

**WORKSHOP MEETING
OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF
THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

April 2, 2024

The Regular Meeting of the Governing Body of the Borough of Bloomingdale was held in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Building (101 Hamburg Tpke) on the above date. Mayor John D'Amato called the meeting to order at 7:02 PM.

Mayor led the **Salute to the Flag**.

Official Roll Call: (taken by the Municipal Clerk)

In Attendance: Mayor John D'Amato
Councilman Dominic Catalano
Councilman Richard Dellaripa
~~Councilman John Graziano~~ [excused]
Councilwoman Dawn Hudson
Councilwoman Evelyn Schubert
Councilman Ray Yazdi

Municipal Clerk, Breeanna Smith
Business Administrator, Michael Sondermeyer
Borough Attorney, Dawn Sullivan

PUBLIC NOTICE STATEMENT

Mayor D'Amato stated: *This Meeting is called pursuant to the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Law. Adequate notice of this meeting was advertised in the Herald News on January 12, 2024; copies were provided to the local news media and posted continuously in the Municipal Building. A copy of this notice is available to the public and is on file in the office of the Municipal Clerk.*

Per State Fire Code, I am required to acknowledge that there are two emergency exits in this Council Chambers. The main entrance which you entered through and a secondary exit to the left of where I am seated. If there is an emergency, walk orderly to the exits, exit through the door, down the stairs and out the building. If there are any questions, please raise your hand now.

EARLY PUBLIC COMMENT

Motion was made by HUDSON to open the meeting for public comment; seconded by YAZDI and carried on voice vote all voting AYE. Since there was no one who wished to speak, HUDSON made a motion to close the meeting for public comment, seconded by DELLARIPA carried on voice vote, all in favor voting AYE.

REPORTS (PROFESSIONALS, DEPT HEADS, COMMITTEES, LIAISONS, MAYOR):

Councilwoman Evelyn Schubert

(Senior Committee, Library Board, BBYC & Tri-Boro First Aid Liaison):

- Library Board of Trustees
 - Dueling Pianos – May 4th
 - Queen's Tea – May 18th
 - Paint & Sip – November 3rd
- Tri-Boro First Aid Squad
 - Medical equipment available to rent if needed
- BBYC:
 - 3rd Annual Beefsteak with Tricky Tray fundraiser April 13th
- Senior Advisory Committee/Center:
 - May participate in townwide garage sale

- Senior Center would like Facebook account
- Upcoming trips on website (mandatory that payments be made at time of signup)
- Monthly calendar and nutrition menu available on website
- Dr Nicosia to host breakfast & informational session regarding future plans of the schools April 30th
- Misc updates
 - Bloomingdale Police Junior Police Academy – signups available

Councilman Ray Yazdi

- No report

Councilwoman, Dawn Hudson (BOH Liaison, Public Event Committee)

- Public Events
 - Trout Fishing Contest- April 13th
 - Paper Shredding- April 13th 8AM
 - Fish & Chips Dine to Donate – April 30th (Tastefully British 4-7PM)
- Board of Health – no report
- Rave & Recycle Coach sign up available on Borough Website
- Community Garden – plan to replace plots
- Overnight parking ban lifted as of April 1st

~~Council President, John Graziano (EDC Chairman)~~

Councilman, Dominic Catalano (Planning Board Member, Recreation Liaison)

- Recreation
 - Successful egg hunt, over 8,000 eggs were place, thank you to all who assisted
- BEC meeting – April 3rd ; to apply for a grant to create a pollinator and wildlife habit garden in Sloan Park

Councilman, Richard Dellaripa (ROSE Fund Member) – no report

Business Administrator, Michael Sondermeyer

Mayor, John D’Amato:

- Provided an update on the following projects:
 - DPW salt storage shed
 - Orchard/Wallace Improvements
 - Bailey/ Catherine Improvements (must be awarded by November)

CONSENT AGENDA

(Adoption of Resolutions No. 2024-4.1 – 2024-4.5)

Motion: Ray Yazdi

Second: Rich Dellaripa

Roll Call Vote: CATALANO (YES), DELLARIPA (YES), HUDSON (YES), SCHUBERT (YES), YAZDI (YES)

PENDING ITEMS

A. Second/Final Reading & Public Hearing:

Ordinance No. 4-2024: Amend Ch. 2-64.11 Recreation Fees (Rec Events)

The Municipal Clerk, Breeanna Smith, read the Public Notice statement.

