



LEGISLATIVE BRANCH ▪ CITY OF BINGHAMTON

Sophia Resciniti, City Council President
Leighton Rogers, City Clerk

COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON
Business Meeting Agenda
City Hall, 38 Hawley Street, Binghamton, NY 13901
Wednesday, April 21, 2021

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. ROLL CALL

IV. ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS AND RECOGNITIONS

V. REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approval of Minutes

Approve the Minutes from April 7, 2021 Business Meeting

City Council Finance Committee: Strawn (Chair), Scanlon, Burns

No items to report.

City Council Planning & Community Development Committee: Strawn (Chair), Scaringi, Friedman

No items to report.

City Council Municipal & Public Affairs Committee: Scanlon (Chair), Strawn, Riley

No items to report.

City Council Public Works/Parks & Recreation Committee: Scanlon (Chair), Scaringi, Riley

No items to report.

City Council Employees Committee: Scaringi (Chair), Scanlon, Burns

No items to report.

City Council Rules & Procedures/Special Studies Committee: Scaringi (Chair), Strawn, Friedman

No items to report.

VI. APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

VII. PUBLIC HEARING

Binghamton City Council and the Mayor will hold a Public Hearing regarding RL21-60 Amending the Bond Ordinance adopted February 18, 2015 and heretofore amended on March 7, 2018 and February 19, 2019 on account of the State Street Reconstruction Project. This Public Hearing will take place during the next regular City Council Business Meeting at 6pm on April 21, 2021, in City Hall, 38 Hawley Street, Binghamton, NY and virtually via zoom.

VIII. SET PUBLIC HEARINGS

IX. PUBLIC COMMENT/COMMUNICATION



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*Please note: Residents wishing to submit public comment may do so electronically by emailing their comments prior to 5:00pm on the day of the meeting to clerk@cityofbinghamton.com or virtually via zoom during the meeting as City Hall is closed to the public.

X. REVIEW OF MAYORAL VETO

XI. SECOND READING LEGISLATION

Introductory Ordinance 21-30. Considered in Finance: Strawn

An Ordinance to amend the Binghamton-Johnson City Joint Sewage Treatment Facilities 2021 budget for a City solicited audit of plant maintenance

Introductory Resolution 21-24. Considered in Planning: Strawn

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into an agreement with Veolia Water North America operating systems, LLC to perform an audit of the maintenance operations at the Binghamton-Johnson City Joint Sewage Treatment Facilities

XII. FIRST READING LEGISLATION

A. PREFERRED AGENDA

Introductory Ordinance 21-35. Considered in Finance: Strawn

An Ordinance to amend the 2021 General Fund Revenue and Expense budget lines regarding utilities gross receipts

Introductory Ordinance 21-36. Considered in Finance: Strawn

An Ordinance to amend the 2021 Capital and Water budgets to use the Water Fund balance for the purchase of a backhoe/excavator/ice breaker

Introductory Ordinance 21-37. Considered in Finance: Strawn

An Ordinance to amend the 2021 Parks budget for playground equipment refurbishment

Introductory Ordinance 21-39. Considered in Finance: Strawn

An Ordinance to amend the 2021 Binghamton-Johnson City Joint Sewage Treatment Facilities Capital budget to create an WWTP-Electrical Engineer position, defund the Computer Systems Engineer and the Head Electrical position

Introductory Ordinance 21-40. Considered in Finance: Strawn

An Ordinance to amend the 2021 Golf fund for golf course maintenance equipment

Introductory Resolution 21-25. Considered in Public Works/Parks and Recreation: Scanlon

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into an agreement with the Broome County Youth Bureau for funding of the Summer Fun Youth Development Program

Introductory Resolution 21-27. Considered in Planning: Strawn



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A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to amend the contract with the YWCA for the use of FY 45 ESG funding for Emergency Shelter Programming

Introductory Resolution 21-29. Considered in Public Works/Parks and Recreation: Scanlon

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into an agreement to a lease agreement with John Deere for golf course maintenance equipment

Introductory Resolution 21-30. Considered in Public Works/Parks and Recreation: Scanlon

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into an agreement with New York State Department of Transportation (NYSDOT) for Federal Emergency Relief Project for work associated with the storm of August 14, 2018 (18-02) on Fairview Ave (pin no.989-92)

