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**THE RIDGEWOOD VILLAGE COUNCIL
PUBLIC WORKSHOP AGENDA
FEBRUARY 26, 2025
7:30 P.M.**

1. Call to Order – Mayor
2. Statement of Compliance with Open Public Meeting Act

Mayor: “Adequate notice of this meeting has been provided by a posting on the bulletin board in Village Hall, by mail to the Ridgewood News, The Record, and by submission to all persons entitled to same as provided by law of a schedule including the date and time of this meeting.”

3. Roll Call – Village Clerk
4. Flag Salute
5. Public Comments (Not to Exceed 3 Minutes per Person - 40 Minutes in Total)
6. Village Manager’s Report
7. Village Council Reports
- 7a. Presentation – Annual Update on Green Ridgewood Initiatives
8. Discussion:
 - a. Ridgewood Water
 1. Award Sole Source Contract – Corrosion Control at Passaic Valley Water Commission Interconnection
 2. Award Contract – Leak Detection Services – Intermediate Zone
 3. Award Contract – HVAC Maintenance and Repair
 4. Award Professional Services Contract – Construction Administration – Eastside, Main and Mountain PFAS Treatment Facilities
 5. Amend Chapter 145- Fees - Establish 2025 Ridgewood Water Rates, Facilities Charge, and PFAS Treatment Charge

b. Parking

None

c. Budget

1. Award Contract – Thermal Imaging Cameras – Fire Department
2. Award Contract Under Educational Services Commission of NJ Cooperative Pricing System – Purchase of Equipment, Service, and Licenses for Access Control, and CCTV
3. Award Contract Under Educational Services Commission of NJ Cooperative Pricing System – New Equipment Body for Ford F-250 Pickup Truck
4. Award Contract Under Sourcewell Cooperative Purchasing – Repair and Resurface Somerville Tennis Courts
5. Award Contract Under Sourcewell Cooperative Purchasing – Resurfacing of Glen Pickleball Courts
6. Award Contract Under Sourcewell Cooperative Purchasing – Two Freightliner Sanitation Rear Load Packer Trucks
7. Award Professional Services Contract – Fourth Round Housing Plan Element and Fair Share Plan
8. Authorize Change Order – North Walnut Parking Lot – Removal of Underground Fuel Storage Tanks
9. Authorize Property Tax Refund – Disabled Veteran

d. Policy

1. Resolution Supporting Legislation to Allow Publication of Legal Notices on Official Government Websites
2. Ordinance – Prohibition on Feeding Wildlife

e. Operations

1. Authorize Execution of Documents for Removal and Remediation of Underground Fuel Storage Tanks at North Walnut Street Parking Lot
2. Declare Police Vehicles Surplus Property

9. Public Comments (Not to Exceed 3 Minutes per Person)

10. Resolution to go into Closed Session

11. Closed Session

a. Legal – Tax Appeals

b. Personnel – Village Prosecutor

12. Adjournment