

MAYOR AND COUNCIL
BOROUGH OF CLOSTER

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA – WEDNESDAY, MAY 12, 2021 - 7:30 P.M

DUE TO PUBLIC HEALTH CONSIDERATIONS, THIS REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING OF THE CLOSTER MAYOR AND COUNCIL WILL BE HELD BOTH TELEPHONICALLY and VIA ZOOM VIDEO.

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TOLL FREE: +1 646-558-8656; MEETING ID: 864 2063 3673; PASSWORD: 8675309

If Executive session is required, the Council will retire to a closed session at the conclusion of the Regular Meeting pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-6 and follow the procedures provided in this statute.

1. PROVISIONS OF OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT STATEMENT

This meeting is called pursuant to the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act of the State of New Jersey, was included in the Notice of 2021 Mayor and Council Meetings which was published in The Record on January 15, 2021 and The Star Ledger on January 18, 2021, was posted on the Municipal Clerk’s bulletin board and on the Borough website, and has remained posted as the required notices under the Statute. In addition, a copy of the notice is and has been available to the public and is on file in the office of the Municipal Clerk.

2. ROLL CALL

3. PUBLIC HEARING @7:30 P.M. TO SOLICIT PUBLIC COMMENT ON THE PROPOSED BERGEN COUNTY OPEN SPACE TRUST FUND GRANT APPLICATION FOR HIGH STREET DOG PARK PROJECT (Notice published in The Record issue of 4/29/21)

4. TRUST FUND APPLICATION MUNICIPAL ENDORSING RESOLUTION Bergen County Open Space Trust Fund High Street Dog Park Project (Received from Administrator’s Office 5/6/21)

5. MAYORAL APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS:

<u>OFFICE</u>	<u>INCUMBENT</u>	<u>APPOINTEE</u>	<u>TERM</u>	<u>EXPIRES</u>
*Environmental Commission				
^^Alternate No. 1	<u>Krishna Rege</u>	_____	2 Years Unexp.(Abrams)	31-Dec-21
^^Alternate No. 2	<u>Modi Feibish</u>	_____	2 Years Unexp. (Feibish)	31-Dec-22
Associate Member	<u>Ethel Abrams</u>	_____	1 Year	31-Dec-21
Associate Member	<u>Bobbie Bouton-Goldberg</u> Historic Preservation Liaison	_____	1 Year	31-Dec-21
*Shade Tree Commission				
Member / Shade Tree Liaison	<u>Nancy Pergament</u>	_____	5 Years Unexp. (Pergament)	31-Dec-21

^^ One Must be a Shade Tree Commission Member/Liaison
^^ One must be a Historic Preservation Commission Member/Liaison

ORDINANCES

6. ADOPTION OF THE FOLLOWING ORDINANCES @ 8 P.M. OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS THE MATTER MAY BE HEARD:

The following Ordinances were introduced at the Regular Meeting held 4/14/21, and were published in The Record issue of 4/20/21, as stated in the printer's affidavit of publication. Reprint of these Ordinances were posted on the Municipal Bulletin Board in accordance with statutory requirements, and copies have been made available to the general public.

- a. ORDINANCE NO. 2021:1279, “AN ORDINANCE BY THE BOROUGH OF CLOSTER, COUNTY OF BERGEN, NEW JERSEY PROHIBITING THE OPERATION OF ANY CLASS OF CANNABIS BUSINESSES WITHIN ITS GEOGRAPHICAL BOUNDARIES AND AMENDING CHAPTER 200 OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF CLOSTER”
- b. ORDINANCE NO. 2021:1280, “AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF CLOSTER, IN THE COUNTY OF BERGEN, NEW JERSEY, PROVIDING FOR THE ACQUISITION OF FIRE EQUIPMENT AND APPROPRIATING \$47,500 THEREFOR, AND PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF \$45,125 IN BONDS OR NOTES OF THE BOROUGH OF CLOSTER TO FINANCE THE SAME”

7a. REVIEW OF CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

All items with an asterisk (*) are considered to be non-controversial by the Council and will be approved by one MOTION.

