

Jackie Scalia

From: Paloma <psotom01@yahoo.com>
Sent: Thursday, March 21, 2024 10:05 PM
To: Kristine Morieko
Cc: Mayor and Council
Subject: Sacrilegious Message by Paula Gilligan

Mayor Morieko,

Since when is it appropriate for a Glen Rock elected official to share a sacrilegious message regarding Christianity's most sacred holiday? Attached.

Mrs. Gilligan, I rather you step down, but since I know that won't happen, at a minimum, you need to apologize to every Christian in the Glen Rock community. Educate yourself, mature and TRY to set a professional example for all those watching.

You're all so concerned with the "spread of hate." Look at yourselves in the mirror.

Mayor Morieko, please re-read the speech you gave on March 9th. Did you actually mean it? We'll wait and see...



Paula Gilligan 3h



**EASTER EGGS ARE
ABORTED CHICKEN
BABIES THAT ARE**

Jackie Scalia

From: Glen Rock Communication
Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2024 6:54 PM
To: Mayor and Council
Subject: Fwd: Paula Gilligan Question

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From: lipids_pleats.0y@icloud.com <lipids_pleats.0y@icloud.com>
Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2024 6:46:31 PM
To: Glen Rock Communication <grinfo@glenrocknj.net>
Subject: Paula Gilligan Question

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Hello,

Please advise why it is socially acceptable for our Councilwomen to publicly mock Christianity? I'm not seeking an apology just the reason behind such an offensive post.

**EASTER EGGS ARE
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BABIES THAT ARE
PAINTED IN DRAG
FOR SMALL CHILDREN
TO WORSHIP**

Happy Easter

@unitedhumanists



Jackie Scalia

From: jorlich@glenrocknj.net
Sent: Sunday, March 24, 2024 10:51 AM
To: Jennifer Credidio
Subject: Fwd: Council Member - Disgraceful Post

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Mike DeTuro <deturom@gmail.com>
Date: March 22, 2024 at 1:25:51 PM EDT
To: Kristine Morieko <kmorieko@glenrocknj.net>, Jill Orlich <jorlich@glenrocknj.net>, Amy Martin <amartin@glenrocknj.net>, Mary Barchetto <mbarchetto@glenrocknj.net>, Teresa Gilbreath <tgilbreath@glenrocknj.net>, PAULA GILLIGAN <pgilligan@glenrocknj.net>, Regina Viadro <rviadro@glenrocknj.net>
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Michael DeTuro

Jackie Scalia

From: Maureen Coughlin <moecogs@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, March 25, 2024 7:02 AM
To: Mayor and Council
Subject: Social media posts

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Also, please be mindful of the unapologetically Catholic families, like mine, who work very hard to provide their children with a faith-based education, and who are making your jobs easier by not burdening the Glen Rock school system.

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Sent from my iPhone

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Sent from my iPhone

Jackie Scalia

From: Kristine Morieko
Sent: Monday, March 25, 2024 8:47 AM
To: Maureen Coughlin
Cc: Mayor and Council
Subject: Re: Social media posts

Maureen:

I tooo celebrate Easter - and am currently away on vacation with my family.

If you would like to meet and discuss anything you feel I have done wrong, please let me know a date that works for you after the holidays when I return.

I am aware of a screen shot taken of a meme I had posted in response to an Opra request regarding the Pride Committee drag show. Which was exasperated by arguments on how the borough supports the lgbtq and not Christmas as if one is the same as the other.

I will gladly sit with you anytime and fully show you the context of the post.

Ever Forward,
Mayor Kristine Morieko

Sent from my iPhone
(iTypos, iApologize)

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Jackie Scalia

From: jorlich@glenrocknj.net
Sent: Sunday, March 24, 2024 10:52 AM
To: Jennifer Credidio
Subject: Fwd: Highly Offensive social media post from council member Gilligan

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Kristine Morieko <kmorieko@glenrocknj.net>
Date: March 23, 2024 at 9:55:53 AM EDT
To: Mayor and Council <mayorandcouncil@glenrocknj.net>
Subject: Fwd: Highly Offensive social media post from council member Gilligan

Ever Forward,
Mayor Kristine Morieko

Sent from my iPhone
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Begin forwarded message:

From: Sue Nappi <csnappi36@gmail.com>
Date: March 22, 2024 at 12:58:50 PM EDT
To: Kristine Morieko <kmorieko@glenrocknj.net>
Subject: Highly Offensive social media post from council member Gilligan

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Regards,

Suzanne Nappi

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Sent: Saturday, March 23, 2024 9:56 AM
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Jackie Scalia

From: kmorieko@glenrocknj.net
Sent: Saturday, March 23, 2024 10:05 AM
To: Sue Nappi
Subject: Re: Highly Offensive social media post from council member Gilligan

Sue:

I apologize for the delay in response but I am on vacation with my family.

