BOROUGH OF GARWOOD
MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL
AGENDA
May 8, 2025

Time: _____
Moment of Silence
Salute to the Flag

Adequate notice of this meeting was provided to the Union County Hawk and advertised on December 26, 2024. Notification was sent to the Local Source Union County, and is posted on the Municipal website, the Municipal public bulletin board, and filed in the office of the Municipal Clerk informing the public of the time and place according to the Provisions of the Open Public Meeting Law (Chapter 241, P.L. 1975).

ROLL CALL:

Mayor Blumenstock	_____		
Councilwoman Boto	_____	Councilman Lazarow	_____
Councilman Foley	_____	Councilman Padusniak	_____
Councilman Kearney	_____	Council President Nolde	_____

Roll call staff and professionals:
John Arthur, Borough Administrator
Adam Abramson, Borough Attorney
Sandy Bruns, Chief Financial Officer/Treasurer
Warren Korecky, Borough Auditor
Doug Stoffer, Chief of Police

Mayor announces the first order of business is:

1. **Special Presentation: Accreditation Certificate Awarded to Police Department**

2. **Police Officer Swearing in: Christopher Smedberg**

Mayor Blumenstock requests a motion to suspend the regular order of business to hold the public hearing on Resolution No. 25-98 for the adoption of the **2025 Municipal Budget** as advertised in the Union County Hawk on April 17, 2025.

A motion was made by _____, second by _____ to suspend the regular order of business.

All in favor ____, opposed _____?

List of correspondence received concerning the 2025 Municipal Budget.

1. Bruce Paterson, Garwood Resident – Correspondence received via email on May 5, 2025, concerning a letter addressed to the Mayor and Council.

Does anyone present wish to be heard concerning the 2025 Municipal Budget?

A motion was made by _____, second by _____ to close Public Hearing on the 2025 Municipal Budget.

A motion was made by _____, second by _____ to adopt Resolution No. 25-98 for the 2025 Municipal Budget.

Discussion:

Roll Call on Resolution No. 25-98 for adoption of the 2025 Municipal Budget.

ROLL CALL*:*

Councilwoman Boto	_____	Councilman Lazarow	_____
Councilman Foley	_____	Councilman Padusniak	_____
Councilman Kearney	_____	Council President Nolde	_____

A motion was made by _____, second by _____ to resume the regular session.

All in favor ____, opposed _____?

Reports:
Report of Borough Attorney
Report of Borough Administrator
Report of Mayor Blumenstock

Comments from the Council:
Councilwoman Boto
Councilman Foley
Councilman Kearney
Councilman Lazarow
Councilman Padusniak
Council President Nolde

MINUTES:
Minutes of the Regular and Executive Session Meeting of the Mayor and Council held on April 22, 2025, and the Special Council and Executive Session Meetings held on April 29, 2025.

A motion was made by _____, second by _____ to accept the Regular and Executive Session Meeting Minutes as presented.

All in favor ____, opposed _____?

COMMUNICATIONS: RECEIVED AND FILED

1. New Jersey American Water Company, Inc. Filing for Approval of Proposed Cost Recovery of Lead Service Line Replacement Plan

   https://garwoodnj.govoffice3.com/vertical/Sites/%7B7F1088A0-CEC9-4505-80EE-1DF1BF7DFFBD%7D/uploads/American_Water_-_WR22010017.pdf

ORDINANCES:
INTRODUCTION:

Municipal Clerk to read Ordinance No. 25-17 by title only:

ORDINANCE NO. 25-17

AN ORDINANCE FIXING SALARIES AND WAGES OF CERTAIN OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE BOROUGH OF GARWOOD, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

https://garwoodnj.govoffice3.com/vertical/Sites/%7B7F1088A0-CEC9-4505-80EE-1DF1BF7DFFBD%7D/uploads/Ord._25-17_-_An_ordinance_fixing_salaries_and_wages_of_certain_officilas_and_employees_of_the_Borough_of_Garwood.pdf

A motion was made by _____, second by _____ to introduce Ordinance No. 25-17.

