

# TOWNSHIP OF LIVINGSTON

## AGENDA

## REORGANIZATION MEETING

Monday, January 2, 2023— 11:00 AM  
Livestream on Facebook: [www.facebook.com/LivingstonTownshipNJ](http://www.facebook.com/LivingstonTownshipNJ)

Notice of this meeting was given in accordance with the "Open Public Meetings Law."  
"48-Hour Notice" was faxed to the West Essex Tribune and the Star Ledger on December 15, 2022.

### OPEN MEETING STATEMENT

#### I Call to Order

Mayor Meinhardt

#### II Roll Call

Township Clerk Mazzucco

Shawn R. Klein  
Alfred M. Anthony  
Michael M. Vieira  
Edward Meinhardt

#### III Invocation

Pastor Dan Martian

Presbyterian Church of Livingston

#### IV Pledge of Allegiance and Moment of Silence

#### V Oaths of Office and Presentation of Certificates of Office

**Shawn R. Klein**

Oath of Office – Jack Klein, Leo Klein

**Edward Meinhardt**

Oath of Office –Elena Meinhardt, Jillian Meinhardt, Garrett Meinhardt

**Rosy Bagolie**

Oath of Office – Ricky Bagolie, Frank Bagolie, Jacob Bagolie, Aaron Bagolie

#### VI Selection of Mayor for 2023

**Michael M. Vieira**

Oath of Office— Gabriela Vieira, Michael Vieira, Jr., Samantha Vieira, Marilyn Vieira

#### VII Selection of Deputy Mayor for 2023

**Al Anthony**

Oath of Office— Lori Anthony, Luke Anthony, Samuel Anthony, Joseph Anthony, and Gabriella Anthony

#### VIII Presentations

#### IX Resolution – Res 23-001 Authorizing Consent Agenda [Includes All Items Marked “\*”]

#### X Resolutions - Appointments and Designations by Township Council

<b>*Res 23- *002</b>	<b>Appointment of Township Attorney</b> Jarrid H. Kantor, Esq.	1 Year
<b>*003</b>	<b>Appointment of Assistant Township Attorney (Prosecutor)</b> Michael Berliner, Esq.	1 Year
<b>*004</b>	<b>Appointment of Municipal Public Defender</b> Marc D. Garfinkle, Esq.	1 Year

<b>*005 Appointment of Assistant Municipal Prosecutors &amp; Municipal Public Defenders</b>		1 Year
	<u>Municipal Public Defenders</u>	<u>Municipal Prosecutors</u>
	Dennis Cleary, Esq.	Gina DeVito, Esq.
	Jennifer Conti-Bediner, Esq.	Maite Martinez, Esq.
	James Patton, Esq.	Chirag Mehta, Esq.
	Michael Steiber, Esq.	.
	Howard Weinstein, Esq.	
<b>*006 Appointments to Planning Board</b>		
	Richard Dinar (Class IV)	4 Years
	Rudy Fernandez (Class IV)	4 Years
	Rosy Bagolie (Class III)	1 Year
<b>*007 Appointments to Zoning Board of Adjustment</b>		
	Pearl Hwang	4 Years
	Ketan Bhuptani (Alt. 1)	2 Years
	Michael Affrunti (Alt. 2)	1 Year
<b>*008 Appointments to Open Space Trust Committee</b>		
	Chris Bickel	3 Years
	Sanjay Nambiar (Alt. 1)	2 Years
<b>*009 Appointments to Livingston Community Partnership Management Corporation (BID)</b>		
	Lori Kaufman	3 Years
<b>*010 (Intentionally Left Blank)</b>		
<b>*011 Appointments to Ad Hoc Licari and Strahman Tracts Committee</b>		1 Year
	Gerry Adelson	Vineeta Khanna
	Art Altman	Walter LeVine
	Eric Baltuch	Sheila Lurie
	Robert Berger	Sherrri Marrache
	Christopher Bickel	James McIlivane
	Ellie Cohen	Gary O'Neill
	Joan Cohen	Emil Olson
	Theodore Cohn	Sam Ratner
	Larry Cooper	Adrienne Santola
	Tony Critelli	Ira Sessler
	Anne Fung	Evan Slater
	Alan Glazer	Jerard Stephenson
	Pat Ippolito	Peter Stern
	Saba Kahn	Harry Tuber
	Mike Karp	Margie Wasserman
<b>*012 Appointments to Advisory Committee on Holiday Decorations</b>		1 Year
	Marie Bennett	Adrienne Santola
<b>*013 Appointments to Advisory Committee for Disabilities</b>		1 Year
	Maria Abeles	Nikki Heifler
	Barbara Anelle	Aaron Henslovitz
	Patty Arnold	Alan Karpas
	Charles "Buddy" August	Ronnie Konner
	Arjun Bansal	Kim Krentcil
	Joanne Bastante-Howard	Gene Lee
	Brenda Beavers	Marvin Leiken
	Wendy Berlin	Evan Marcus
	Trudy Bier	Marnie McNany
	Phyllis Billet	Ryan McNany
	Farida Brewster	Ana Millan
	Pam Chirls	Leon Morton
	Melissa Cohen	Ashley Mui
	Sally Cohen	Brigitte Nevola
	Marty Cowen	Sandy Newman
	Helen Engel	Mary "Dee Dee" Pulver
	Rudy Fernandez	Jennifer Quirk
	Cheryl Francione	Heidi Rome