I share your outrage and have tasked the council president and members at large to handle this swiftly.

I will return late next week.

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Mayor Kristine Morieko

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Jackie Scalia

From: colleen rhatigan <colleen1227@optonline.net>
Sent: Saturday, March 30, 2024 8:17 AM
To: PAULA GILLIGAN; Mayor and Council
Subject: Easter Comments

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Hi Paula,

You've managed to be an affront to Catholicism and should resign. You obviously do not possess the wisdom to be a councilwoman.

NJ deserves better!

Sincerely,

Colleen Rhatigan

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This email has been checked for viruses by AVG antivirus software.
www.avg.com

Jackie Scalia

From: Robert Golabek <RGlbk@optonline.net>
Sent: Friday, March 29, 2024 1:31 PM
To: Mayor and Council
Subject: Paula Gilligan

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Paula Gilligan Needs to be removed immediately and posting her view on the Glenrock website is absurd! Remove her now! There is no analogy!

Robert Golabek

973-349-2060

Sent from my iPhone

Jackie Scalia

From: Stacey Gilmartin <staceygilmartin13@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2024 7:00 PM
To: Mayor and Council
Subject: Facebook Safety

Dear Mayor & Council,

Please turn off comments, remove and block the 'trolls' (non-Glen Rock residents), and delete their comments on the Borough of Glen Rock Facebook page, specifically on the Paula Gilligan topics. Have you seen recent (nastier) posts from these people?!

I believe this is a safety issue. Their opinions are alarming. These non-Glen Rock residents are threatening- draw your own conclusions about who these individuals are and represent, but these trolls and their posts should be removed/blocked, and comments turned off for safety reasons (for Paula's and the residents of Glen Rock). Glen Rock is on their radar, and I'm concerned.

Respectfully,
Stacey Gilmartin
88 Rock Rd., Glen Rock

Jackie Scalia

From: raygallup@optimum.net
Sent: Sunday, March 31, 2024 9:21 AM
To: Jill Orlich;Amy Martin;Mary Barchetto;Teresa Gilbreath;Regina Viadro
Subject: Your Meme on Instagram

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FYI

----- Original Message -----

From: raygallup@optimum.net
To: pgilligan@glenrocknj.net
Sent: Sunday, March 31st 2024, 09:03 AM
Subject: Your Meme on Instagram

Dear Councilwoman Gilligan,

Your Meme on Instagram per "Easter eggs are aborted chicken babies that are painted in drag for small children to worship. Happy Easter" is anti-Christian and Horrible. Your remarks show that you are mentally disturbed.

You need mental counseling and you need to resign your position as Councilwoman.

Raymond Gallup

Jackie Scalia

From: Contact Me Here <contactmehmehere@proton.me>
Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2024 4:02 PM
To: PAULA GILLIGAN
Cc: morieko@glenrocknj.net; Jill Orlich; Amy Martin; Mary Barchetto; Teresa Gilbreath; Regina Viadro
Subject: Congrats!

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Dear Council Member Gilligan,

You made it onto my class's virtual "Wall of Stupid" bulletin board. My students nominate public figures for a spot on the board each week. This Holy Week, your smiley mug won the vote by a landslide! Edible chicken eggs are not fertilized. They know this. This begs the question: Are you the first city council member who is less educated than an average 2nd grader?

Happy Easter!

Sent with [Proton Mail](#) secure email.

Jackie Scalia

From: Glen Rock Communication
Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2024 11:34 AM
To: Mayor and Council
Subject: Fw: Paula Gilligan

From: Artie Russo <artier126@yahoo.com>
Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2024 11:22 AM
To: Glen Rock Communication <grinfo@glenrocknj.net>
Subject: Paula Gilligan

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To the Administration of the Town of Glen Rock, NJ:

You all have a huge decision coming up:

“Should we hold Paula Gilligan accountable for the damaging statement she made regarding Easter Eggs.” Awful statement with very little concern for our very young Easter Egg Hunters!