Introductory Resolution 21-31. Considered in Planning: Strawn

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into agreements with various agencies for the use of FY46 CDBG funds

B. NON PREFERRED AGENDA

Introductory Ordinance 21-33. Considered in Planning: Strawn

Bond Ordinance of the City of Binghamton, New York, adopted April 22, 2021, amending the bond Ordinance adopted February 18, 2015 and heretofore amended on March 7, 2018 and February 19, 2019 on account of the State Street Reconstruction Project

Introductory Ordinance 21-34. Considered in Finance: Strawn

An Ordinance to amend the 2021 General Fund budget to use the General Fund balance to purchase DPW equipment

Introductory Ordinance 21-38. Considered in Finance: Strawn

An Ordinance to amend the 2021 budget to fund a Capital budget line for the Youth Recreation Center capital expenses in the amount of \$48,900

Introductory Resolution 21-26. Considered in Finance: Strawn

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into an agreement with Clark Patterson Lee for architectural and engineering design services for the new Youth Recreation Center at Columbus Park

Introductory Resolution 21-28. Considered in Municipal and Public Affairs: Scanlon

A Resolution approving a Memorandum of Agreement between the City of Binghamton and the Boys and Girls Club and PAL Camp for a Community Based Crime Reduction Program

XIII. COMMUNICATIONS FROM COUNCIL MEMBERS

XIV. ADJOURNMENT



**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON
STATE OF NEW YORK**

Date: April 7, 2021

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, _____, Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti

Introduced by Committee: Finance

ORDINANCE

entitled

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE
BINGHAMTON-JOHNSON CITY JOINT
SEWAGE TREATMENT FACILITIES 2021
BUDGET FOR A CITY SOLICITED AUDIT OF
PLANT MAINTENANCE

WHEREAS, the City of Binghamton (the "City") is a joint owner of the Binghamton-Johnson City Joint Sewage Treatment Facilities (the "BJCJSTF") with the Village of Johnson City (the "Village"); and

WHEREAS, the BJCJSTF is operated and maintained by the Binghamton-Johnson City Joint Sewage Board (the "JSB") under a series of inter-municipal agreements between the City and the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City and the Board of Trustees of the Village approve the BJCJSTF budget; and

WHEREAS, the JSB has requested an amendment to the 2021 BJCJSTF budget for a City solicited audit of Facilities maintenance.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the Council approves and directs the Comptroller/JSB Fiscal Officer to amend and make journal budget entries in the 2021 BJCJSTF budget to increase the appropriations budget for a City solicited audit of Facilities maintenance, as follows:

Transfer From (Decrease)
\$66,300 J8130.55000 (Contingency)

Transfer To (Increase)
\$66,300 J8130.54418 (Ph III Clerk of
Works)

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall become effective when also approved by sufficient members of the Board of Trustees of the Village.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above described funds
are unencumbered and available

Chuck Shager, Comptroller/JSB Fiscal Officer



**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON
STATE OF NEW YORK**

Date: April 7, 2021

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti

Introduced by Committee: Finance

RESOLUTION

entitled

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH VEOLIA WATER NORTH AMERICA OPERATING SYSTEMS, LLC TO PERFORM AN AUDIT OF THE MAINTENANCE OPERATIONS AT THE BINGHAMTON-JOHNSON CITY JOINT SEWAGE TREATMENT FACILITIES

WHEREAS, the City of Binghamton (the "City") is a joint owner of the Binghamton-Johnson City Joint Sewage Treatment Facilities (the "BJCJSTF") with the Village of Johnson City (the "Village"); and

WHEREAS, the BJCJSTF is operated and maintained by the Binghamton-Johnson City Joint Sewage Board (the "JSB") under a series of inter-municipal agreements between the City and the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Binghamton wishes to enter into an agreement with Veolia Water North America Operating Services, LLC to perform an audit of maintenance operations at BJCJSTF; and

WHEREAS, the cost is not to exceed \$66,300.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby:

RESOLVE that the Mayor of the City of Binghamton, or his designee, is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement, approved as to form and content by the Office of Corporation Counsel, Veolia Water North America Operating Services, LLC to perform an audit of maintenance operations at BJCJSTF at a cost not to exceed \$66,300 and the cost will be charged to J8130.54418 (PH III Clerk of Works Services) for this purpose.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above described funds are unencumbered and available

Chuck Shager, Comptroller



**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON
STATE OF NEW YORK**

Date: April 21, 2021

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Riley, Friedman, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti

Introduced by Committee: Finance

ORDINANCE

entitled

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE 2021
GENERAL FUND REVENUE AND EXPENSE
BUDGET LINES REGARDING UTILITIES
GROSS RECEIPTS

WHEREAS, the Comptroller of the City of Binghamton finds it proper and necessary to amend the 2021 General Fund revenue and expense budget lines regarding utilities gross receipts; and

WHEREAS, such budget amendments were approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on April 21, 2021.