Bruce Freeman  
Robert Gebroe  
Laura Glassman  
Hildy Gogal  
Renee Green  
Ethan Haber  
Alice Han

Blair Rosenthal  
Lisa Steiger  
Phyllis Tait  
Pamela Tepper  
Erik Trojian  
Andrea Tuber  
Gala Vaynerman

**\*014 Appointments to Advisory Committee on Transportation** 1 Year

Buddy August  
David Berger  
Sgt Nick Collins  
Richard Cornell  
Captain John Drumm  
Hari Eppanapally  
Al Epstein  
Bruce Freeman  
Barry Goldberg  
Merle Kalishman

Alan Karpas  
Ron Lefkon  
Lisa Marazzo  
Mary Ann McGowan  
Kanti Mehta  
Jason Oshins  
David Reinfeld  
Marshall Saunders  
Barry Schram  
Jason Sharenow

**\*015 Appointments to Advisory Committee on Senior Citizens** 1 Year

Terry Alan  
Brenda Beavers  
Jessica Bielen  
Brian Boyle  
Stella Cosmas  
Tony Del Tufo  
Margaret (Peg) Ernst  
Dr. Hyman Fisher  
Fred Friedman  
Joan Friedman  
Eleanor Halper  
Walter Joyce  
Alan Karpas  
Joy Klupal

Rita Levey  
Barry Lewis  
Elaine Meltzer  
Ana Millan  
Jayu Parikh  
Diane Pondiscio  
Phil Pondiscio  
Charlie Quinn  
Claire Scholz  
Gella Seiden  
Deepak Sethi  
Jean Stoloff  
Phyllis Velardi  
Jennifer Walker  
Betty Weber

**\*016 Appointments to Age Friendly/ Livingston of All Ages Committee** 1 Year

Corinne Judge  
Kim Krentcil  
Steve Kroll  
Nancy Lorre  
Anakaren Millan

Neena Philip  
Joan Speare  
Jennifer Walker  
Marjorie Wang  
Debbie Weinstein

**\*017 Appointments to Arts Council of Livingston** 1 Year

Martha Ackermann  
Sandra Anton  
Larry Bergmann  
Punam Bhargava  
Fatima Calcado  
Frank Dyer  
Lois Dyer  
Carla Francis  
Bonnie Garely  
Freya Gervasi  
Joyce Gore  
Ellen Hanauer  
Sandra Hanton  
Scott Hoffman  
Helene Jaffe  
Marilyn Kalb

Barbara Kanefsky  
Sheila Lurie  
Punit Mahajan  
Hugh Mahon  
Mo Menzel  
Vivian Olshen  
Chas Palminteri  
Robert Patton  
Francesca Pelaggi  
Neena Philip  
Betty Rubin  
Bhanu Salandra  
Barbara Sax  
Gella Seiden  
Divya Seth  
Joanne Williams