Why are the Democrats, going after our Children and our Faith, with such a lousy, evil, approach. She absolutely needs to be Terminated immediately and not run for office again!! No roll anywhere for this king of contact.

A. Russo
RI Native

Jackie Scalia

From: Susan Carroll <info@songdoor.com>
Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2024 9:02 PM
To: Mayor and Council
Subject: Paula Gilligan

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Paula Gilligan's condescending and dismissive statement about her egregious meme is insulting and disgusting. She is sub-human and should be immediately removed for her grotesque display and horrendously insensitive post. UGH.

Susan Carroll

Jackie Scalia

From: Mike DeTuro <deturom@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, March 22, 2024 1:25 PM
To: Kristine Morieko; Jill Orlich; Amy Martin; Mary Barchetto; Teresa Gilbreath; PAULA GILLIGAN; Regina Viadro
Subject: Council Member - Disgraceful Post

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From: kmorieko@glenrocknj.net
Sent: Saturday, March 23, 2024 10:01 AM
To: Mike DeTuro
Subject: Re: Council Member - Disgraceful Post

Mike:

I am away on vacation until late next week. I have asked that the council take hold of this situation and address it.

I agree with your take on the meme, I too feel insulted.

Ever Forward,
Mayor Kristine Morieko

Sent from my iPhone
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On Mar 22, 2024, at 1:25 PM, Mike DeTuro <deturom@gmail.com> wrote:

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From: Maria Geiger <marialeegeiger@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2024 3:34 PM
To: Mayor and Council
Subject: Fwd: Why?

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Best,

Maria Geiger

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Maria Geiger <marialeegeiger@gmail.com>
Date: Thu, Mar 28, 2024 at 3:32 PM
Subject: Why?
To: <mayorandcouncil@glenrocknj.net>

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From: Marty Williard <martywilliard@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2024 8:15 PM
To: Lenora Benjamin; Mayor and Council
Subject: Fwd: Disappointment from OHIO

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Thank you for reading this ...

Begin forwarded message:

From: Marty Williard <martywilliard@gmail.com>
Date: March 27, 2024 at 8:11:28 PM EDT
To: kmorieko@glenrocknj.net, pgilligan@glenrocknj.net
Subject: Disappointment from OHIO

Dear Mayor Morieko and Council Member Gilligan

My name is Marty Williard.
An ordinary American citizen from Ohio.

There are no words to share the disappointment and gut sinking feeling I have reading the words posted / shared on Instagram.

"Easter eggs are aborted chicken babies that are painted in drag for small children to worship," said the meme shared by Glen Rock Borough Councilwoman Paula Gilligan

As a public official - you posted this. This feels like a statement from a government official despite it being personal. As a government official - public posts represent your beliefs - as if it is official.

I swear our country has lost its soul.

Leaders who publicly mock the sanctity of life - and - our great freedoms and differing opinions, should not be in position to lead.

The post above is simply evil and demonic.

Is there any decency and civility left in this country ?

Why did you post this ?

Your message is clearly stated ...

Sadly disappointed ,

Marty

Marty Williard
127 Southwyck Dr
Chagrin Falls, OH 44022
(216) 554-0933

Sent from my iPhone

Jackie Scalia

From: PAULA GILLIGAN
Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2024 10:22 PM
To: Kristine Morieko; Mayor and Council
Subject: Re: Tonight's meeting

I think we should look into this.

Paula

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From: Kristine Morieko <kmorieko@glenrocknj.net>
Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2024 6:43:35 PM
To: Mayor and Council <mayorandcouncil@glenrocknj.net>
Subject: Fwd: Tonight's meeting

Please read - excellent suggestions

Ever Forward,
Mayor Kristine Morieko

Sent from my iPhone
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Begin forwarded message:

From: A B <alisongb@gmail.com>
Date: March 27, 2024 at 6:08:14 PM EDT

To: Kristine Morieko <kmorieko@glenrocknj.net>

Subject: Tonight's meeting

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Hi Kristine,

Thank you for standing up and in front of residents who feel vulnerable.

Quick email about tonight (sorry - I'm away but want to help).

We need a solution to divisiveness and misinformation.