There may be further discussion prior to the vote upon request of a Council Member. Also, any item may be removed for further discussion or for Roll Call vote, in which case the item will be removed and considered in its normal sequence as part of the General Order of Business.

RESOLUTIONS

- *8. BILL RESOLUTION – MAY 15, 2021
(Received from Finance Office 5/6/21)
- *9. RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A SHARED SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH THE TOWNSHIP OF RIVER VALE FOR THE CLOSTER POLICE FIRING RANGE (Received from Chief of Police 5/4/21)
- *10. RESOLUTION APPROVING THE PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS AND AUTHORIZING THE BIDDING OF THE REPLACEMENT OF THE BLANCH AVENUE BRIDGE OVER THE DWARSKILL (Grant ID MA-2021-Blanch Avenue Bridge Over The Dwarskill) Boswell Engineering Project No. CL-1381 (Received from Administrator's Office 5/5/21)
- *11. RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING MAYOR TO EXECUTE HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT FOR POLICE DEPARTMENT'S OFFICER OF THE YEAR EVENT TO BE HELD AT TEMPLE EMANUEL ON MAY 28, 2021 (Received from Borough Attorney 5/6/21)
- *12. RESOLUTION APPROVING THE USE OF MEMORIAL PARK BY THE CLOSTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR FOURTH GRADE MOVING-UP AND EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATION CEREMONIES (Received from Borough Attorney 5/6/21)
- *13. RESOLUTION URGING THE LEGISLATURE TO AMEND P.L. 2021, C. 25 (INTRODUCED AS SENATE BILL 3454, AND ALSO KNOWN AS ASSEMBLY BILL 5342) TO PERMIT LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO PERFORM THEIR DUTIES WITHOUT SUBSTANTIAL RISK OF CIVIL AND CRIMINAL LIABILITY (Received from Borough Attorney 5/6/21)
- *14. RESOLUTION APPROVING AND ACKNOWLEDGING DONATION OF HAND SANITIZER TO THE BOROUGH (Received from Borough Attorney 5/6/21)
- *15. RESOLUTION APPROVING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES APPOINTMENT - HEALTH OFFICER AND REGISTERED ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SPECIALIST (Received from Borough Attorney 5/6/21)
- *16. RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CONTRACTS WITH CERTAIN APPROVED COOPERATIVE PRICING SYSTEM VENDORS PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:11-11 (Borough Ordinances 2018:1241 & 2019:1256) (Capital Accounts: C-04-18-241-003-001 & C-04-19-256-003-001) RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AWARD OF CONTRACT TO VENDOR WITH NEW JERSEY STATE CONTRACTS FOR SECURITY CAMERAS AND INSTALLATION – CLOSTER PARKS (Received from Administrator's Office 5/7/21)

7a. REVIEW OF CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS (Continued)

MOTIONS

*17. MOTION APPROVING THE FOLLOWING MINUTES: *ABSTENTIONS NOTED:
 (Distributed 4/29/21):

- a. REGULAR MEETING HELD JANUARY 13, 2021
- b. REGULAR MEETING HELD JANUARY 27, 2021 (*AMITAI)
- c. REGULAR MEETING HELD FEBRUARY 10, 2021
- d. REGULAR MEETING HELD FEBRUARY 24, 2021 (*WITKO)
- e. REGULAR MEETING HELD MARCH 10, 2021

*18. MOTION APPROVING THE FOLLOWING **NON-SALARIED** APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS NOT MADE AT THE REORGANIZATION MEETING HELD 1/4/21:

<u>OFFICE</u>	<u>INCUMBENT</u>	<u>APPOINTEE</u>	<u>TERM</u>	<u>EXPIRES</u>
Board of Ethics				
Member	<u>VACANT</u>	_____	5 Years Unexp. (Vacant)	31-Dec-24
Food and Assistance Board				
Member	<u>VACANT</u>	_____	2 Years Unexp. (Vacant)	31-Dec-21
Historic Preservation Commission				
Alternate No. 2	<u>VACANT</u>	_____	2 Years Unexp. (Vacant)	31-Dec-21