**\*018 Appointments to Blue Ribbon Committee on the Redevelopment of the Livingston Mall** 1 Year

Peter Boockvar  
Denise Dunton  
Andrew Fawer

Lee Peyser  
Alan Pines  
Mina Rasis

Curtis Foster  
Alan Glazer  
Marlene Lavemann  
Scott Loventhal

Jonathan Schwartz  
Jeffrey Spector  
Jim Wang  
Dina Wright

**\*019 Appointments to Camuso Collection Preservation Committee**

1 Year

Martha Ackermann  
Gerry Adelson  
Matt Berger  
Kathe Conlon  
Thomas Cooney  
Nancy Dinar  
Richard Dinar  
Paul Egledrum  
Cathy Fitzpatrick  
Tim Foley  
Kevin Francione  
Dan Goldman  
Gina Goldman  
Joyce Gore  
Rich Gore  
Sondra Hantman  
Pat Ippolito  
Jay Isherwood  
Alan Karpas

Jim Kedrie  
Vinny Kulik  
Matt Ladolcetta  
Beth Lippman  
Paul Lippman  
Hugh Mahon  
Steve McCormick  
Priti Mehta  
Stacey Melhorn  
Matt Moores  
Michael Neary  
Bunnie Ratner  
Lance Rogers  
Jim Rothenberger  
Adrienne Santola  
Steve Santola  
Christopher Southworth  
Mike Stolfi  
Gabriela Vieira

**\*020 Appointments to Committee for Diversity and Inclusion**

1 Year

Stacey Abenstein  
Simone Anthony-Brown  
Alyse Berger Heilpern  
Larry Bergmann  
Paul Boxer  
Scott Brody  
Pam Chirls  
Simeon (Rabbi) Cohen  
Steven Delman  
Billy Fine  
Sara Goldstein  
Xiaoshan He  
Joanna Heller  
Amy Ipp

Amanda Jones  
Saba Khan  
Sharon (Cantor) Knoller  
Marlene Laveman  
Dan (Pastor) Martian  
Andrew Miller  
Kevin Mullaney  
Naliti Patel  
Neena Philip  
Cassandra Porter  
Ava Reinfeld  
Dr. Asha Samant  
Xiaole (George) Shen  
Marjorie Wang

**\*021 Appointments to Consumer Affairs Committee**

1 Year

Manuel Ferreira  
Gary Laveman

Walter LeVine  
James Lynch  
Jason Sharenow

**\*022 Appointments to Fourth of July Celebration Committee**

1 Year

David "Jack" Ackerman  
Justin Escher Alpert  
Ketan Bhuptani  
Dennis Britt  
John Del Buono  
Ira Drucks  
Capt. John Drumm  
Yvonne Ferreira  
Scott Harrison  
Jeremy Kirchen

Steven Lichtenstein  
Debbie Lombardi  
Chief Gary Marshuetz  
Ron Mayer  
Scott Maynard  
Chief Chris Mullin  
Jason Sharenow  
Ron Valentine  
Gabriela Vieira  
Jennifer Walker  
David Warner