After months of searching for "the answer," information literacy training and diplomatic dialogue - or learning how to disagree better - is what I've come to as a peaceful and existentially essential answer to "bridging" "empathy" and peace.

ideally the borough will consider the creation of a "bridging" or dialogue training team to bring this to GR.

Maggie Jacoby is an expert. I'm newer to it. I can fill you in more, but need time. **See the Dartmouth resource for information on what this looks like.**

Regarding tonight- i think you can bring everyone on the same page - create community and unity- by bringing up the need for diplomacy and dialogue trainings for council members and town staff + offer to residents.

The town can work with the library to bring in professionals and share resources/webinars on how to engage in dialogue across difference and how to vet and balance news sources - information literacy trainings.

Dialogue webinars through Dartmouth- the leader in this category-

https://home.dartmouth.edu/events?category_ids=424%2C423&fbclid=IwAR2Yjmlm96QSHkBLB0OYAWRUla2_bdNc_7dCkqB1ujtvYICTiohqskrAkM

Media bias checker: All Sides

I'm going to try to quickly share with Jill Orlich too.

All my best!
Alison Bloomfield

Jackie Scalia

From: Arjun Kapur <arjunkapur3@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, March 25, 2024 5:20 PM
To: Kristine Morieko
Cc: Mary Barchetto; Mayor and Council; supriya@rockroadjewelry.com; Teresa Gilbreath; Jill Orlich
Subject: Re: Elder Dinner

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Kristine,

Let's end this thread here and chat in-person since there is misrepresentation and misunderstanding seeping into the conversation.

No one is asking you to do anything that's out of process or violates her rights. The beauty of this country is that she has all the right to defend herself and is owed the rightful process. Just like the Christian's in this town that have the right to practice their religion without a town official mocking them or calling organized religion a dogma. Whatever be the outcome of that process, we will accept. But reality is - that process won't teach someone basic respect and left unchecked can lead to a recurrence and further divisiveness in our town.

We trust you to do the right thing. You have enough people coming at you and you don't need one more; have a great break. Think of your own values, and align yourself with what you think is right. We all will do the same.

Best,
Arjun

On Mar 25, 2024, at 4:43 PM, Kristine Morieko <kmorieko@glenrocknj.net> wrote:

So, to be clear, in your opinion, the only thing I can do is cut her out of the council.

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Ever Forward,
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Hi Kristine,

I welcome a chat upon your return. Hope you have a great time off and a Happy Easter.

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Best,
Arjun

On Mon, 25 Mar 2024 at 14:17, Kristine Morieko <kmorieko@glenrocknj.net> wrote:

Arjun:

Thank you for your email and for expressing your views.

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As for my credibility - I firmly disagree. I have given my time, sweat and tears to this community.

Be well. Happy holi and I will celebrate a blessed Easter with my family.

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To the Mayor and Council member of Glen Rock:

As a lifelong moderate Democrat and a tolerant Hindu whose kids go to Catholic School, I am deeply embarrassed, disappointed, and disgusted by the recent acts of this town counsel as it pertains to the constant insults to our Christian neighbors of faith. Your job as a LOCAL MUNICIPAL town council is NOT to engage in national politics or focus on national political agendas. Your job is to improve the town of Glen Rock and the lives of its residents. Majority of Glen Rock residents subscribe to a religion - Christianity, Judaism, Hindustan, Islam and countless others. They are not all atheists and as such your duty is to represent ALL your constituents and not insult their religious beliefs.

So far you have called a Christmas tree a tree decorated in drag and Easter eggs aborted children in drag - today is Holi - a festival of colors in the Hindu religion - should I now expect you to call my religious holiday a party with drag colors to celebrate paganism?

To the Mayor - As someone who has managed very large teams over 20-years, I can tell you that one lesson you learn as a people manager is that the cost to team work of having a brilliant jerk on your team is not worth it. You alienate folks that otherwise support you, like me. And for too long folks like Laura Occhipinti and Paula Gilligan have spread hate in our town and distracted our local government from representing its residents. You need to show the backbone to oust one of your own in order to regain any credibility in our town.

For now - we have decided to no longer pursue this Elder Dinner with this counsel and will be doing so privately instead. While I support your causes - Have invested in women's health, supported women owned businesses, have a brother who is gay and we visit drag shows together - Supriya and I refuse to associate ourselves with such hate filled behavior that is unbecoming of a council and does not reflect how we treat others around us, regardless of their faith or belief.

