

**AGENDA FOR A MEETING OF THE MAYOR AND COMMITTEE  
OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WANTAGE, HELD AT THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING,  
888 ROUTE 23, WANTAGE, NEW JERSEY ON MAY 14, 2026**

- A. Mayor VanderGroef will **call the meeting to order**; Clerk will **call the roll**.
- B. Mayor VanderGroef will state, "This meeting is being held in compliance with the provisions of the **Open Public Meetings Act**, P.L. 1975, Ch. 231. It has been properly advertised and posted, and certified by the Clerk".
- C. Mayor VanderGroef will invite all present to **Salute the Flag**.
- D. **PRESENTATION** Award of Recognition to the Vernon Girls Scouts, Hattie Bergh and Taylor Devery

E. **CONSENT AGENDA**

At this time, The Mayor will request that the governing body **Review the Consent Agenda**. If any member of the governing body desires an item to be removed, the Township Clerk shall remove said item, which shall be considered separately, with the removal of PO #22083 for C&E Tires in the amount of \$591.04.

A Motion is in order to approve PO#22083 for C&E Tires in the amount of \$591.04.

A motion is in order to approve Resolution #91-2026, a resolution urging the New Jersey State Legislature and Governor to repeal the gas tax escalator and restore accountability to fuel tax increases.

F. **REPORTS**

Clerk/Administrator  
Attorney  
Mayor/Committee Report

**Approval of Minutes**

A motion is in order to approve the minutes of the Mayor and Committee Meeting on April 23, 2026.

G. **ORDINANCE**

A motion is in order to adopt Ordinance #11-2026, appropriating the sum of \$300,000 for various roadway improvements.

Mayor VanderGroef will open the meeting to the public.

A motion is in order to adopt Ordinance #12-2026, appropriating the sum of \$72,000 for various Capital Improvements in the Township of Wantage.

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A motion is in order to introduce Ordinance #13-2026, an ordinance to amend and supplement the provisions of Chapter 5 "Licensing of Dog" §5-2.7 "Late Fees" in the Township of Wantage.

#### **H. OPEN PUBLIC SESSION**

The Mayor will open the meeting to the public at this time, for any questions or comments involving the good and welfare of the community. To help facilitate an orderly meeting and to permit the opportunity for anyone who wishes to be heard, please limit your comments to 4 minutes. Additional time may be granted, at the sole discretion of the Mayor and Committee. If you are reading from a prepared statement, or presenting a written document, please provide a copy to the Clerk's office after making your comments, so it may be properly reflected in the minutes. After all persons have had an opportunity to address the governing body, The Mayor will close the meeting to the public and the Governing body will return to the regular order of business.

#### **I. EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

A motion is for the Mayor and Committee of Wantage Township to enter into Executive Session to discuss the following items:

1. Real property
2. Personnel

#### **J. ADJOURNMENT**