HUDSON moved that the Ordinance be introduced and read by title; seconded by DELLARIPA and carried on voice vote – all members present voting AYE

The Municipal Clerk read the following Ordinance by title:

**ORDINANCE NO. 4-2024
OF THE GOVERNING BODY
OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE, IN THE COUNTY OF PASSAIC AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING CHAPTER II, ADMINISTRATION, SECTION 2-64.11 FEES FOR RECREATION PROGRAMS, OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE

WHEREAS, the Borough Code currently sets forth certain fees for programs sponsored and/or run by the Borough Recreation Department; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of this amendment is to add "Recreation Events" under the fees for activities per the request of the Recreation Director; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of the Borough of Bloomingdale, in the County of Passaic, and State of New Jersey, as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 2-64.11 Fees for Recreational Programs, Section A. 'Activity' shall be amended to *add* the aforementioned programs as follows:

§2-64.11 Fees for Recreational Programs.

2-64.11 Fees for Recreational Programs.

a. With the advice and consent of the Mayor and Council, the Board shall have the ability to charge and collect fees ranging from \$0.00 to one hundred fifty (\$150.00) dollars from persons participating in the following Board sponsored recreational programs:

Activity
Recreation Events

All other portions of this Chapter of the Code remain unchanged.

SECTION 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances of the Borough of Bloomingdale inconsistent herewith are repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SECTION 3. If any section, subsection, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid by any court or competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the remaining portion of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. This law shall take effect immediately upon final passage, approval and publication as required by law.

ATTEST:

**BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE
COUNTY OF PASSAIC
STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

Breeanna Smith, Clerk

By: _____
John D'Amato, Mayor

PUBLIC NOTICE

**ORDINANCE NO. 4-2024
OF THE GOVERNING BODY
OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE, IN THE COUNTY OF PASSAIC AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING CHAPTER II, ADMINISTRATION, SECTION 2-64.11 FEES FOR RECREATION PROGRAMS, OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the above Ordinance was introduced and passed on first reading at an Official Meeting of the Governing Body of the Borough of Bloomingdale, County of Passaic, State of New Jersey held in the Municipal Building on March 19, 2024, and the same shall come up for final passage at an Official Meeting of the Governing Body to be held on April 2, 2024 at 7PM, at which time any persons interested shall be given the opportunity to be heard concerning said Ordinance. Copies of this Ordinance are available in the Clerk's Office located at 101 Hamburg Turnpike, Bloomingdale, New Jersey.

Purpose/Summary of Ordinance No. 4-2024:

WHEREAS, the purpose of this amendment is to add "Recreation Events" under the fees for activities per the request of the Recreation Director. The recommendation includes amending Chapter 2 "Administration" section 2-64.11 fees for recreation programs.

Breeanna Smith, RMC
Municipal Clerk

Public Hearing:

At this time HUDSON made a motion to open the Public Hearing for comment; seconded by DELLARIPA and carried on a voice vote all voting AYE. Since there was no one who wished to speak YAZDI made a motion to close the public hearing; motion was seconded by DELLARIPA and carried on voice vote all members voting AYE; none were opposed.

Council Discussion:

Mayor explained the recreation department is expanding programs and needs to mechanism to collect funds as appropriate.