Thank you!
Arjun Kapur

On Mar 22, 2024, at 2:58 PM, Arjun Kapur <arjunkapur3@gmail.com> wrote:

Great! I just spoke with them today and they are going to give me a date for October, in the next day or so and then we can lock it in.

Best,
Arjun

On Mar 22, 2024, at 2:45 PM, Mary Barchetto <mbarchetto@glenrocknj.net> wrote:

Hi! Thank you so much for keeping this conversation going. The last I spoke with Supriya we were waiting for a date from the food provider. We are ready to move forward when you are!
Thank you so much!

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From: Arjun Kapur <arjunkapur3@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, March 22, 2024 11:25:50 AM
To: Mary Barchetto <mbarchetto@glenrocknj.net>
Cc: supriya@rockroadjewelry.com <supriya@rockroadjewelry.com>; Teresa Gilbreath <tgilbreath@glenrocknj.net>; Jill Orlich <jorlich@glenrocknj.net>
Subject: Re: Elder Dinner

Hi All,

Picking this back up so we can lock in a date.

The Elder Dinner we have been sponsoring in Ridgewood for the past 8-years won the NJRPA Award for best recreational programming. We would love to do this in GR starting this year. Also, Ridgewood offered their administrative support to help us, should you need it.

See award photos below:

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<image1.jpeg>

<image2.jpeg>

Best,
Arjun

On Jan 26, 2024, at 10:39 AM, Mary Barchetto <mbarchetto@glenrocknj.net> wrote:

OK, I'll wait to hear from you about the direction we are taking with the food, and we can set up a meeting. Thanks!

Mary Barchetto
Councilmember - Borough of Glen Rock

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From: Supriya Kapur <supriya@rockroadjewelry.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 25, 2024 7:01 PM
To: Mary Barchetto <mbarchetto@glenrocknj.net>
Cc: Teresa Gilbreath <tgilbreath@glenrocknj.net>; Jill Orlich <jorlich@glenrocknj.net>; Arjun Kapur <arjunktur3@gmail.com>
Subject: Re: Elder Dinner

Last year they said they don't want to do two dinners back to back in November. I'll talk to Stacy and circle back. If they are not available I can talk to the local restaurant owners. Yes absolutely happy to meet in person or talk on the phone/zoom
Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 25, 2024, at 2:06 PM, Mary Barchetto
<mbarchetto@glenrocknj.net> wrote:

Amazing! So they are planning for November 9th or 10th? We can do either the weekend before or after.
Do you want to check with Healing Meals? After we have the date set (and know if we are planning to use local businesses or not) can we set up a meeting?
Let me know!

Mary Barchetto
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From: Supriya Kapur <supriya@rockroadjewelry.com>
Sent: Wednesday, January 24, 2024 1:01 PM

To: Mary Barchetto <mbarchetto@glenrocknj.net>
Cc: Teresa Gilbreath <tgilbreath@glenrocknj.net>; Jill Orlich
<jorlich@glenrocknj.net>; Arjun Kapur <arjunktur3@gmail.com>
Subject: Re: Elder Dinner

Hi Mary

Arjun and I would love to host an Elder Dinner for Glen Rock as well. Last year the dates didn't match up with the volunteers of healing meals. We have mentioned to them that we are going to pick the date with GR and in the event it doesn't work for them we will organize the event with the help of local restaurants and volunteers in Glen Rock. Our RIDGEWOOD dinner is usually the second weekend in November so would prefer to do the GR one earlier (or on a diff weekend).

I personally would love to engage local restaurants for the food (which we would pay for) if cooking with healing meals doesn't work out.

Feel free to call me anytime at 6465418533

Best

Supriya

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 24, 2024, at 12:57 PM, Mary Barchetto
<mbarchetto@glenrocknj.net> wrote:

Hi Supriya! Hope all is well with you.

I wanted to touch base to see if we can try to make the Thanksgiving Elder Dinner happen in Glen Rock this year. It's such a wonderfully generous thing you all do. Would love to hear your thoughts.

