

A Work Session of the City Council was held on Tuesday, November 10, 2014 at 8:25 PM in the Conference Room in City Hall, 111 Outwater Lane, Garfield, NJ 07026.

Deputy Mayor Glenn Mati presided. City Clerk Andrew J. Pavlica announced that the Work Session was being held in accordance with provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act and that adequate notice was provided by mail and fax to the official City newspapers and to other interested parties and by posting the meeting notice on the bulletin boards in City Hall.

Councilmembers Present: Frank J. Calandriello, Louis G. Aloia and Glenn A. Mati
Councilmembers Absent: Joseph Delaney and Tana M. Raymond
Also Present: City Manager Thomas J. Duch, City Clerk Andrew J. Pavlica, City Attorney Representative John Ferraro of the Law Firm of Bruno and Ferraro (for City Attorney John Bruno), Labor Counsel John Lavin, City Engineer Kevin J. Boswell, Bernard Mirandi of Boswell Engineering, Interim Chief Financial Officer Roy Riggitano and Police Sergeant Michael Marsh

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL

The City Council and Cabinet discussed the Person to Person Transfer Application of Plenary Retail Consumption License No. 0221-33-048-006, an individual to a corporation, from Antonio Parlato, 113 Maitland Avenue, Paramus, New Jersey 07652 to La Cambusa, LLC, 517 River Drive, Garfield, New Jersey 07026, (Antonio Parlato – who will own 100% of the Corporation), t/a La Cambusa, located at 517 River Drive.

Attorney Frank Chambone, Esq. was present on behalf of the applicant.

CLOSED SESSION

Resolution No. 14-458

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 10:4-12 allows for a public body to exclude the public from a meeting in certain circumstances, and

WHEREAS, the City Council is of the opinion that such circumstances now exist,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Garfield, Bergen County, New Jersey, that a “Closed Session” is hereby called at 8:30 P.M. on Tuesday, November 10, 2014, to discuss the following as outlined in N.J.S.A. 10:4-12:

- * Collective bargaining agreements including the negotiation of the terms and thereof with employees or representatives of employees of the public body; (PBA Local No. 46 collective bargaining negotiations scheduled for November 14, 2014).
- * Pending or anticipated litigation or contract negotiations or matters falling within attorney-client privilege; (Kipp Avenue Water Pump Station contractor in default of his contract; English Paving vs. the City; PBA Local No. 46 grievance re: telephone calling for overtime with the specific designated phone number; PBA grievance re: Investigator pay; Police Officer Everett Garnto Workers Comp/Scope petition grievance).
- * Matters involving the employment, appointment, termination of employment, terms and conditions of employment, evaluation of the performance of, promotion or disciplinary action of personnel unless the individual in the right request a public meeting in writing; (Proposed execution of Last Chance Agreement of Police Officer Mariggi Lopez; proposed separation agreement of Police Officer Patrick Sajewicz; Police Table of Organization; employee health benefits proposal as presented by Connor, Strong & Buckelew representatives Diane Peterson, Vice President Consultant Employee Benefits Consulting and Regina M. Garber, Senior Associate Consultant Employee Benefits Consulting).

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the matters so discussed will be disclosed to the public as soon as and to the extent that such disclosure can be made without adversely affecting the public interest or without violation of the confidentiality of personnel.

On call of roll, Ayes 3, Absent 2 -
Councilmembers Delaney and Raymond

(Sgd) Glenn A. Mati
Louis G. Aloia

ARRIVAL AND EXIT OF VARIOUS CITY OFFICIALS

At 8:40 PM, Mayor Tana M. Raymond joined the Work Session during Closed Session and chaired the Work Session from this point forward. At 8:45 PM, City Engineer Kevin J. Boswell left the Work Session during Closed Session and it was duly noted for the record.

ADJOURNMENT

After the City Council came out of Closed Session at 10:00 PM, there being no further business, Councilmember Calandriello moved to adjourn the Work Session. Councilmember Mati duly seconded the motion.

On call of roll, Ayes 4,
Absent 1 – Councilmember Delaney

Andrew J. Pavlica, CITY CLERK