ROLL CALL:

Councilwoman Boto	_____	Councilman Lazarow	_____
Councilman Foley	_____	Councilman Padusniak	_____
Councilman Kearney	_____	Council President Nolde	_____

Municipal Clerk to read Bond Ordinance No. 25-18 by title only:

ORDINANCE NO. 25-18

BOND ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE MAKING OF VARIOUS PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS AND THE ACQUISITION OF NEW ADDITIONAL OR REPLACEMENT EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, NEW COMMUNICATION AND SIGNAL SYSTEMS EQUIPMENT, NEW ADDITIONAL FURNISHINGS AND A NEW AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLE, INCLUDING ORIGINAL APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT, IN, BY AND FOR THE BOROUGH OF GARWOOD, IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF $390,000 TO PAY THE COST THEREOF, TO MAKE A DOWN PAYMENT, TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS TO FINANCE SUCH APPROPRIATION AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES IN ANTICIPATION OF THE ISSUANCE OF SUCH BONDS.

https://garwoodnj.govoffice3.com/vertical/Sites/%7B7F1088A0-CEC9-4505-80EE-1DF1BF7DFFBD%7D/uploads/Ord._25-18_-_BOND_ORDINANCE_-_Various_Public_Improvements.pdf

A motion was made by _____, second by _____ to introduce Ordinance No. 25-18.

ROLL CALL:

Councilwoman Boto	_____	Councilman Lazarow	_____
Councilman Foley	_____	Councilman Padusniak	_____
Councilman Kearney	_____	Council President Nolde	_____

COUNCIL STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS AND OTHER REPORTS:

FINANCE AND PERSONNEL: Councilman Foley, Chair

FIRE AND OEM: Councilman Lazarow, Chair

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT: Councilman Padusniak, Chair

PUBLIC WORKS: Councilwoman Boto, Chair

POLICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY: Councilman Kearney, Chair

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT: Council President Nolde, Chair

LIBRARY, MAYOR'S REPRESENTATIVE: Councilman Lazarow

SCHOOL BOARD LIAISON: Councilman Kearney

GARWOOD SENIOR CITIZEN LIAISON: Mayor Blumenstock

SMALL BUSINESS ADVISORY LIAISON: Councilman Kearney

BOARD OF HEALTH LIAISON: Councilman Foley

PLANNING BOARD LIAISON: Councilman Kearney

OFFICER'S REPORTS:

Zoning Enforcement Officer's Report for April, 2025
https://garwoodnj.govoffice3.com/vertical/Sites/%7B7F1088A0-CEC9-4505-80EE-1DF1BF7DFFBD%7D/uploads/Zone_Enforcement_Report_-_April_2025.pdf

Property Maintenance/Code Enforcement Officer's Report for April, 2025
https://garwoodnj.govoffice3.com/vertical/Sites/%7B7F1088A0-CEC9-4505-80EE-1DF1BF7DFFBD%7D/uploads/Code_Enforcement_Report_-_April_2025.pdf

A motion was made by _____, second by _____ to accept Officer's reports.

All in favor: _____, opposed: _____

PUBLIC COMMENT*:*

Is there anyone in the audience who wishes to address the Mayor and Council please step to the microphone, and state your full name and address. Please limit your comments to five minutes.

A motion was made by _____, second by _____ to close public comment.

All in favor _____, opposed _____?

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

CONSENT AGENDA

(Adoption upon Roll Call) Consent agenda items are considered to be routine and will be enacted with a single motion; any items requiring expenditure are supported by a Certification of Availability of funds; any item requiring discussion will be removed from the Consent Agenda; all Consent Agenda items will be reflected in the full minutes.

RESOLUTION NO. 25-97

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE READING OF THE 2025 MUNICIPAL BUDGET BY TITLE ONLY

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-8 provides that the Budget shall be read in full at the public hearing, or that it may be read by title, if a resolution is passed by no less than the majority of the full governing body, provided that at least one week prior to the public hearing a complete copy of the introduced budget shall be made available for public inspection, and copies have been made available by the Borough Clerk to each person upon request, during the said week of the public hearing and during the public hearing; and

WHEREAS, the conditions as aforementioned have been met.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Garwood, County of Union, State of New Jersey that the 2025 Municipal Budget shall be read by title only.