Mary

*Mary Barchetto
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Arjun Kapur

Jackie Scalia

From: Elizabeth Tapp <btapp0527@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, March 25, 2024 4:05 PM
To: Mayor and Council
Subject: Paula Gilligan

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To: Mayor and Council
Subject: Re: Paula Gilligan

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Dear Mayor and Council Members.....it has now come to my attention that some creative editing has taken place on your original post regarding Paula Gilligan's "meme".

See below....this is the original post with the signature from the Mayor and Council - minus Paula Gilligan:

elected officials, we continue to strive to be examples of
that support and respect.

Mayor Kristine Morieko, Council President Jill Orlich, Council
Member Amy Martin, Council Member Mary Barchetto,
Council Member Theresa Gilbreath and Council Member
Regina Viadro

And now the edited version:

Mayor Kristine Morieko, Council President Jill O
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Member Regina Viadro, and Council Member Pa
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Can you explain please ?????

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From: Betsy Tapp <btapp0527@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, March 28, 2024 11:08 AM
To: Mayor and Council
Subject: Last night's meeting

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Thank you.

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From: Betsy Tapp <btapp0527@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 2, 2024 9:18 AM
To: Mayor and Council
Subject: Response to my email

Good Morning Ladies....

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Sent: Tuesday, April 2, 2024 9:55 AM
To: Kristine Morieko
Cc: Mayor and Council
Subject: Re: Response to my email

Thank you Kristine for your reply.

Paula.....I'm looking forward to a response from you please.

Thanks,
Betsy

On Apr 2, 2024, at 9:50 AM, Kristine Morieko <kmorieko@glenrocknj.net> wrote:

Betsy:

That would be for Ms Gilligan to address. The council cannot make her resign by law.

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To: Mayor and Council
Subject: Fwd: Paula Gilligan - Resignation

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From: Sandeep Murray <Sandeepmurray@yahoo.com>
Date: March 26, 2024 at 8:10:28 AM EDT
To: Kristine Morieko <kmorieko@glenrocknj.net>
Subject: Paula Gilligan - Resignation

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Dear Ms Morieko,

As I'm sure you are aware, the community of Glen Rock is disgusted and extremely saddened by the comments made by Ms Gilligan on her "personal" Instagram page denigrating Christians. I was quite shocked that someone who sits in an elected position can behave in such a manner, she should know better. As we are (or should be) all aware, social media posts are rarely private so that's a weak excuse, a bit like the disingenuous apology that followed. Ms Gilligan has made her feelings known about a large part of the community members that voted for her. Although I am not a Christian, I am saddened to see the levels of antisemitic and Christian hate incidents in Glen Rock (wondering

what the council is doing to counteract this?) We should be respectful of all religions whether they are reflective our own personal beliefs or not. Religion may mean nothing to Ms Gilligan which she is free to do but everyone has the right to practice their religion in peace and without being mocked.

I'm calling for the resignation of Paula Gilligan who is not fit to sit in her seat and obviously does not take her role seriously and does not respect her voters.

Best regards

Sandeep Murray
396 Rock Road, Glen Rock, NJ, 07452

Jackie Scalia

From: Glen Rock Communication
Sent: Monday, March 25, 2024 4:34 PM
To: Mayor and Council
Subject: Fwd: Formal Complaint - Paula Gilligan

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From: James Crowley <jamescrowl@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, March 25, 2024 4:27 PM
To: Glen Rock Communication <grinfo@glenrocknj.net>
Subject: Formal Complaint - Paula Gilligan

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I would just like to chime in on all of the silliness that is occurring on Facebook, which at this point, has the town in a frenzy.

A council person HAS to know that anything that is shared or put out on social media, can be seen and interpreted by many different people. While she feels that she did not offend anyone, unfortunately - that is up to the people that feel offended by her post, and not her.

Very simple - Council People are supposed to be running this town. They are to look equally at all issues, races, religions, sexes, etc. To put out ANYTHING that even has the slightest of chance to offend a group of people (Especially in the aftermath of the Starbucks incident) is beyond moronic. I do not know Paula, but, at this point it is likely best for the town if she is no longer a part of the Council. Sometimes a mistake must be acted upon.