Adoption:

HUDSON made motion for adoption; the motion was seconded by GRAZIANO and carried per the following roll call vote: DELLARIPA (YES), HUDSON (YES), SCHUBERT (YES), YAZDI (YES), CATALANO (YES)

B. Second/Final Reading & Public Hearing:

Ordinance No. 5-2024: Amend Ch. 2-80 Municipal Fees (Junior Police Academy)

The Municipal Clerk, Breeanna Smith, read the Public Notice statement.

YAZDI moved that the Ordinance be introduced and read by title; seconded by HUDSON and carried on voice vote – all members present voting AYE

The Municipal Clerk read the following Ordinance by title:

**ORDINANCE NO. 5-2024
OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF
THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE, IN THE COUNTY OF PASSAIC AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING CHAPTER 2 "ADMINISTRATION", ARTICLE VIII "POLICIES AND PROCEDURES", SECTION 2-80 "FEES CHARGED FOR MUNICIPAL SERVICES" OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE

WHEREAS, the Borough Code currently sets forth certain fees for municipal services; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police, Daniel Greenwood, has requested the fee range for the Summer Junior Police Academy be adjusted to cover the rising costs of the program; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of the Borough of Bloomingdale, in the County of Passaic, and State of New Jersey, as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 2 "Administration", Article VIII "Policies and Procedures", Section 2-80 "Fees Charged for Municipal Services" item y. shall be amended as follows:

§2-80 Fees Charged for Municipal Services.

y. Summer Junior Police Academy: \$25 to \$75

All other portions of this Section remain unchanged.

SECTION 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances of the Borough of Bloomingdale inconsistent herewith are repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SECTION 3. If any section, subsection, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid by any court or competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the remaining portion of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. This law shall take effect immediately upon final passage, approval and publication as required by law.

ATTEST:

BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE
COUNTY OF PASSAIC
STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Breeanna Smith, Clerk

By: _____
John D'Amato, Mayor

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OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

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Purpose/Summary of Ordinance No. 5-2024:

WHEREAS the Chief of Police, has requested the fee range for the Summer Junior Police Academy be adjusted to cover the rising costs of the program to \$25-\$75. The recommendation includes amending Chapter 2 "Administration" section 2-80 fees charged for municipal services.

Breeanna Smith, RMC
Municipal Clerk

Public Hearing:

At this time YAZDI made a motion to open the Public Hearing for comment; seconded by DELLARIPA and carried on a voice vote all voting AYE. Since there was no one who wished to speak DELLARIPA made a motion to close the public hearing; motion was seconded by YAZDI and carried on voice vote all members voting AYE; none were opposed.

Adoption:

HUDSON made motion for adoption; the motion was seconded by YAZDI and carried per the following roll call vote: HUDSON (YES), SCHUBERT (YES), YAZDI (YES), CATALANO (YES), DELLARIPA (YES)

NEW BUSINESS

A. Adoption of Resolution No. 2024-4.6: Amend Temporary Budget Appropriations

Motion: Ray Yazdi

Second: Rich Dellaripa

Roll Call Vote: SCHUBERT (YES), YAZDI (YES), CATALANO (YES), DELLARIPA (YES), HUDSON (YES)

B. Adoption of Resolution No. 2024-4.7: Authorizing Agreement with PBA

Motion: Dawn Hudson

Second: Ray Yazdi

Discussion: *Mayor thanked Business Administrator and the negotiating committees of the council and PBA for all their efforts*

Roll Call Vote: YAZDI (YES), CATALANO (YES), DELLARIPA (YES), HUDSON (YES), SCHUBERT (YES)

C. Introduction of Ordinance No. 6-2024: No. 6-2024: Amending Ch. 2-80 Municipal Fees (Police Duty Rates)

A motion was made by YAZDI to read and introduce the Ordinance by title; second and final reading/ public hearing will be on April 16, 2024 at 7PM; the motion was seconded by DELLARIPA and carried on the following voice vote: all members present voting AYE, in favor; none were opposed.