*19. MOTION APPROVING THE FOLLOWING **SALARIED** APPOINTMENTS:

<u>OFFICE</u>	<u>INCUMBENT</u>	<u>APPOINTEE</u>	<u>TERM</u>	<u>EXPIRES</u>
Deputy Treasurer	<u>Dorothy Woods</u> <i>Retired 4/1/21</i>	_____	1 Year Unexp. (Woods)	31-Dec-21
Employee Benefits Clerk	<u>Dorothy Woods</u> <i>Retired 4/1/21</i>	_____	1 Year Unexp. (Woods)	31-Dec-21
Finance Clerk - COAH	<u>Dorothy Woods</u> <i>Retired 4/1/21</i>	_____	1 Year Unexp. (Woods)	31-Dec-21

*20. REPORTS

- a. CONSTRUCTION OFFICIAL – APRIL 2021 (Received 5/3/21)

7b. VOTE ON ITEMS REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA

21. ANY OTHER MATTER WHICH MAY PROPERLY COME BEFORE THE GOVERNING BODY

22. OPEN MEETING TO PUBLIC FOR ANY MATTER, PER N.J.S.A. 10:4-12 (a)
 (Subject to 5-minute limit per By-Laws General Rule No. 11)

23. ADJOURNMENT

MAYOR AND COUNCIL
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1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
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3. ROLL CALL
4. DEVIATION TO REGULAR MEETING AGENDA TO CONDUCT:

PUBLIC HEARING @7:30 P.M. TO SOLICIT PUBLIC COMMENT ON THE PROPOSED BERGEN COUNTY OPEN SPACE TRUST FUND GRANT APPLICATION FOR HIGH STREET DOG PARK PROJECT (Notice published in The Record issue of 4/29/21)

5. REVIEW AND DISCUSSION OF COMMUNICATION ITEMS
 - a. MAIL LIST OF APRIL 29, 2021
 - b. MAIL LIST OF MAY 6, 2021
6. REVIEW AND DISCUSSION OF CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS FROM REGULAR MEETING
(Refer to Regular Meeting Agenda of May 12, 2021)
7. PROFESSIONAL REPORTS
 - A. BOROUGH ATTORNEY
 - 1) REPORT
 - B. BOROUGH ENGINEER
 - 1) REPORT
8. REPORTS
 - A. BOROUGH ADMINISTRATOR
 - 1) REPORT

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8. REPORTS (Continued)
 - B. BOROUGH CLERK
 - 1) REPORT
 - C. CHIEF OF POLICE
 - 1) REPORT
 - D. MAYOR
 - 1) REPORT
9. OLD BUSINESS
10. NEW BUSINESS
11. OPEN MEETING TO THE PUBLIC FOR ANY MATTER PER N.J.S.A. 10:4-12(A) (SUBJECT TO A 5-MINUTE LIMIT PER GENERAL RULE NUMBER 11) EXCEPT FOR ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR PUBLIC HEARING AT THE REGULAR MEETING
12. DISCUSSION OF PUBLIC COMMENTS, IF APPROPRIATE
13. ANY OTHER MATTER WHICH MAY PROPERLY COME BEFORE THE GOVERNING BODY
14. ADJOURNMENT