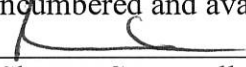
NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the Comptroller and City Treasurer of the City of Binghamton are hereby authorized and directed to amend the 2021 General Fund revenue and expense lines regarding utilities gross receipts as follows:

- (i) \$12,478.90 increase to revenue budget line A.41130 (Utilities Gross Receipts Tax)
- (ii) \$ 4,991.56 increase to expense budget line A1210.54410 (General Fund)
- (iii) \$ 7,487.34 increase to expense budget line A1990.55000 (Contingency)

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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STATE OF NEW YORK**

Date: April 21, 2021

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Riley, Friedman, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti

Introduced by Committee: Finance

ORDINANCE

entitled

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE 2021
CAPITAL AND WATER BUDGETS TO USE THE
WATER FUND BALANCE FOR THE
PURCHASE OF A BACKHOE/EXCAVATOR/ICE
BREAKER

WHEREAS, the Water/Sewer Superintendent and Comptroller of the City of Binghamton find it proper and necessary to amend the 2021 Capital and Water budgets to use the Water Fund Balance for the purchase of a Backhoe/Excavator/Ice Breaker; and

WHEREAS, the cost is not to exceed \$160,000; and

WHEREAS, such budget amendments were approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on April 21, 2021.

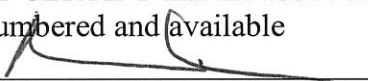
NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the Comptroller and City Treasurer of the City of Binghamton are hereby authorized and directed to amend the 2021 Capital and Water budget to use the Water Fund Balance for the purchase of a Backhoe/Excavator/Ice Breaker at a cost not to exceed \$160,000 as follows:

- (i) \$160,000 decrease revenue budget line FX.49999 (Water Fund Balance)
- (ii) \$160,000 increase to expense budget line FX9950.59000 (Transfer to Capital Fund)
- (iii) \$160,000 increase revenue budget line H.45031 (Interfund Transfer)
- (iv) \$160,000 increase to expense capital budget line H8340.590038 (Equipment)

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Riley, Friedman, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti

Introduced by Committee: Finance

ORDINANCE

entitled

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE 2021 PARKS
BUDGET FOR PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT
REFURBISHMENT**

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation and Comptroller of the City of Binghamton find it proper and necessary to amend the 2021 Parks budget for playground equipment refurbishment; and

WHEREAS, the cost is not to exceed \$22,000; and

WHEREAS, such budget amendment was approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on April 21, 2021.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the Comptroller and City Treasurer of the City of Binghamton are hereby authorized and directed to amend the 2021 Parks budget for playground equipment refurbishment at a cost not to exceed \$22,000 as follows:

Transfer From (Decrease):

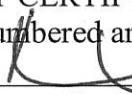
\$22,000 H7110.525204 (Trees)

Transfer To (Increase):

\$22,000 H7110.525052 (Parks Equipment)

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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Date: April 21, 2021

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Friedman, Riley, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti

Introduced by Committee: Finance

ORDINANCE

entitled

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE 2021
BINGHAMTON-JOHNSON CITY JOINT
SEWAGE TREATMENT FACILITIES CAPITAL
BUDGET TO CREATE A WWTP-ELECTRICAL
ENGINEER POSITION, DEFUND THE
COMPUTER SYSTEMS ENGINEER AND THE
HEAD ELECTRICAL POSITION

WHEREAS, the City of Binghamton (the "City") is a joint owner of the Binghamton-Johnson City Joint Sewage Treatment Facilities (the "BJCJSTF") with the Village of Johnson City (the "Village"); and

WHEREAS, the BJCJSTF is operated and maintained by the Binghamton-Johnson City Joint Sewage Board (the "JSB") under a series of inter-municipal agreements between the City and the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City and the Board of Trustees of the Village approve the BJCJSTF budget; and

WHEREAS, the JSB has requested an amendment to the 2021 BJCJSTF budget to create a "WWTP-Electrical Engineer" position, and to defund the "Computer Systems Engineer" position and the "Head Electrician" position; and

WHEREAS, the "WWTP-Electrical Engineer" position was approved by the Civil Service Commission on March 24, 2021.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the Council approves and directs the Comptroller/JSB Fiscal Officer to amend and make journal budget entries in the 2021 BJCJSTF budget to create a "WWTP-Electrical Engineer" position, and to defund the "Computer Systems Engineer" position and the "Head Electrician" position.

