

RESOLUTION – CLOSED SESSION

WHEREAS, the Borough Council of the Borough of Shrewsbury must discuss matters which are not appropriate for discussion in a public meeting; and

WHEREAS, these subjects are within the exceptions to the Open Public Meetings Act and are permitted to be discussed in Closed Session pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-12b; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Council intends to discuss matters as follows:

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-12b(1), “any matter which, by provision of federal law or State statute or rule of court shall be rendered confidential or excluded from the provisions of subsection a.” of N.J.S.A. 10:4-12, public meetings. The nature of the matter, described as specifically as possible without undermining the need for confidentiality, is:

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-12b(2), “any matter in which the release of information would impair a right to receive funds from the Government of the United States”. The nature of the matter, described as specifically as possible without undermining the need for confidentiality, is:

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-12b(3), “any material the disclosure of which constitutes an unwarranted invasion of individual privacy such as records, data, reports, recommendations, or other personal material of any educational, training, social service, medical, health, custodial, child protection, rehabilitation, legal defense, welfare, housing, relocation, insurance and similar program or institution operated by a public body pertaining to any specific individual admitted to or served by such institution or program, including but not limited to information relative to the individual’s personal and family circumstances, and any material pertaining to admission, discharge, treatment, progress or condition of any individual, unless the individual concerned (or, in the case of a minor or incompetent, his guardian) shall request in writing that the same be disclosed publicly.” The nature of the matter, described as specifically as possible without undermining the need for confidentiality, is:

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-12b(4), “any collective bargaining agreement, or the terms and conditions which are proposed for inclusion in any collective bargaining agreement, including the negotiation of the terms and conditions thereof with employees or representatives of employees of the public body.” The collective bargaining contract(s) discussed are between the Commission and:

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-12b(5), “any matter involving the purchase, lease or acquisition of real property with public funds, the setting of banking rates or investment of public funds, where it could adversely affect the public interest if discussion of such matter were disclosed.” The nature of the matter, described as specifically as possible without undermining the need for confidentiality, is:

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-12b(6), “any tactics and techniques utilized in protecting the safety and property of the public, provided that their disclosure could impair such protection. Any investigations of violations or possible violations of the law.” The nature of the matter, described as specifically as possible without undermining the need for confidentiality, is:

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-12b(7), “any pending or anticipated litigation or contract negotiation other than in subsection b. (4)” of N.J.S.A. 10:4-12 “in which the public body is or may become a party. Any matters falling within the attorney-client privilege, to the extent that confidentiality is required in order for the attorney to exercise his ethical duties as a lawyer.” The nature of the matter, described as specifically as possible without undermining the need for confidentiality, is: **Shared Services**

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-12b(8), “any matter involving the employment, appointment, termination of employment, terms and conditions of employment, evaluation of the performance of, promotion or discipline of any specific prospective public officer or employee or current public officer or employee employed or appointed by the public body, unless all individual employees or appointees whose rights could be adversely affected request in writing that such matter or matters be discussed at a public meeting.” The nature of the matter, described as specifically as possible without undermining the need for confidentiality, is:

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 10:4-12b(9), “any deliberation of a public body occurring after a public hearing that may result in the imposition of a specific civil penalty upon the responding party or the suspension or loss of a license or permit belonging to the responding party as a result of an act or omission for which the responding party bears responsibility.” The nature of the matter, described as specifically as possible without undermining the need for confidentiality, is:

WHEREAS, the length of the Closed Session is estimated to be **30 minutes** after which the public meeting of the Borough Council shall reconvene and action may be taken.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Borough Council will recess into Closed Session for only the aforesaid subject(s); and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Borough Council hereby declares that its discussion of the aforesaid subject(s) will be made public at a time when the public’s interest in disclosure is greater than any privacy or governmental interest being protected from disclosure in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act.

I, Maureen L. Muttie, Municipal Clerk of the Borough of Shrewsbury, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Shrewsbury Borough Council on January 19, 2021.

1/19/2021
Date

Maureen L. Muttie
Maureen L. Muttie, RMC, CMC
Municipal Clerk

Council Member	Moved	Seconded	Ayes	Nays	Absent	Abstain
Ms. DerAsadourian			x			
Mr. DeSalvo	x		x			
Mr. Eddy			x			
Ms. Fulner		x	x			
Mr. Gilmartin			x			
Mr. Sena			x			

**EXECUTIVE SESSION
MAYOR AND COUNCIL
BOROUGH OF SHREWSBURY**

January 19, 2021

Council enters Executive Session at 6:30pm.

Present: Councilwoman Deidre DerAsadourian
Councilman Jeff DeSalvo
Councilman Don Eddy
Councilwoman Kim Doran Eulner
Councilman Brendan Gilmartin
Councilman Jason Sena

Also Present: Mayor Erik Anderson
Bruce Padula, Borough Attorney
Maureen L. Muttie, Borough Clerk
Christopher Cherbini, Borough Administrator

Contract Negotiations

Municipal Court Consolidation/Finance Services

- Council had brief discussion on status of shared services for both the Municipal Court and Finance services. Different options will be explored to determine if there can be a cost savings to the Borough.

Moved to Public Session

Council moved to Public Session at 7:00pm on a motion by Councilman DeSalvo, seconded by Councilman Sena with ayes by all Councilmembers present.

Attest: _____

Maureen L. Muttie

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Municipal Clerk

Approve: _____

Erik Anderson
Erik Anderson
Mayor

Staples.