The Municipal Clerk read by Title:

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE, IN THE COUNTY OF PASSAIC AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING CHAPTER 2 “ADMINISTRATION”, ARTICLE VIII “POLICIES AND PROCEDURES”, SECTION 2-80 “FEES CHARGED FOR MUNICIPAL SERVICES” OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE

D. Introduction of Ordinance No. 7-2024: Amending Ch. 31A Stormwater Control Requirements

A motion was made by YAZDI to read and introduce the Ordinance by title; second and final reading/ public hearing will be on April 16, 2024 at 7PM; the motion was seconded by CATALANO and carried on the following voice vote: all members present voting AYE, in favor; none were opposed.

The Municipal Clerk read by Title:

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE, IN THE COUNTY OF PASSAIC AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING CHAPTER 31A “STORMWATER CONTROL REQUIREMENTS” OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE

E. Introduction of Ordinance No. 8-2024: Amending Ch. 23 Shade Trees

A motion was made by HUDSON to read & introduce the Ordinance by title; second and final reading/ public hearing will be on April 16, 2024 at 7PM; the motion was seconded by YAZDI and carried on the following voice vote: all members present voting AYE, in favor; none were opposed.

The Municipal Clerk read by Title:

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE, IN THE COUNTY OF PASSAIC AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING CHAPTER 23 “SHADE TREES” OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE

F. Introduction of Ordinance No. 9-2024: Salary Ordinance

A motion was made by DELLARIPA to read & introduce the Ordinance by title; second and final reading/ public hearing will be on April 16, 2024 at 7PM; the motion was seconded by YAZDI and carried on the following voice vote: all members present voting AYE, in favor; none were opposed.

The Municipal Clerk read by Title:

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM RANGE OF SALARY AND COMPENSATION FOR CATEGORIES AND TITLES OF OFFICERS, NON-CONTRACTUAL EMPLOYEES AND CONTRACTUAL EMPLOYEES OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE

LATE PUBLIC COMMENT:

HUDSON opened the meeting to late public comment; seconded by CATALANO and carried on voice vote, all in favor voting AYE.

Linda Huntley, 86 Van Dam Ave, Bloomingdale:

Made the following inquiries:

- Can seniors be included in the Borough clean-up day
- Proposed moving the rabies clinic out of the Senior Center

Since there was no one else who wished to speak, HUDSON moved that it be closed; second by YAZDI and carried on voice vote all members voting (AYE), none were opposed.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Adoption of Resolution No. 2024-4.8: Motion for Executive Session

One matter: Contract Negotiations [Public Health Services]

One matter: Atty/Client [Land Sale – Glade Road]

Motion: Ray Yazdi

Second: Dominic Catalano

Voice Vote: all members present voting AYE; none were opposed.

[entered at 7:28PM]

[resumed in open session at 7:56PM]

GOVERNING BODY SCHEDULE

- A. April 16, 2024 – Regular Meeting**
- B. May 7, 2024 – Workshop Meeting**
- C. May 21, 2024 – Regular Meeting**

ADJOURNMENT:

Since there was no further business to be conducted, HUDSON moved to adjourn at 7:57PM; seconded by Catalano and carried on voice vote with all Council Members voting AYE.

Breanna Smith, RMC
Municipal Clerk

April 2, 2024 RESOLUTIONS

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024-4.1
OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF
THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

*Accepting, Approving and/or Adopting the Consent Agenda of the
April 2, 2024, Council Meeting*

WHEREAS, the Borough Council of the Borough of Bloomingdale has determined that to increase efficiency, the Consent Agenda shall be adopted with one resolution, and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the following resolutions, placed on this agenda by consent, require no discussion and the same having been previously reviewed by each Governing Body member, be and are hereby adopted in their entirety by the Council of the Borough of Bloomingdale.