Section 2. That the Council approves and directs the Comptroller/JSB Fiscal Officer to amend and make journal budget entries in the 2021 BJCJSTF budget to fund the "WWTP-Electrical Engineer" position from April 24, 2021, to December 31, 2021, as follows:

**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON
STATE OF NEW YORK**

Date: April 21, 2021

Transfer From (Decrease)

\$ 60,178 J8130.51000 (Per.Ser-Com.Sys Eng)
70,707 J8130.51000 (Per.Ser-Hd.Electrician)
6,429 J9010.58000A (State Retirement)
5,534 J9030.58000B (Social Security)
8,962 J9040.58000C (Health Insurance)
3,338 J9040.58000D (Worker's Comp)
\$155,148

Transfer To (Increase)

\$ 58,558 J8130.51000 (Per.Ser-WWTP-
Electrical Engineer)
96,590 J8130.55000 (Contingency)
\$155,148

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall become effective when also approved by sufficient members of the Board of Trustees of the Village.

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Chuck Shager, Comptroller/JSB Fiscal Officer



**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON
STATE OF NEW YORK**

Date: April 21, 2021

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Friedman, Riley, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti

Introduced by Committee: Finance

ORDINANCE

entitled

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE 2021 GOLF
FUND FOR GOLF COURSE MAINTENANCE
EQUIPMENT**

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation and Comptroller of the City of Binghamton find it proper and necessary to amend the 2021 Golf Fund to create two new budget lines and to fund same for golf course maintenance equipment; and

WHEREAS, such budget amendment was approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on April 21, 2021.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the Comptroller and City Treasurer of the City of Binghamton are hereby authorized and directed to amend the 2021 Golf Fund to create budget lines CR9789.56000 (Other Debt Principal) and CR978.57000 (Other Debt Interest).

Section 2. That the Comptroller and City Treasurer of the City of Binghamton are hereby authorized and directed to amend the 2021 Golf Fund to fund the new budget lines for golf course maintenance equipment as follows.

Transfer From (Decrease)
\$50,700 CR7180.54520 (Equipment Rental)

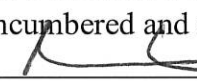
Transfer To (Increase)
\$48,000 CR9785.56000 (Other Debt Prin.)
2,700 CR9785.57000 (Other Debt
Interest)

\$50,700

\$50,700

Section 3. That this Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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Chuck Shager, Comptroller



**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON
STATE OF NEW YORK**

Date: April 21, 2021

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Riley, Friedman, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti

Introduced by Committee: Public Works/Parks

RESOLUTION

entitled

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR
TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE
BROOME COUNTY YOUTH BUREAU FOR
FUNDING OF THE SUMMER FUN YOUTH
DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM IN AN AMOUNT
NOT TO EXCEED \$10,000

WHEREAS, the City of Binghamton wishes to enter into an agreement with the Broome County Youth Bureau for funding of the Summer Fun Youth Development Program in an amount not to exceed \$10,000.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby:

RESOLVE that the Mayor, or his designee, is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement, approved as to form and content by the Office of Corporation Counsel, with the Broome County Youth Bureau for funding of the Summer Fun Youth Development Program in an amount not to exceed \$10,000; and the Comptroller and City Treasurer of the City of Binghamton are hereby authorized to amend the budget accordingly.