**\*023 Appointments to Green Team**

1 Year

Joan Cohen  
Anthony Critelli  
Denise Dunton  
Frank Goldstein  
Russ Jones

Walter LeVine  
Beth Lippman  
Tom Measday  
Don Newell  
Lorri Patino

	Alan Karpas Melissa Kimmel	James Perrette Gary Thein	
<b>*024</b>	<b>Appointments to Livingston Animal Shelter Committee</b>		1 Year
	Captain John Drumm James Feinberg Diane Finneran Sean Flinn Alan Karpas Walter LeVine	Sherri Marrache Elayne Meltzer Mary Beth Picini Christina Slater Gary Thein	
<b>*025</b>	<b>Appointments to Livingston Municipal Alliance Committee (LMAC)</b>		1 Year
	Patty Arnold Shourya Bansal Suzy Berman Sage Blinderman Matthew Block Paul Boxer Rachel Brandt-Greenfeld Joanne Browne Soma Chaudhuri Pam Chirls Sinead Crews John Crump Monte Ehrenkranz James Feinberg	Ann Ferreira Cindy Goldstein Laura Goren Maren Harris Joy Klapal Zanna Lantzman James Lynch Kevin Mullaney Jennifer Quirk Julia Revoredo Danielle Santola Stacie Testa Jennifer Walker Steffanie Welling Xin Yang	
<b>*026</b>	<b>Appointments to Livingston Public Broadcasting Committee (LPBC)</b>		1 Year
	Jesse Allard Patty Arnold Jonathan Aronoff Ryan Barckley Stu Bodow Rori BoGruber Sean Carney Adam Cohen Rick Diamond Avi Felberbaum Manuel Ferreira Jenna Foley Jacob Goren Rori Gruber Tom Hong Ronnie Konner	Daniella Krasney Donald Lane Jason Lee Karina Lerner Nicholas Meaney Nilesh Mhatre Steve Milano Aaron Misthal Wafaa Mohammed Mara Rubin Milind Sapre Don Schwartz Abigail Selikoff Frank Sheehan Sheryl Starr Carter Winner	
<b>*027</b>	<b>Appointments to Livingston Public Broadcasting Executive Board</b>		1 Year
	Jesse Allard Rick Diamond Rori Gruber	Aaron Misthal Abigail Selikoff Frank Sheehan	
<b>*028</b>	<b>Appointments to Local Emergency Planning Council</b>		1 Year
	Erica Bennington Dr. Matthew Block Craig Dufford Rudy Fernandez Al Fortner Jeanette Harduby	Judith A. Heller Barry Lewis Stuart Lukowiak Chief Gary Marshuetz Chief Christopher Mullin Michael Raimo	
<b>*029</b>	<b>Appointments to Parade Day Committee</b>		1 Year
	Brian Boyle Peter Brady William Brady Angelo DeGirolamo Tony Del Tufo Fred Friedman	Gene Manto Chief Gary Marshuetz Jeanne Parke Ron Parke Fred Picini John Powers	

	Norman Gudema Martin Halo Steve Hoffman	Michael Sikora Jennifer Walker Gerard Wolfe	
<b>*030</b>	<b>Appointments to Recycling and Reclamation Committee</b>		1 Year
	Laurie Babij Eric Baltuch Linda Doherty Scott Goldman Judy Grebel Robert Janukowicz Russ Jones	Melissa Kimmel Walter LeVine Tom Measday James Perrette Gary Thein Walter Veit Zhimin Wang	
<b>*031</b>	<b>Appointments to Social Justice Advocacy Committee</b>		1 Year
	Stacey Abenstein Martha Ackerman Gabrielle Altstedter Sharon Apple Aziza Arnette Jenissa Arnette Brenda Beavers Jen Best Tiffany Burroughs Madelyn Ferrans Beagy Fils-Aime Susan Gillespie (Pastor) Joyce Gore Alex Herbst Keith Hines Amy Ipp Brandon Isaacson	Saba Khan Marlene Laveman Alexander Mancher Dan Martian (Pastor) Deirdre McGagh Shiray McLean Meso Mengesha Bridgette Nevola Farha Northover Nalit Patel Melissa Prince-Barry Mary (DeeDee) Pulver Dev Rathod Kiran Reddy David Vaisberg (Rabbi) Leigh Weaver Debbie Weinstein	
<b>*032</b>	<b>Appointments to Technology Committee</b>		1 Year
	Phil Chaiklin Rob Coonce Nicholas D'Angelo Oren David Carrie Duranceau Manuel Ferreira Nilesh Hmh Russ Jones	Craig Lerman Mike Mas David Massoni Ken Nevola Mark Orciuoli John Powers Mina Rasis Steven Wachtel Jim Wang	
<b>*033</b>	<b>Appointments to the Trails &amp; Greenways Committee</b>		1 Year
	Tina Anapolsky Charles "Buddy" August Christopher Bickel Marie Bond Joan Cohen Richard A. Cornell Anthony Critelli Annette Friedman Anne Fung Jun Gao	Robert Hunter Robert Janukowicz Michael N. Karp Rebecca Kondstandt Steven Kwiat Walter LeVine Gary P. O'Neill Andrew Ruiz Ray Siegel Gary Thein Debbie Weinstein	
<b>*034</b>	<b>Appointments to Township Golf Tournament Committee</b>		1 Year
	Ron Barbella Robert Bucich Michael Duffy Fern Epstein James Feinberg Lewis Gelman	Pat Ippolito Jody Lanzet John Powers Gerry Spiesbach Andrea Ubaldi Marjorie Wang	