A. Motion to approve minutes:

- March 5, 2024 – Regular Meeting
- March 19, 2024 – Regular Meeting

B. Motion authorizing the BEC to apply for grant funding:

- Native Plant Society of NJ (Grant amount \$500-\$750)

C. Resolution No. 2024-4.2: Refund Overpayment

D. Resolution No. 2024-4.3: MS Awareness

E. Resolution No. 2023-4.4: Grant Unpaid Sick Leave (J. Adams)

F. Resolution No. 2023-4.5: Waiver of Garage Sale Fee (Townwide)

Record of Council Vote on Passage

COUNCIL PERSON	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent	COUNCIL PERSON	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent
Catalano	X				Dellaripa	X			
Graziano				X	Schubert	X			
Hudson	X				Yazdi	X			

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution adopted by the Governing Body of the Borough of Bloomingdale at an Official Meeting held on April 2, 2024.

Breeanna Smith, RMC
Municipal Clerk, Borough of Bloomingdale

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024-4.2
OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF
THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE, COUNTY OF PASSAIC,
STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING REFUND OF OVERPAYMENT(S)**

WHEREAS, there appears on the utility records overpayments as shown below and the Borough Treasurer recommends the refund of such overpayment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the proper officers be, and they are hereby authorized and directed to issue checks refunding such overpayment as shown below:

REASON:

- | | |
|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. Incorrect Payment | 6. Tax Appeal County Board |
| 2. Duplicate Payment | 7. Tax Appeal State Tax Court |
| 3. Senior Citizen | 8. 100% Disabled Veteran |
| 4. Veteran Deduction | 9. Replacement Check |
| 5. Homestead Rebate | 10. Tax Exempt |

Block/Lot	Name	Amount	Year	Reason
5067 / 13	Philip & Linda Laspada 170 Reeve Avenue Bloomingdale, NJ 07403 Acct #125656	\$117.15	2024	1

Record of Council Vote on Passage

COUNCIL PERSON	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent	COUNCIL PERSON	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent
Catalano	X				Dellaripa	X			
Graziano				X	Schubert	X			
Hudson	X				Yazdi	X			

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Municipal Clerk, Borough of Bloomingdale

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024-4.3
OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF
THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

**RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING MARCH 10, 2024 TO MARCH 16,
2024 AS MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS AWARENESS WEEK**

WHEREAS, multiple sclerosis is a neurological disease of the central nervous system affecting more than 2,800,000 people worldwide; and

WHEREAS, the National Multiple Sclerosis Society estimates that nearly 1,000,000 people in the United States are living with multiple sclerosis, finds that the highest prevalence rates in the United States are found in the New England region and reports that the disease generally strikes people between the ages of 20 and 50 and that the cause and course of the often debilitating symptoms of multiple sclerosis remain unknown with no cure currently existing; and

WHEREAS, the National Multiple Sclerosis Society has been committed for more than 78 years to a world free of multiple sclerosis, and the society raises public knowledge about and insight into the disease; and

WHEREAS, since its inception, the National Multiple Sclerosis Society has been at the forefront of multiple sclerosis research, pursuing prevention, treatments and a cure, with more than \$1.2 billion invested in groundbreaking research; and

WHEREAS, the National Multiple Sclerosis Society partners with the health care community to promote access to comprehensive, high-quality health care and has launched the careers of 120 multiple sclerosis specialists, providing care to more than 100,000 people with multiple sclerosis and greatly improving the treatment and support of people with multiple sclerosis; and

WHEREAS, the National Multiple Sclerosis Society provides multiple sclerosis patients access to MS Navigators, who are dedicated partners who address individual challenges and concerns, ensuring personalized and effective support for every patient affected by multiple sclerosis; and

WHEREAS, stopping the progress of multiple sclerosis, restoring what has been lost and ending multiple sclerosis forever is the mission of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society and one that all should support; and

