

**PUBLIC HEARING**

**A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE CALENDAR YEAR 2023 LOCAL MUNICIPAL BUDGET OF THE CITY OF ORANGE TOWNSHIP HELD VIA AUDIO-VIDEO CONFERENCING ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7, 2023 AT 6:00 P.M.**

<b>ROLL CALL</b>	<b>PRESENT</b>	<b>ABSENT</b>
1) Hon. Kerry J. Coley (East- Ward)	_____	_____
Hon. Quantavia L. Hilbert (West Ward)	_____	_____
Hon. Weldon M. Montague, III. (At-Large)	_____	_____
Hon. Clifford R. Ross (At-Large)	_____	_____
Hon. Jamie B. Summers-Johnson (South- Ward)	_____	_____
Hon. Adrienne K. Wooten (At-Large)	_____	_____
Hon. Tency A. Eason (North-Ward)	_____	_____
Council President		

**ALSO PRESENT**

Joyce L. Lanier, City Clerk	_____	_____
Tamara Robinson, Deputy City Clerk	_____	_____
Chris M. Hartwyk, Business Administrator	_____	_____
Laquana Best, Planning Director	_____	_____
Derrick Brown, Fire Chief	_____	_____
Nile Clements, Chief Financial Officer	_____	_____
Vincent DeFilippo, Health Officer	_____	_____
Paula Ferreira, Tax Collector	_____	_____
Adrian Mapp, Finance Director	_____	_____
Marty Mayes, Public Works Director	_____	_____
Gracia R. Montilus, City Attorney	_____	_____
Chris Murray, Tax Assessor	_____	_____
Wendy Sykes, Director of Community Services	_____	_____
Marlin G. Townes, Legislative Research Officer	_____	_____
Vincent Vitiello, Police Chief	_____	_____
Margarette Homere, City Clerk’s Office	_____	_____
Tamara Robinson, City Clerk’s Office	_____	_____
Trisha Scipio, City Clerk’s Office	_____	_____
Gabrielle Sims-Shelton, City Clerk’s Office	_____	_____

**RECOGNITION OF A MOMENT OF SILENCE**

- 2) The requirements of N.J.S.A. 10:4-9 et. seq., “Sunshine Law” has been met. A notice of this meeting was sent to Star Ledger and published in the Record Transcript on May 25, 2023, posted on the Council’s website ([www.orangetwpnjcc.org](http://www.orangetwpnjcc.org)), the City’s website ([www.orangenj.gov](http://www.orangenj.gov)) and filed in the Office of the City Clerk.
  
- 3) Resolution No. 224A-2023                      A resolution to read the budget by title for the Calendar Year 2023.

**Motion:**

**Second:**

- 4) **THIS IS THE PUBLIC HEARING FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2023 LOCAL MUNICIPAL BUDGET.**

**Motion to open the Public Hearing on the Calendar Year 2023 Budget for the City of Orange Township.**

**Motion:**

**Second:**

**Clerk:** This is an advertised Public Hearing on the Calendar Year 2023 Municipal Budget. Copies have been made available to the public on the Council’s website ([www.orangetwpnjcc.org](http://www.orangetwpnjcc.org)) and the City’s website ([www.orangenj.gov](http://www.orangenj.gov)).

**President:** Before opening this hearing, I wish to outline the procedure. All Citizens will be allowed to comment through the “Raise Hand” feature during the Public Hearing. Citizens that wish to speak should remain on mute until acknowledged by the Council President to speak. Citizens shall be allotted up to five (5) minutes each to participate. In addition, all questions or comments with the commenter’s name and address submitted by email to [citizencomments@orangenj.gov](mailto:citizencomments@orangenj.gov) on or before June 7, 2023 by 7:00 p.m. will be posted on the City’s websites. All public comments submitted through electronic mail or written letter before the remote public meeting shall be read aloud and addressed during the remote public meeting in a manner audible to all meeting participants and the public listening. The City Council may pass over duplicative written comments; however, each duplicative comment shall be noted for the record with the content summarized. *The City Council reserves the right to respond or not respond during the meeting to any citizen’s submission.*

**President:** I now declare the Public Hearing on the Local Municipal Budget for the Calendar Year 2023 open.

**President:** Observing no further applications from the floor, I will entertain a Motion and Second to close the Public Hearing to the Local Municipal Budget for the Calendar Year 2023.

**Motion:**

**Second:**

4) **CITIZEN BUDGET ADVISORY COMMITTEE (CBAC)**

5) **MOTION TO ADJOURN:**

**Second:**

**Adjournment Time:**\_\_\_\_\_