.

2. Inspiration

3. Pledge of Allegiance

4. Roll Call

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### **INTERVIEW OF INDIVIDUALS TO FILL COUNCIL VACANCY**

**Nominees: Sam Baldeo  
Jeff Edelstein  
Bonne O'Flanagan Giglio**

**Selection of Nominees to Fill Council Vacancy**

**Administer Oath of Office to New Councilmember**

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5. Special Proclamations, Recognitions and Presentations

A. 2026 Budget Presentation - Kevin P. Nerwinski, Municipal Manager

6. Public Participation (5-minute limitation per speaker)**

7. Review and Revision of the Agenda

8. Adoption of Minutes of Previous Meetings

- A. Regular Meeting – December 2, 2025
- B. Regular Meeting – December 16, 2025
- C. Special Meeting – December 30, 2025

9. Awarding and/or Rejecting of Bids*

10. Introduction of Ordinances**

- A. Ordinance No. 2505-26 – AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 435 OF THE LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATIVE CODE ENTITLED “VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC” – Designation of One-Way Traffic Pattern for Public Alley

11. Adoption of Ordinances*

12. Manager's Report

13. Attorney's Report

14. Clerk's Report

15. Unfinished Business

16. New Business

- A. Appointments to Boards and Committees

17. Public Participation (3-minute limitation per speaker) **

18. Resolutions

A. Bond Acceptance

B. Bond Release

- 1) #92 Authorizing the Partial Release of the Safety/Stabilization Bond for DRH, Inc. (249 Drift Avenue)
- 2) #93 Authorizing the Release of the Safety/Grading Bond for Ethan Oglevee, (235 Eldridge Avenue)

C. Escrow Release

D. Refunds

- 1) #94 Authorizing the Refund of Tax Overpayments
- 2) #95 Authorizing the Refund for Overpayments of Ambulance Services

E. Special Items of Revenue

F. Professional Services Agreements

- 1) #96 Authorizing a Professional Services Contract with Act Engineering for Engineering Services for Municipal Roads and Drainage
- 2) #97 Authorizing a Professional Services Contract with Parker-McKay as Special Council for OPRA Litigation in 2026
- 3) #98 Authorizing a Professional Services Contract with Mason, Griffin & Pierson, PC for Special Counsel for a Litigation Matter Involving the Lawrence Hopewell Trail

G. Grants

- 1) #99 Authorizing Grant Application and Execution of Grant Agreement and Documents for the Leaf Composting Facility Stormwater Compliance
- 2) #100 Authorizing the Continuation of a Safe and Secure Communities Grant Program (26-1107)

H. Miscellaneous

- 1) #101 Authorizing the Transfer of 2026 Current Fund Appropriations
- 2) #102 Authorizing the Amending of the 2026 Temporary Budget
- 3) #103 Authorizing the Municipal Treasurer to Disburse Funds from the Lawrence Township Accounts
- 4) #104 Authorizing an Additional Custodian to the Court Bail Account and Collector's Trust Account
- 5) #105 Authorizing an Individual to Execute Wire Transfers
- 6) #106 Authorizing the Partial Closing of Fieldboro Drive for a Neighborhood Block Party
- 7) #107 Authorizing the Eligibility of Lawrence Road Volunteer Fire Company Volunteers for Participation in the Length of Service Award Program for Year 2025
- 8) Authorizing a Closed Session of Council Immediately Following the Regular Meeting, if necessary

19. Council Initiatives & Liaison Reports

20. Written Communications

21. Executive Session (if authorized)

22. Adjournment

Next Council Meeting

Tuesday, March 3, 2026

* with public participation

**no public participation can be made regarding Ordinance Introduction

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