

**READINGTON TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE
2021 GOAL SETTING MEETING – February 27, 2021**

Mayor Albanese *calls the meeting to order at 9:25 a.m.* announcing that all laws governing the Open Public Meetings Act have been met and that this meeting has been duly advertised.

PRESENT: Mayor J. Albanese, Deputy Mayor J. Heller, Mrs. BA Fort,
Mr. J. Huelsebusch and Mr. B. Smith joined the meeting virtually

ALSO PRESENT: Administrator R. Sheola, Municipal Clerk K. Parker

ABSENT: None

Mayor Albanese led those present in the *Salute to the Flag*.

2021 GOAL SETTING

Mayor Albanese stated that Administrator Sheola had implemented a goal setting session with Department Heads along with various volunteers and the process will continue to incorporate goals from the Township Committee.

Administrator Sheola explained that the objective of the session was to set forth a clear set of achievable goals for 2021/22 that will have measurable milestones and results. Administrator Sheola added that the goal setting sessions will continue to further develop strategies within the overall goals.

The Committee collaborated and outlined the strategic goals as follows:

1. Affordable Housing, Development, Population Increase within Readington and adjacent communities / Build-Out
2. Budget/Debt Management
3. Stabilized Taxes/Spending
4. Improved Business Friendliness in the Township
5. Complete the Route 22 Zoning Study
6. Road Safety
7. Planning for Capital Expenditures
8. Municipal Improvement
9. Parks Maintenance
10. Preservation/Open Space/Farmland
11. Government/Business Relationship
12. Steward/Open Space
13. Sewer
14. Department of Public Works Facility
15. Coordination/ Stabilization of Fire and Rescue Departments
16. Grants – Sourcing/Management
17. Improving Community Engagement

PUBLIC COMMENT

John Broten, Dogwood Drive, commended the Committee on taking the steps for long term goal planning.

As there was no further business, **A MOTION** was made at 10:05 a.m. by Mrs. Fort to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Mr. Heller with a vote of ayes all, nays none recorded.

Respectfully Submitted:

Karin M. Parker, *RMC*
Municipal Clerk