RESOLUTION NO. 25-98

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ADOPTION OF THE MUNICIPAL BUDGET OF THE BOROUGH OF GARWOOD FOR THE YEAR 2025

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the Borough of Garwood to prepare an annual budget identifying all of the anticipated appropriations and revenues to support governmental operations for 2025; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-5 provides for the adoption of the annual Municipal Budget and the annual User-Friendly Budget; and

WHEREAS, that said budget was published in the April 17, 2025 edition of the Union County Hawk.

WHEREAS, a public hearing on the 2025 Municipal Budget was held on May 8, 2025 at 7:00 PM in Council Chambers, at which time and place public comments to said Budget for the year 2025 were presented by taxpayers and other interested persons.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Garwood, County of Union, State of New Jersey that in accordance with aforementioned statute:

1. The Borough Council approves the adoption of the 2025 Municipal Budget and the User-Friendly Budget.

RESOLUTION NO. 25-99

RESOLUTION APPOINTMENT FUND COMMISSIONER TO BERGEN MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEE BENEFITS FUND

WHEREAS, the Borough of Garwood is a member of the Bergen Municipal Employee Benefits Fund and the Fund's Bylaws require participating members to appoint a Fund Commissioner; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Borough of Garwood that John Arthur be and is hereby appointed as Fund Commissioner to the Bergen Municipal Employee Benefits Fund, effective May 9, 2025 to represent the Borough of Garwood; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Sandra Bruns, Assistant Administrator/Chief Financial Officer/Treasurer/Tax Collector be and is hereby appointed as the Alternate Fund Commissioner for the calendar year 2025; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Local Unit's Fund Commissioner is authorized and directed to execute all such documents as required by the Fund.

RESOLUTION NO. 25-100

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF GARWOOD RECOGNIZING JUNETEENTH AS AN OFFICIAL BOROUGH HOLIDAY AND ESTABLISHING ITS OBSERVANCE ON THE THIRD FRIDAY IN JUNE EACH YEAR

WHEREAS, Juneteenth commemorates June 19, 1865, the day when the last enslaved African Americans in the United States were informed of their freedom, more than two years after the issuance of the Emancipation Proclamation; and

WHEREAS, Juneteenth stands as a powerful symbol of freedom, justice, and the enduring struggle for equality in the United States; and

WHEREAS, the observance of Juneteenth provides an opportunity for reflection, education, and celebration of African American history, culture, and contributions; and

WHEREAS, the United States Congress established Juneteenth National Independence Day as a federal holiday in 2021; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Garwood seeks to affirm its commitment to diversity, inclusion, and the recognition of all communities that contribute to the strength and vibrancy of the borough; and

WHEREAS, establishing Juneteenth as a borough holiday supports community awareness, cultural appreciation, and historical reflection; and

WHEREAS, for purposes of consistent annual scheduling, the Borough of Garwood shall observe Juneteenth on the third Friday in June of each year.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Garwood, County of Union, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. Official Recognition: Juneteenth is hereby recognized as an official holiday of the Borough of Garwood.

2. Date of Observance: Juneteenth shall be observed annually on the third Friday in June.

3. Holiday Calendar Update: The official Borough holiday schedule shall be amended to include Juneteenth as a paid holiday for all eligible Borough employees.

4. Implementation: The Borough Administrator and all appropriate municipal departments are hereby directed to take necessary action to implement this resolution, including internal communication, calendar updates, and consideration of public events recognizing the holiday

RESOLUTION NO. 25-101

ESTABLISHING COMPENSATION STRUCTURES FOR TEAMSTERS LOCAL 11

WHEREAS, said resolution reflects changes of salaries and/or hourly rates to be paid to said employees of the Borough of Garwood for the year 2025.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Governing Body of the Borough of Garwood that the proper officer of the Borough be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute checks on Borough Funds for the purpose of paying the annual salaries and/or hourly rates to the employees of the Borough of Garwood as set forth opposite each job classification. Said salaries to be paid bi-weekly less such deductions as in such cases made. The schedule of salaries hereafter set forth shall be effective as of January 1, 2025.