**\*035 Appointments to Vision 20/20 Committee**

1 Year

Stacey Abenstein	Steve Kroll
Martha Ackermann	Walter LeVine
Sudeep Amin	Nancy Lorre
Ankit Bawa	Chief Gary Marshuetz
Lisa Bayer	Andrew Miller
Larry Bergmann	Nalit Patel
Dr. Matthew Block	Cassandra Porter
Stu Bodow	John Powers
Debbie Burak	Anurag Rochlani
Theodore Cohn	Shira Rost
Linda Doherty	Elliot Sherman
Captain John Drumm	Joan Speare
Manuel Ferreira	Ron Valentine
Michael Fink	Pegeen C. Williams
Jeff Grabelle	Dina Wright
Alan Karpas	

**\*036 Appointments to Welcome to Livingston Committee**

1 Year

Stacey Abenstein	Amy Ipp
Nada Akmal	Saba Khan
Alyse Berger Heilpern	Kim Krentcil
Roberta Blitz	Priti Mehta
Joanna Heller	Debbie Weinstein

**\*037 Designating Official Newspapers**

*West Essex Tribune*  
*The Star Ledger*

**\*038 Adoption of 2023 Calendar of Township Council Meetings**

**\*039 Authorizing 2023 Temporary Budget Appropriations**

**\*040 Cash Management Plan**

**\*041 Authorizing Interest to be Charged on Delinquent Taxes**

**\*042 Establishing Interest Penalties**

**\*043 Increasing Deferred Local School District Tax (Approved 12/05/22)**

**\*044 Authorizing Application to DLGS to Conduct An Electronic Tax Sale**

**\*045 Authorizing Mailing Fees**

**\*046 Authorizing Transaction Fee for Electronic Payments**

**\*047 Appointment of Public Agency Compliance Officer (PACO)**

**\*048 Authorizing Purchases Under State of New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Program**

**\*049 Authorizing Purchases Under Essex County Cooperative Purchasing Program**

**\*050 Authorizing Purchases Under Bergen County Cooperative Pricing System**

**\*051 Authorizing Purchases Under Cranford Police Cooperative Pricing System**

**\*052 Authorizing Purchases Under Morris County Cooperative Purchasing Program**

**\*053 Authorizing Purchases Under Somerset County Cooperative Purchasing Program**

**\*054 Authorizing Purchases Under Union County Cooperative Purchasing Program**

**\*055 Authorizing Purchases Under Educational Services Commission of New Jersey Program**

**\*056 Authorizing Purchases Under New Jersey Wastewater Cooperative Pricing System**

**\*057 Appointing CDBG Representatives**

**XI Appointments by Mayor**

**Appointments to the Planning Board**

Barry Lewis—Class I Member 1 Year  
Ann Cucci--Class II Member 1 Year

**Appointments to Livingston Environmental Commission**

Walter LeVine (Chairperson) 3 Years  
Adam Lippman 3 Years  
Anne Fung (Alt. 1) 2 Years

**Appointment to the Livingston Library Board of Trustees**

Peggy Slatkin (Co-President) 5 Years

**XII Township Council Liaisons for 2023**

**Councilmember Meinhardt**

Advisory Committee on Youth Appreciation Week  
Blue Ribbon Committee on the Redevelopment of the Livingston Mall  
Livingston Municipal Alliance (LMAC)  
Sports Council  
Vision 20/20

**Mayor Vieira**

Advisory Committee on Transportation  
Age Friendly / Livingston of All Ages Committee  
Arts Council of Livingston  
Camuso Collection Preservation Committee  
Fourth of July Celebration Committee  
Library Board of Trustees  
Welcome to Livingston Committee  
Senior Advisory Committee

