BOROUGH OF RIVERDALE
2026 Regular Council Meeting
AGENDA

Council Chambers
91 Newark-Pompton Turnpike
Riverdale, N.J. 07457

Phone: (973) 835-4060
Website: www.riverdaleNJ.gov

September 23, 2026 –7:30pm

MAYOR
Paul M. Carelli

BOROUGH COUNCIL
Vinny Pellegrini
Steve Revis
Dave Desai
Matt Oswald
Paul Purcell
Michael Kheyfets

CALL TO ORDER — ***Mayor Paul M. Carelli Presiding***

- Roll Call
- Statement of Compliance w/ Open Public Meetings Act
- Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

APPROVAL OF MINUTES — ***Borough Council***

- September 9, 2026

OPEN PUBLIC COMMENTS ON RESOLUTIONS — ***General Public***

Members of the public are invited to comment at this time on any resolution.

RESOLUTIONS - CONSENT AGENDA — ***Borough Council***

All items listed on the Consent Agenda are considered to be routine and will be acted upon by a single motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless members of the Council request specific items to be removed for separate action

158-2026: AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF BILLS AND THE ISSUANCE OF CHECKS FOR THE PERIOD THROUGH SEPTEMBER 23, 2026 FOR 2025-2026 BILLS IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF $1,394,886.02

159-2026: RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE BOROUGH OF RIVERDALE TO APPLY FOR A GRANT FROM THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY IN THE AMOUNT OF APPROXIMATELY $5,000.00 TO FUND THE NJUCF GREEN COMMUNITIES GRANT - COMMUNITY FOREST MANAGEMENT PLAN DEVELOPMENT

160-2026: RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE HIRING OF JULIAN FERNANDEZ TO THE PROBATIONARY POSITION OF DPW UTILITYPERSON – GRADE C IN THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RIVERDALE EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2026

161-2026: RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING SEPTEMBER 2026 AS OVARIAN CANCER AWARENESS MONTH IN THE BOROUGH OF RIVERDALE

COUNCIL COMMITTEE REPORTS — ***Borough Council***

Council Committees reports and updates since the last meeting

- Personnel — Councilman Kheyfets
- Utilities — Councilman Oswald
- Communications — Councilman Purcell
- Public Works — Council President Pellegrini
- Public Safety — Councilman Revis
- Finance/Sewer — Councilman Desai

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MAYOR REPORT ***Mayor Paul M. Carelli***

- Street Sign Request – Albanian American Cultural Center
- Road Project Funding Updates
- Street Sweeper Discussion

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EXECUTIVE SESSION ***Borough Council***

- Potential Property Purchase / Contract Update
- Phase 6 Sewer Project Update
- Personnel

ADJOURNMENT

Additional items may be added to this agenda. Final action may be taken on all matters listed or added to this agenda. This agenda was prepared as of 9/22/2026 with all available information as of this date.

A.J. Jalloh, Borough Clerk.