MAIL LIST
APRIL 29, 2021

NO.	DATE REC'D	DATE	FROM	SUBJECT *COPY ATTACHED	AGENDA/ COMMITTEE/ LIAISON
1.	04/26/21	04/24/21	Marc N. Schrieke, Deputy Chief of Staff, James J. Tedesco, III, County Executive Office	*FW: The Office of Congressman Bill Pascrell, Jr.: COPS Grants (Copy sent via email on 4/26/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, Chief McTigue)	Administrator/Grants Latner/Public Safety
2.	04/26/21	04/23/21	NJ State League of Municipalities	<p>*NJLM – Weekly Round-Up – April 23, 2021</p> <p>I. State Issues</p> <p>a. COVID-19 Update</p> <p>b. Governor Signs 20 and Out Legislation</p> <p>c. Cannabis Regulatory Commission Holds Second Meeting</p> <p>d. New Jersey’s First Climate Change Resilience Strategy is Released</p> <p>e. League President Testifies at Senate Hearing on Forest Stewardship</p> <p>f. Governor Signs Law Allowing for Nonresident Municipal Emergency Management Coordinators</p> <p>II. Federal Issues</p> <p>a. The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Announces Competitive Grant Opportunity</p> <p>b. American Rescue Plan – Preparation for Municipalities that Will Receive Direct Payments</p> <p>III. 2020 Annual League Conference</p> <p>IV. Also of Interest</p> <p>(Copy sent via email on 4/26/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, OEM Coordinator, Health Director, Borough Attorney)</p>	<p>Borough Administrator OEM Coordinator Chung/Health Devlin/Environmental</p> <p>Devlin/Environmental</p> <p>Administrator/Grants Borough Engineer Borough Administrator Yammarino/Finance</p>
3.	04/26/21	04/23/21	Kerry Kirk Pflugh, Director, Office of Local Government Assistance, NJ Department of Environmental Protection	<p>*a. NJDEP Weekly Update – April 23, 2021</p> <p>a. NJ Releases First Climate Change Resilience Strategy</p> <p>b. NJDEP Hosts Mayor Fulop, Legislative Leaders and EPA in Highlighting New Jersey’s Commitment to Environmental Justice During Mississippi Flag Raising at Liberty State Park</p> <p>c. Save the Dates - Environmental Justice Rulemaking Meetings on May 6th</p> <p>d. All Individuals Aged 16 and Older are Now Eligible for the COVID-19 Vaccine</p> <p>(Copy sent via e-mail on 4/26/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator)</p> <p>b. Correcting Webinar Links for First Climate Change Resilience Strategy (Copy sent via e-mail on 4/26/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator)</p>	<p>Devlin/Environmental</p> <p>Devlin/Environmental</p>

4.	04/26/21	04/26/21	Marc N. Schrieks, Deputy Chief of Staff, James J. Tedesco, III, County Executive Office Robert Esposito, Director, Bergen County Community Development	*a. Bergen New Bridge Walk Up Vaccinations (Copy sent via e-mail on 4/26/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, OEM Coordinator, Health Director) b. IMPORTANT: Bergen County COVID-19 Vaccination Center at New Bridge Medical in Paramus Now Accepting Walk-Ups! (Copy sent via e-mail on 4/26/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, OEM Coordinator, Health Director, Chief McTigue, Fire Chief, Ambulance Corps, Food and Assistance Board, Senior Citizens)	Borough Administrator Latner/Public Safety Witko/Fire Mayor/CVAC Chung/Health Amitai/Seniors
5.	04/26/21	04/26/21	egg@dca.nj.gov to agray@closternj.us LFB_FDS@dca.nj.gov to agray@closternj.us	*a. LFN 2021-08 Annual Financial Disclosure Filing (LGOs) Copy sent via e-mail on 4/26/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, Borough Attorney, Board of Ethics) b. LFN 2021-08 2021 Annual Financial Disclosure Filing (LGOs) Copy sent via e-mail on 4/26/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, Borough Attorney, Board of Ethics	Borough Attorney Borough Attorney
6.	04/27/21	04/26/21	Laura N. Fracas, Bergen County Department of Human Services, to Municipal Clerks	*Bergen County Virtual Multicultural Family Fun Fest 2021 (April 28 th through April 30 th from 4-5 p.m. each day) Copy sent via e-mail on 4/27/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator	
7.	04/27/21	04/27/21	Elder Jinsoo Park, Han Moory Church, to agray@closternj.us	*a. Request for Mayor and Council Approval for Han Moory Church to Conduct Picnic Activities at Schauble Park on Sunday, 5/23/21 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.; Rain Date 6/6/21 (Copy sent via e-mail on 4/27/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, OEM Coordinator, Recreation Director, DPW Superintendent) b. Revised Request for Mayor and Council Approval for Han Moory Church to Conduct Picnic Activities at Schauble Park on Sunday, 6/6/21 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.; Rain Date 6/13/21; Certificate of Insurance and Hold Harmless Agreement attached (Copy sent via e-mail on 4/27/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, OEM Coordinator, Recreation Director, DPW Superintendent)	Administrator/Insurance Yammarino/Recreation
8.	04/28/21	04/28/21	Bergen County Division of Senior Services to Municipal Clerks	*Virtual Bergen County Caregiver Conference Saturday, 5/15/21 from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. (Copy sent via e-mail on 4/28/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, Senior Citizens)	Amitai/Seniors
9.	04/28/21	04/28/21	Lara Rodriguez, Clerk to the Bergen County Board of Chosen Freeholders, to Bergen County Municipal Clerks	*Commissioners: Podcasts/Resolutions (Copy sent via e-mail on 4/28/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator)	
10.	04/23/21	04/19/21	Erika Woods & Assaf Kedem, 751 Closter Dock Road, to Borough Clerk	*Notification to All Property Owners within 200 feet of 751 Closter Dock Road, Block 2402, Lot 17 of permit for removal of five (5) trees	