James Crowley
(201)819-9357

Jackie Scalia

From: Kristine Morieko
Sent: Sunday, March 24, 2024 10:50 AM
To: Mayor and Council
Subject: Fwd: Easter Egg Post

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Begin forwarded message:

From: Thomas Fellig <tfellig@felliglaw.com>
Date: March 23, 2024 at 10:19:59 PM EDT
To: PAULA GILLIGAN <pgilligan@glenrocknj.net>
Cc: Kristine Morieko <kmorieko@glenrocknj.net>
Subject: Easter Egg Post

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Dear Council Member Gilligan:

Several of my friends and neighbors have complained to me about your recent post mocking the practice of making easter eggs as part of a family's celebration of the Easter holiday. Many people have fond childhood memories of painting eggs or receiving them from adult family members as they were growing up. Many people want to share this practice with their own young children or grandchildren. Even if you don't want to observe this custom yourself, as an elected official you should be more careful than to disparage this custom in such a snarky manner. Your responsibility as a Council Member is to unify, not

to divide the residents of our Borough and to treat everyone's religious practices and customs with respect. At minimum I urge you to withdraw your post and apologize to those offended by it.

Tom Fellig, Glen Rock Republican Chair.

Thomas J. Fellig, Esq.

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Jackie Scalia

From: Kristine Morieko
Sent: Saturday, March 23, 2024 9:57 AM
To: Mayor and Council
Subject: Fwd: Sacrilegious Message by Paula Gilligan

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Mayor Kristine Morieko

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From: Paloma <psotom01@yahoo.com>
Date: March 21, 2024 at 10:07:13 PM EDT
To: Kristine Morieko <kmorieko@glenrocknj.net>
Cc: Mayor and Council <mayorandcouncil@glenrocknj.net>
Subject: **Sacrilegious Message by Paula Gilligan**

Mayor Morieko,

Since when is it appropriate for a Glen Rock elected official to share a sacrilegious message regarding Christianity's most sacred holiday? Attached.

Mrs. Gilligan, I rather you step down, but since I know that won't happen, at a minimum, you need to apologize to every Christian in the Glen Rock community. Educate yourself, mature and TRY to set a professional example for all those watching.

You're all so concerned with the "spread of hate." Look at yourselves in the mirror.

Mayor Morieko, please re-read the speech you gave on March 9th. Did you actually mean it? We'll wait and see...

Jackie Scalia

From: Maureen Coughlin <moecogs@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, March 25, 2024 7:02 AM
To: Mayor and Council
Subject: Social media posts

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"Happy Easter."

Maureen Coughlin

Sent from my iPhone

Jackie Scalia

From: Kristine Morieko
Sent: Monday, March 25, 2024 8:47 AM
To: Maureen Coughlin
Cc: Mayor and Council
Subject: Re: Social media posts

Maureen:

I tooo celebrate Easter - and am currently away on vacation with my family.

If you would like to meet and discuss anything you feel I have done wrong, please let me know a date that works for you after the holidays when I return.

I am aware of a screen shot taken of a meme I had posted in response to an Opra request regarding the Pride Committee drag show. Which was exasperated by arguments on how the borough supports the lgbtq and not Christmas as if one is the same as the other.

I will gladly sit with you anytime and fully show you the context of the post.

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Subject: Fwd: Vile Post

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From: Mary Hayden <mhayden304@gmail.com>
Date: March 22, 2024 at 8:46:29 PM EDT
To: Kristine Morieko <kmorieko@glenrocknj.net>
Subject: Vile Post

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Dear Mayor Morieko,

I am writing due to a post that was on the Glen Rockers FB page, authored by a town council member, Paula Gilligan. I hope you take appropriate action towards Paula Gilligan, how dare she post such an offensive post on the Glen Rockers page in light of the Starbucks incident and one week away from the holiest day of the year for Christians. A simple pleasure enjoyed by so many children to celebrate Easter she had to desecrate in such a disgusting manner. I hope you are as outraged as you were over Starbucks. She should be immediately removed from the town council or forced to resign, her act is unforgivable, she is beyond her teenage years. She alone defaces the sign on the Rock Road side of the town hall building., saying the town is all inclusive. This was so inappropriate, she should be made an

example of, she needs to be removed, a public apology would be an insult to all her constituents and the town of Glen Rock. It also is not indicative of your comments in a message to the people you serve, you said "you are fostering a thriving environment for all". It is obvious Paula Gilligan does not share that belief, she has tarnished the entire council of Glen Rock. I trust you will make the correct decision on behalf of the town you serve.

Sincerely,
Mary Hayden

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