**Councilmember Anthony**

Ad Hoc Licari and Strahman Tracts Committee  
Animal Shelter Committee  
Business Improvement District  
Livingston Public Broadcasting Committee  
Open Space Trust Committee  
Livingston Environmental Commission

**Councilmember Bagolie**

Advisory Committee for Disabilities (LACD)  
Advisory Committee on Senior Youth & Leisure Services  
Emergency Planning Council  
Livingston Committee for Diversity & Inclusion  
Memorial Day Parade Committee  
Planning Board

**Councilmember Klein**

Ad Hoc Licari and Strahman Tracts Committee  
HCHY  
Livingston Green Team  
Recycling & Reclamation Committee  
Technology Management Committee  
Trails and Greenways Committee

**XIII \*Appointments and Designations by Township Manager**

**Livingston Public Broadcasting Executive Board**

Patty Arnold 1 Year



**Local Assistance Board**

Michelle Cohen 4 Years  
Melissa Kimmel 4 Years  
Robyn Russo 4 Years

**Open Space Trust Committee**

Russell Jones (Township Manager's designee) 1 Year

**XIV Public Comment**

**XV Remarks**

Councilmember Meinhardt  
Councilmember Klein  
Councilmember Bagolie  
Deputy Mayor Anthony  
Mayor Vieira  
Township Manager Lewis

**XVI Benediction**

Rabbi David Z. Vaisberg  
Temple B'nai Abraham

The Mayor and Members of the Township Council thank all those appointed and recognize the continuing service of the current members of the following statutory boards and committees:

**Planning Board**

Peter Klein Stephen A. Santola  
Michael Rieber Jill Wishnew (Alt 2)  
Samuel Ratner

**Zoning Board of Adjustment**

James Hochberg Lauren Tabak Fass  
Tony Nardone Edward Bier  
Jared Resnick Laurie Kahn

**Livingston Environmental Commission**

Alan Glazer Sam Ratner (Planning Bd Member)  
Robert Hunter Scott Goldman  
Adam Schwarzenberg (Alt 1) Jerien Thampi (Alt 2)

**Open Space Trust Committee**

Art Altman Walter LeVine (LEC Liaison)  
Alan Glazer Sam Patel (Alt. 2)  
Michael Rieber (Planning Bd Rep)

**Library Board of Trustees**

Larry Bergmann Yitao Yu Nora Lichtenstein  
Barbara Bye Sudeep Amin (Bd of Ed Designee)  
Iris Leopold Cynthia Vallario Dr. Matthew Block  
(Superintendent of Schools)

**Local Assistance Board**

Linda Franchino Kathleen Harned

**Bi-Partisan Advisory Committee on Committee Appointments**

Pat Sebold Lee Holtzman  
Larry Bergmann Michael Rieber  
Michelle Williams

*Carolyn Mazucco*  
Township Clerk

## ***Special Thanks To:***

Township Clerk's Office  
Department of Public Works  
Township Manager's Office  
LTV

Jerusalem Restaurant  
Rolls and Curries  
Tony Boy's

## **Welcome to the Township of Livingston Reorganization Meeting** **January 2, 2023 at 11 a.m.**

### **STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE SUNSHINE LAW N.J.S.A. 10:4-10**

This Organizational Meeting is being held in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act and adequate notice of this meeting has been provided as required by law. Specifically, "48-hr. Notice" of this Special Meeting was faxed to the West Essex Tribune and the Star-Ledger on December 15, 2022 and posted on the Livingston Township website. The Agenda and Resolutions for the meeting are available on [www.livingstonnj.org](http://www.livingstonnj.org). Certain portions of this meeting may be closed to the public for the purpose of personnel and/or other matters as outlined in the "Sunshine Law."

Notice to members of the governing body and Township staff: Any use of electronic devices during this meeting shall be used solely for the purposes of Township business and any communications are subject to the Open Public Records Act.

This meeting of Township of Livingston Council will be livestreamed via Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/LivingstonTownshipNJ>.