Name	Title	Salary PH	Class
Navarro, Linwood	Laborer/Foreman	$47.79	A
Bongiovanni, Peter	Laborer	$37.79	A
Castaldo, Daniel	Laborer	$21.635	Probation
Hoff, John	Laborer	$37.79	A
Moore, Matthew W.	Laborer	$37.79	A
Pizzi, III, Frank	Laborer	$37.79	A
Scuorzo, Anthony	Laborer	$37.79	A
Lewis, Glenn	Laborer/PT	$37.79	A

RESOLUTION NO. 25-102

RETIREMENT OF CAPTAIN S. ROCCO

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police received correspondence dated January 13, 2025, from Captain Samuel Rocco, Police Officer, advising that he will be retiring from his employment with the Borough of Garwood; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Rocco has advised that his retirement shall be irrevocable and effective on May 1, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the State of New Jersey, Division of Pensions and Benefits requires the Finance Department to certify the employment for Captain Samuel Rocco in order to process the May 1, 2025 retirement.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Garwood as follows:

1) The Borough of Garwood hereby accepts and relies upon the January 13, 2025 notice of retirement from Captain Samuel Rocco.

2) Effective May 1, 2025, Captain Samuel Rocco shall be retired from his position as Police Officer with the Borough of Garwood.

3) This resolution puts the CFO on notice to immediately process any and all requests from the State of New Jersey, Division of Pensions and Benefits regarding the retirement of Captain Samuel Rocco.

4) This resolution shall take effect immediately.

RESOLUTION NO. 25-103

RETIREMENT OF CHIEF D. STOFFER

WHEREAS, Douglas Stoffer has dedicated 25 years of distinguished service to the Borough of Garwood, having been sworn in as a Patrolman with the Garwood Police Department on May 1, 2000; and

WHEREAS, Chief Stoffer has served with unwavering commitment, exemplifying professionalism, precision, and pride throughout his progression through the ranks of the Garwood Police Department; and

WHEREAS, Chief Stoffer's readiness to embrace responsibility, coupled with his steadfast commitment to serving the residents of our community, has been consistently demonstrated through his loyal and dedicated service; his exceptional leadership has been both recognized and deeply appreciated; and

WHEREAS, on June 1, 2025, following 25 years of honorable and devoted service to the Borough of Garwood, Chief Douglas Stoffer will retire, concluding a remarkable career in public service;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Garwood, County of Union, State of New Jersey, do hereby publicly recognize and commend Chief Douglas Stoffer for his exemplary service, professionalism, and unwavering dedication to duty; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that heartfelt gratitude and best wishes are extended to Chief Stoffer and his family for continued health, happiness, and success in all future endeavors.

RESOLUTION NO. 25-104

RESOLUTION APPOINTING NEW CAPTAIN P. LEWIS

WHEREAS, a vacancy has arisen in the position of Captain within the Garwood Police Department as a result of retirement;

WHEREAS, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:60-5 and Chapter 34, Section 4 of the Borough Code, the Mayor shall nominate the Captain with the advice and consent of Borough Council; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Jen Blumenstock has nominated Philip Lewis for the position of Captain.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Borough Council of the Borough of Garwood that Philip Lewis is hereby appointed to the title of Captain of the Garwood Police Department, effective June 1, 2025. Compensation and benefits will be provided in accordance with the terms of the PBA contract.

RESOLUTION NO. 25-105

RESOLUTION APPOINTING NEW CHIEF OF POLICE J. PRIDY

WHEREAS, Chief Douglas Stoffer is retiring from employment with the Borough of Garwood effective May 31, 2025; and

WHEREAS, due to the retirement of Chief Stoffer, there will be an upcoming vacancy in the position of the Chief of Police of the Borough of Garwood Police Department; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:60-5(g) and Chapter 34 of the Borough Code the Mayor shall nominate with the advice and consent of Borough Council a Chief of Police; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Blumenstock has nominated Jonathan Pridy for the position of Chief of Police, pending Borough Council approval and the ultimate vacancy in the position.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Borough of Garwood by the following roll call vote of a successful 2/3 thirds of majority hereby confirm the appointment of Jonathan Pridy as Chief of Police, Garwood Police Department, effective June 1, 2025, at an annual salary of $160,000 with benefits as per the Borough's Personnel Policies and Procedures Manual, effective June 1, 2025.