11.	04/26/21	04/15/21	Anthony Fontana, Chief, NJDEP Bureau of Solid Waste Permitting, to Loretta Castano	*Application for a Solid Waste Facility Permit Transfer of Ownership, SW Transfer Station Permit, ISW TRANSFER SYSTEMS OF NJ INC, Closter Borough, Bergen County, Facility ID NO.: 13858, Permit No.: TRP180001; informing no public comments were received and the transfer of ownership has been issued (Copy to Borough Administrator, Borough Attorney, DPW Superintendent)	Borough Administrator Borough Attorney
12.	04/26/21	04/23/21	Richard Wierer, Deputy Executive Director, Bergen County Utilities Authority, to Borough Administrator c: Municipal Clerk Robert Laux	*Solid Waste Cooperative Marketing Program (Copy to Borough Administrator, DPW Superintendent)	Borough Administrator Chung/Public Works
13.	04/26/21	03/13/21	Anthony Lupardi, Jr., President, Closter Volunteer Ambulance and Rescue Corps, Inc.	*Requesting support due to a decrease in fundraising as a result of COVID and additional expenses	Administrator/Budget Mayor/CVAC
14.	04/28/21	04/26/21	Michael J. Hubschman, PE, PP, Hubschman Engineering, P.A., Agent for Applicant, Anita Kovacic, to Municipal Clerk	*Notice of Flood Hazard Area Verification, Redevelopment of Single Family Dwelling. 54 Hickory Lane, Block 2103, Lot 4	Borough Engineer
15.	04/28/21	04/26/21	Diane Gutierrez-Scaccetti, Commissioner, Local Aid and Economic Development, New Jersey Department of Transportation, to Transportation Partners	*FY 2022 State Aid Program Solicitation: applications are now being accepted through the Department's electronic grant administration system: SAGE for the following programs: Municipal Aid, Transit Village, Bikeways, and Safe Streets to Transit. The applications must be completed and submitted on or before July 1, 2021 . Please login to SAGE using the Division of Local Aid's website or using following link https://njsage.intelligrants.com/Login.aspx?APPTHEME=NJSAGE	Administrator/Grants Borough Engineer