BE IT RESOLVED that we, the Governing Body of the Borough of Bloomingdale, take this opportunity to recognize March 10, 2024 to March 16, 2024 as Multiple Sclerosis Awareness Week and encourage all citizens to learn more about multiple sclerosis and what they can do to support people with multiple sclerosis and their families; and be it further

Record of Council Vote on Passage

COUNCIL PERSON	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent	COUNCIL PERSON	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent
Catalano	X				Dellaripa	X			
Graziano				X	Schubert	X			
Hudson	X				Yazdi	X			

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Breeanna Smith, RMC
Municipal Clerk, Borough of Bloomingdale

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024-4.4
OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF
THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

Granting Unpaid Sick Leave to Borough Employee

WHEREAS, the Governing Body (“Governing Body”) of the Borough of Bloomingdale (“Borough”) finds and declares that Jennifer Adams (“Employee”) is an employee of the Borough of Bloomingdale; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body further finds and declares that the Employee will be out of work on unpaid sick leave as of April 6, 2024; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Governing Body of the Borough of Bloomingdale does hereby grant unpaid sick leave to Borough Employee, Jennifer Adams, during the period of April 6, 2024 through October 1, 2024; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Pension Certification Officer be and is hereby directed to formally notify the Division of Pension and Benefits of said status, if applicable, and to cause the same to be included in the records maintained for said employee.

Adopted: April 2, 2024

Record of Council Vote on Passage

COUNCIL PERSON	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent	COUNCIL PERSON	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent
Catalano	X				Dellaripa	X			
Graziano				X	Schubert	X			
Hudson	X				Yazdi	X			

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Breeanna Smith, RMC
Municipal Clerk, Borough of Bloomingdale

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024-4.5
OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF
THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE, COUNTY OF PASSAIC AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY, SETTING DATES & PERMITTING FEE WAIVER FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN WIDE GARAGE SALE

WHEREAS, section 92-26.3 (Signs) and section 2-80 (Fees) of the Borough Code provides for garage sales within the Borough and regulations and fees; and

WHEREAS, the Town Wide Garage sale will be held on June 1, 2024 (rain date of Sunday June 2, 2024), and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Governing Body of the Borough of Bloomingdale does hereby establish Saturday, June 1, 2024 (rain date Sunday 6/2/2024) as the date for the Town-wide Garage Sale; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the Borough Council does hereby authorize the Municipal Clerk to waive the licensing and sign fees for these dates.

Record of Council Vote on Passage

COUNCIL PERSON	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent	COUNCIL PERSON	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent
Catalano	X				Dellaripa	X			
Graziano				X	Schubert	X			
Hudson	X				Yazdi	X			

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Breeanna Smith, RMC
Municipal Clerk, Borough of Bloomingdale

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024-4.6
OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF
THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

**EMERGENCY RESOLUTION
N.J.S.A.40A:4-20 (TEMPORARY APPROPRIATIONS)**

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40a:4-19 the Borough council of the Borough of Bloomingdale adopted Resolutions to provide temporary funds for the period from January 1, 2024 until the adoption of the Operating Budget for the Borough of Bloomingdale, New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, additional appropriations will be required from April 2, 2024 until the adoption of the budget; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-20 provides that the governing body by two-thirds vote may make temporary emergency appropriations for any purpose for which appropriations may lawfully be made for the period between the beginning of the current fiscal year and the date of the adoption of the budget for said year;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE, NEW JERSEY, that:

1. The governing body by a two-thirds vote of its full membership hereby amends its temporary budget by making the following emergency temporary appropriations:

CURRENT FUND	\$6,000,000.00
WATER AND SEWER UTILITY FUND	\$1,500,000.00

2. This action shall take effect April 2, 2024.
3. A copy of this resolution shall be immediately filed with the Director of Local Government Services by the Borough Clerk of the Borough of Bloomingdale.