RESOLUTION NO. 25-106

RESOLUTION APPOINTING NEW SERGEANT C. CZACHOROWSKI

WHEREAS, there is a promotional vacancy in the title of Sergeant of the Borough of Garwood Police Department; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:60-5 and Chapter 34, Section 4 of the Borough Code, the Mayor shall nominate the Sergeant with the advice and consent of Borough Council; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Jen Blumenstock has nominated Detective Christopher Czachorowski for the position of Sergeant.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Garwood that Christopher Czachorowski is hereby appointed to the title of Sergeant of the Garwood Police Department, effective June 1, 2025. Compensation and benefits will be provided in accordance with the terms of the PBA contract.

RESOLUTION NO. 25-107

RESOLUTION TO RELEASE TRANSFER OF FIREARM TO CAPTAIN S. ROCCO

BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Garwood, County of Union, State of New Jersey hereby authorize Chief Douglas Stoffer to sign the release to transfer firearm Glock Model 17, 9 mm Handgun, Serial # BGMR813 to Police Officer Samuel Rocco as per his upcoming retirement from the Garwood Police Department.

RESOLUTION NO. 25-108

RESOLUTION APPOINTING SUMMER CAMP HIRES

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Borough of Garwood, County of Union, State of New Jersey, that the following are hereby appointed as 2025 Garwood Recreation Summer Camp Employees, as per attached list and hourly rates listed below:

Director:	$25.00
Assistant Director:	$18.00
All Counselors:	$14.53

RESOLUTION NO. 25-109

RESOLUTION CALLING FOR THE RESTORATION OF ENERGY TAXES TO MUNICIPALITIES

WHEREAS, taxes on gas and electric utilities were initially collected by the host municipalities to be used for local purposes and to compensate the public for the use of their rights of way; and

WHEREAS, when the State made itself the collection agent for these taxes, it promised to dedicate the proceeds to municipal property tax relief; since, just as municipalities collect property taxes for the benefit of school districts, counties and other entities; the State is supposed to collect Energy Taxes for the benefit of municipal governments; and

WHEREAS, for many years, State budget makers have diverted funding from Energy Taxes to fund State programs; and instead of being spent on local programs and services and used to offset property taxes, the money has been spent as successive Legislatures and Administrations have seen fit; and

WHEREAS, while the State may need to have the right to override the statutory dedication of these revenues to local governments, to deal with emergencies and crises that may occur, current State policymakers should not exercise that right automatically; and

WHEREAS, while that right should be the exception, it has become the rule; and

WHEREAS, by maintaining flat funding for the appropriation of the Consolidated Municipal Property Tax Relief Act (CMPTRA) year after year, State Budget makers have been able to continue collecting Energy Taxes while retaining additional revenue that should have been returned to local governments to support property tax relief; and

WHEREAS, in SFY 2023, the State did provide some much-needed relief in the allocation of $75 million of new funds identified as the Municipal Relief Fund; and

WHEREAS, in SFY 2024, the State allocated $150 million in Municipal Relief Funds; however, in SFY 2025 and, as proposed in SFY 2026, no allocation will exist; and

WHEREAS, in SFY 2024, the Energy Tax Receipts Program should have received over $350 million to restore municipalities back to 2008 levels, however, the State's diversion of Energy Taxes has continued to grow, causing a greater financial gap; and

WHEREAS, the cumulative impact of years of flat funding and underfunding has left many municipalities with serious needs and burdensome property taxes; and

WHEREAS, local elected officials are in the best position to decide how best to use these resources, which were always intended to fund local programs and services; and

WHEREAS, the overall trend has been a slowdown in the growth of the average municipal property tax bill since the imposition of the 2% property tax levy cap; and