MAIL LIST
MAY 6, 2021

NO.	DATE REC'D	DATE	FROM	SUBJECT *COPY ATTACHED	AGENDA/ COMMITTEE/ LIAISON
1.	04/28/21	04/28/21	Bergen Volunteers, to icastano@closternj.us	*Bergen Volunteers Unveils New Lunch and Learn Series (Copy sent via email on 4/28/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, Food and Assistance Board, Senior Citizens, Food and Assistance Board)	Amitai/Seniors
2.	04/29/21 05/04/21	04/29/21 05/04/21	Matthew P. McHale, Government & Community Relations, Federal & State Legislative Liaison, NJ Transit, to Borough Clerk	*a. NJ Transit Rewards Riders (Copy sent via email on 4/29/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator) b. NJ Transit Launches VAXRIDE Program for Free Travel to Vaccine Appointments (Copy sent via email on 5/4/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, Food and Assistance Board, Senior Citizens, Food and Assistance Board)	Amitai/Seniors
3.	05/04/21	04/29/21	egg@dca.nj.gov to agray@closternj.us	*State Budget Reviews (Copy sent via email on 5/4/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, Chief Financial Officer, Assistant CFO)	Administrator/Budget Yammarino/Finance
4.	05/04/21	04/30/21	New Jersey Conservation Foundation (rally@njconservation.com), to Municipal Clerk	*25 th Annual NJ Land Conservation Rally Goes Virtual (Copy sent via email on 5/4/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, Environmental Commission, Recreation Director) Copy to Planning Board, Zoning Board of Adjustment	Devlin/Environmental Amitai/Planning Chung/Zoning Yammarino/Recreation
5.	05/04/21	04/30/21	NJ State League of Municipalities	*NJLM – Weekly Round-Up – April 30, 2021 I. State Issues a. COVID-19 Update b. New Jersey SFY 2022 Budget Update c. Division Issues Information on 2021 Financial Disclosure Statement Filing II. Federal Issues a. President Biden Announces American Family Plan b. Shuttered Venue Operator Grants c. American Rescue Plan – Preparation for Municipalities that Will Receive Direct Payments III. 2020 Annual League Conference IV. Also of Interest (Copy sent via email on 5/4/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, OEM Coordinator, Health Director, Recreation Director, Chief Financial Officer, Assistant CFO)	Borough Administrator OEM Coordinator Chung/Health Borough Administrator Yammarino/Finance Borough Attorney Borough Administrator Yammarino/Finance

6.	05/04/21	04/30/21	Kerry Kirk Pflugh, Director, Office of Local Government Assistance, NJ Department of Environmental Protection	<p>*NJDEP Weekly Update – April 30, 2021</p> <p>a. Save the Date - Climate Change Resilience Strategy Public Webinars on 5/4 and 5/5</p> <p>b. Save the Date - Environmental Justice Rulemaking Meetings on May 6th</p> <p>c. All Individuals Aged 16 and Older are Now Eligible for the COVID-19 Vaccine</p> <p>(Copy sent via e-mail on 5/4/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, Environmental Commission)</p>	Devlin/Environmental Devlin/Environmental
7.	05/04/21	05/01/21	NAMI New Jersey, to boroclerk@closternj.us	*NAMI NJ May 2021 E-newsletter (Copy sent via e-mail on 5/4/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, OEM Coordinator, Health Director, Chief McTigue, Fire Chief, Ambulance Corps, Food and Assistance Board, Senior Citizens)	Borough Administrator Latner/Public Safety Witko/Fire Mayor/CVAC Chung/Health Amitai/Seniors
8.	05/04/21	05/03/21	Janice Kovach, President, Mayor, Clinton Town to Municipal Clerk	*Mayor’s Newsline – May 2021 (Copy sent via e-mail on 5/4/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator)	
9.	05/04/21	05/03/21	Kerry Kirk Pflugh, Director, Office of Local Government Assistance, NJ Department of Environmental Protection	*Application for Green Acres Funds Now Open! Applications due 6/30/21 (Copy sent via email on 5/4/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, Environmental Commission, Recreation Director, Leslie Weatherly)	Administrator/Grants Devlin/Environmental Yammarino/Recreation
10.	05/04/21	05/04/21	egg@dca.nj.gov to agray@closternj.us	*2021 Revenue Sharing Files (Copy sent via email on 5/4/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, Chief Financial Officer, Tax Collector/Assistant CFO)	Administrator/Budget Yammarino/Finance
11.	05/04/21	05/03/21	Bergen Volunteers, to icastano@closternj.us	*Bergen Volunteers Buzz May 2021 (Copy sent via email on 5/4/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, Food and Assistance Board, Senior Citizens, Food and Assistance Board)	Amitai/Seniors
12.	05/04/21	05/04/21	egg@dca.nj.gov to agray@closternj.us	*NJ League Webinar on New Jersey’s Green Storm Water Management Rules (Copy sent via email on 5/4/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, Borough Engineer, DPW Superintendent)	Borough Administrator Borough Engineer Chung/Public Works
13.	05/04/21	04/29/21	Borough of Alpine Municipal Clerk to Surrounding Municipalities	*Notice of Introduction of Ordinance No. 807: An Ordinance by the Borough of Alpine in the County of Bergen, State of New Jersey Prohibiting the Operation of Any Class of Cannabis Businesses Within Its Geographical Boundaries and Amending Section 220-22 of the Alpine Municipal Code Entitled “Uses Prohibited in All Zones” (Copy to Planning Board)	Amitai/Planning