Record of Council Vote on Passage

COUNCIL PERSON	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent	COUNCIL PERSON	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent
Catalano	X				Dellaripa	X			
Graziano				X	Schubert	X			
Hudson	X				Yazdi	X			

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Breeanna Smith, RMC
Municipal Clerk, Borough of Bloomingdale

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024-4.7
OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF
THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE, COUNTY OF PASSAIC
AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING EXECUTING THE AGREEMENT BY
AND BETWEEN THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE AND BLOOMINGDALE
PBA LOCAL 354, JANUARY 1, 2024 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2028**

WHEREAS, the Borough of Bloomingdale Police Officers, excluding the Chief of Police and Special Police, are represented by Bloomingdale Policemen’s Benevolent Association, Inc. Local No. 354 (herein referred to as ‘PBA’); and

WHEREAS, the Borough and the PBA had in place a Collective Bargaining Agreement for the period, January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Administration and the PBA entered into negotiations for a new Collective Bargaining Agreement; and

WHEREAS, due to the efforts by the representatives of the Borough and the PBA, the parties were able to come to an agreement for a new contract with terms agreeable to both parties; and

WHEREAS, the new Collective Bargaining Agreement is for the period, January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2028; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement has been presented to, reviewed, and was ratified by the members of the PBA; and

WHEREAS, the Borough desires to execute the Agreement with the PBA.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Bloomingdale, in the County of Passaic and State of New Jersey, that the Mayor and Borough Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute the Agreement by and between the Borough of Bloomingdale and Bloomingdale PBA Local 354, January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2028.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution shall be posted at the Borough of Bloomingdale Municipal Building and a copy thereof delivered to each Borough employee that is a member of the PBA within five (5) days of this Resolution.

This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

Record of Council Vote on Passage

COUNCIL PERSON	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent	COUNCIL PERSON	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent
Catalano	X				Dellaripa	X			
Graziano				X	Schubert	X			
Hudson	X				Yazdi	X			

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution adopted by the Governing Body of the Borough of Bloomingdale at an Official Meeting held on April 2, 2024.

Breeanna Smith, RMC
Municipal Clerk, Borough of Bloomingdale

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024-4.8
OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF
THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

MOTION FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION

WHEREAS, prior to the conclusion of this Council Meeting, the Governing Body shall meet in Executive Session, from which the public shall be excluded, to discuss matters as permitted pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-12, sub-section (s) (b):

1. Confidential or excluded matters, by express provision of Federal law or State statute or rule of court.
2. A matter in which the release of information would impair a right to receive funds from the Government of the United States.
3. Material the disclosure of which constitutes an unwarranted invasion of individual privacy.
4. A collective bargaining agreement including negotiations.
5. Purchase, lease or acquisition of real property, setting of banking rates or investment of public funds, where it could adversely affect the public interest if disclosed.
6. Tactics and techniques utilized in protecting the safety and property of the public, if disclosure could impair such protection. Investigation of violations of the law.

- 7. Pending or anticipated litigation or contract negotiations other than in subsection b. (4) herein or matters falling within the attorney-client privilege.
- 8. Personnel matters.
- 9. Deliberations occurring after a public hearing that may result in penalties.

❖ *The time when the matter(s) discussed pursuant to Paragraph 1 hereof can be disclosed to the public is as soon as practicable after final resolution of the aforesaid matter(s).*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Governing Body of the Borough of Bloomingdale, pursuant to the Open Public Meetings of the State of New Jersey, as follows:

- 1) The Borough Council shall hold a closed session from which the public shall be excluded on April 2, 2024.
- 2) The general nature of the subjects to be discussed at said closed session shall be related to N.J.S.A. 10:4-12(b)(7). The matters: (1) Contract Negotiations (BOH – Public Health Services) & (1) Attorney/Client Privilege (Glade Road)

Record of Council Vote on Passage

COUNCIL PERSON	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent	COUNCIL PERSON	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent
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Graziano				X	Schubert	X			
Hudson	X				Yazdi	X			

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