WHEREAS, local officials are clearly committed to limiting their reliance on increased property taxes while bearing the responsibility to provide for local needs, including critical public safety, health, infrastructure, and educational needs of the community;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Borough of Garwood in the County of Union calls for the immediate restoration of funding diverted from Energy Taxes intended for local use; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we, respectfully, call on State policy makers to end the diversion of our municipal resources to cover State spending and to provide us with this critical tool to relieve the worst-in-the-nation property tax burden borne, for too long, by the people of New Jersey; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that executed copies of this Resolution shall be sent to State Senate President Nicholas Scutari, State Assembly Speaker Craig Coughlin, State Senator Jon Bramnick, State Assemblymembers Nancy Munoz and Michelle Matsikoudis, the Commissioner of the Department of Community Affairs Jacquelyn Suárez, the State Treasurer Elizabeth Maher Muoio, the Lieutenant Governor Tahesha Way, the Governor of the State of New Jersey Phil Murphy, and the New Jersey State League of Municipalities.

RESOLUTION NO. 25-110

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE NEW JERSEY STATE LEGISLATURE PASSING A STRONG PACKAGING PRODUCT STEWARDSHIP ACT

WHEREAS, approximately 40 % (per cent) of plastics produced are used for packaging; and

WHEREAS, managing packaging waste costs New Jersey taxpayers hundreds of millions of dollars annually; and

WHEREAS, companies that produce packaging materials should help bear the costs of their waste byproducts; and

WHEREAS, some packaging is not recyclable; and

WHEREAS, plastic causes serious pollution throughout its entire lifecycle—from the extraction of the fossil fuels used to make it, to its manufacture, its petrochemical additives, its use, and its disposal; and

WHEREAS, litter resulting from this excess packaging is a blight on the community; and

WHEREAS, enacting the "Packaging Product Stewardship Act" (S3398/A5009) would reduce waste, increase recycling rates, create jobs, reduce product toxicity, provide millions of dollars in savings for taxpayers, provide new money to local governments to manage waste, and reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Garwood, in the County of Union, New Jersey, urges the New Jersey State Legislature to pass and sign into law a strong and effective Packaging Product Stewardship Act.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that executed copies of this Resolution shall be sent to Governor Phil Murphy, Senate President Nicholas Scutari, Speaker of the General Assembly Craig Coughlin, State Senator Jon Bramnick, Assemblymembers Nancy Munoz and Michelle Matsikoudis, and the Association of New Jersey Environmental Commissions.

CONSENT AGENDA APPROVAL:

A motion was made by _____, second by _____ to adopt Consent Agenda.

Discussion:

ROLL CALL*:*

Councilwoman Boto	_____	Councilman Lazarow	_____
Councilman Foley	_____	Councilman Padusniak	_____
Councilman Kearney	_____	Council President Nolde	_____

RESOLUTIONS DELETED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA:

A motion was made by _____, second by _____, to adopt Resolution # 25-_____.

Discussion: Mayor and Council

ROLL CALL*:*

Councilwoman Boto	_____	Councilman Lazarow	_____
Councilman Foley	_____	Councilman Padusniak	_____
Councilman Kearney	_____	Council President Nolde	_____

NEW BUSINESS: NONE

PAYMENT OF CLAIMS AND REFUNDS AS LISTED ON FILE:

BE IT RESOLVED that the following claims as approved be and the same are hereby ordered paid when
properly signed and verified; and the payment of payrolls as listed is hereby confirmed and ratified.

A motion was made by _____ second by _____ to adopt Payment of Claims Resolution.

ROLL CALL*:*

Councilwoman Boto	_____	Councilman Lazarow	_____
Councilman Foley	_____	Councilman Padusniak	_____
Councilman Kearney	_____	Council President Nolde	_____

EXECUTIVE SESSION: **NONE**

ADJOURNMENT:

The Regular Meeting of the Mayor and Council will be held on **May 22, 2025 at 7:00 P.M.** in Council Chambers. Information for meetings is posted on the Borough website: https://garwood.org/gb_notices

A motion was made by _____ second by _____ to adjourn.

All in favor _____, opposed _____?

Time:_____