14.	05/04/21	04/28/21	Borough of Haworth Municipal Clerk to Surrounding Municipalities	*Notice of Introduction of Ordinance No. 21-09: An Ordinance by the Borough of Alpine in the County of Bergen, State of New Jersey Prohibiting the Operation of Any Class of Cannabis Businesses Within Its Geographical Boundaries and Amending Section 26-202.4, Prohibited Uses, of the Borough Code (Copy to Planning Board)	Amitai/Planning
15.	04/28/21	04/26/21	Michael J. Hubschman, PE, PP, Hubschman Engineering, P.A., Agent for Applicant, Anita Kovacic, to Municipal Clerk	*Application for Flood Hazard Area Verification, Redevelopment of Single Family Dwelling. 54 Hickory Lane, Block 2103, Lot 4 – see also 14 M.L. 4/29/21 (Complete Application w/Maps on File in Borough Clerk’s Office)	Borough Engineer
16.	05/06/21	05/06/21	Mark Vangieri, CRP, Program Planning Manager, Administration and Solid Waste, Bergen County Utilities Authority, to Municipal Clerk	*BCUA Solid Waste Cooperative Marketing Program – see also 12. M.L. 4/29/21 (Copy sent via email on 5/6/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, DPW Superintendent, Recycling Coordinator)	Borough Administrator Chung/Public Works
17.	05/06/21	05/06/21	Leslie Weatherly, Offices of Mayor & Borough Administrator, to Arlene Gray	*Thank You for attending the Closter cleanup day from Krishna Rege, Environmental Commission (Copy sent via email on 5/6/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, Environmental Commission, Improvement Commission)	Devlin/Environmental Amitai/CIC
18.	05/06/21	No Date	Robert Laux, Executive Director, Bergen County Utilities Authority, to Municipal Clerk	*Notice of Virtual Hearing to be held 5/27/21 @ 10 a.m. re the recalculation of the connection fee for new direct or indirect connections to the Authority’s sanitary wastewater collection and treatment for term from approximately 5/28/21 through 5/27/22 or until a subsequent connection fee is computed, whichever shall occur last (Copy to DPW Superintendent)	Borough Administrator Chung/Public Works
19.	05/06/21	05/04/21	Dean Schaffer, 262 Hudson Street, Hackensack, to Borough of Closter	*Demolition Notification to Adjoining Neighbors re 279 Demarest Avenue to be demolished on or before 5/30/21 to build a new home	Amitai/Construction
20.	05/06/21	05/06/21	R. Scott King, Esq., Planning Board Attorney, to Mayor Glidden, Borough Administrator, Planning Board Chair, Borough Planner	*Ltr to Mayor & Council – Ord. 2021:1279 re Consistency Review of Proposed Borough Ordinance 2021:1279 and informing that pursuant to N.J.S.A 40:55D-26 AND N.J.S.A. 40:55D-64 the Planning Board reviewed the proposed ordinance at the 5/5/21 meeting and it was deemed to be consistent with the Borough’s Master Plan by a vote of 10-0; and informing a memorializing resolution will be adopted at the 5/27/21 meeting (Copy sent via email on 5/6/21 to: Mayor and Council, Administrator, Borough Attorney)	Borough Attorney Amitai/Planning RMA 5/12/21