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STATE OF NEW YORK**

Date: April 21, 2021

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Riley, Friedman, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti,

Introduced by Committee: Planning

RESOLUTION

entitled

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR
TO AMEND THE CONTRACT WITH THE
YWCA FOR THE USE OF FY 45 ESG FUNDING
FOR EMERGENCY SHELTER PROGRAMMING**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Permanent Resolution 19-117, dated December 18, 2019, the City of Binghamton entered into a contract with the YWCA for the use of FY 45 ESG funding for Emergency Shelter Programming; and

WHEREAS, the Manager, HUD Administration and Housing, recommends amending the budget for the FY 45 contract with the YWCA to increase the Shelter Coordinator line by \$800.94 and the Residential Director/Social worker line by \$3,466.19, and decreasing the Weekend Resident Assistance line by \$4,267.13.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby:

RESOLVE that the Mayor of the City of Binghamton, or his designee, is hereby authorized to amend the contract, approved as to form and content by the Office of Corporation Counsel, with the YWCA to increase the Shelter Coordinator line by \$800.94 and the Residential Director/Social worker line by \$3,466.19, and to decrease the Weekend Resident Assistance line by \$4,267.13.

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**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON
STATE OF NEW YORK**

Date: April 21, 2021

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Riley, Friedman, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti

Introduced by Committee: Public Works/ Parks and Recreation

RESOLUTION

entitled

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR
TO ENTER INTO A LEASE TO OWN
AGREEMENT WITH JOHN DEERE FOR GOLF
COURSE MAINTENANCE EQUIPMENT

WHEREAS, the City of Binghamton wishes to enter into a lease to own agreement with John Deere for golf course maintenance equipment; and

WHEREAS, the term of the lease is for five (5) years effective from April 26, 2021, through April 25, 2026; and

WHEREAS, the amount the lease is not to exceed \$470,003.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session does hereby:

RESOLVE, that the Mayor, or his designee, is hereby authorized to enter into a lease to own agreement, approved as to form and content by the Office of Corporation Counsel, with John Deere for golf course maintenance equipment for a five (5) years effective from April 26, 2021, through April 25, 2026 in a total amount to not to exceed \$470,003, and that in 2021 \$48,000 shall be deducted from budget line CR9785.56000 (Other Debt Principal) and \$2,700 from budget line CR978.57000 (Other Debt Interest) for this purpose.



**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON
STATE OF NEW YORK**

Date: April 21, 2021

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Riley, Friedman, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti

Introduced by Committee: Public Works/Parks & Recreation

RESOLUTION

entitled

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR
TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH NEW
YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION (NYSDOT) FOR
REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES
REGARDING THE STORM OF AUGUST 14,
2018, (NY 18-02) ON FAIRVIEW AVE, PIN NO.
989092

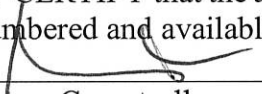
WHEREAS, the City Engineer recommends the City enter into an agreement with New York State Department of Transportation (“NYSDOT”) for reimbursement of expenses incurred regarding construction, construction supervision, and inspection of work associated with the storm of August 14, 2018, (NY 18-02) on Fairview Ave., PIN No. 989092, in the amount of \$48,876.63; and

WHEREAS, the Federal FHWA’s Emergency Relief Program will reimburse 100% of such expenses for this project.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby:

RESOLVE that the Mayor, or his designee, is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement, approved as to form and content by the Office of Corporation Counsel, with NYSDOT for reimbursement of expenses incurred regarding construction, construction supervision, and inspection of work associated with the storm of August 14, 2018, (NY 18-02) on Fairview Ave., PIN No. 989092, in the amount of \$48,876.63, and that the Comptroller is authorized to amend the budget accordingly.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above described funds
are unencumbered and available



Chuck Shager, Comptroller



**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON
STATE OF NEW YORK**

Date: April 21, 2021

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Riley, Friedman, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti,

Introduced by Committee: Planning

RESOLUTION

entitled

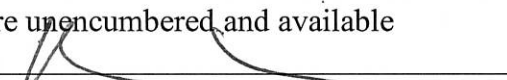
A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR
TO ENTER INTO AGREEMENTS WITH
VARIOUS AGENCIES FOR THE USE OF FY46
CDBG FUNDS

WHEREAS, the Manager, HUD Administration and Housing, recommends entering into agreements with various agencies to for the use of FY46 CDBG funds.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby:

RESOLVE that the Mayor of the City of Binghamton, or his designee, is hereby authorized to enter into agreements, approved as to form and content by the Office of Corporation Counsel, with various agencies for the use of FY46 CDBG funds, in the amounts set forth in the attachment annexed hereto.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above described funds are unencumbered and available



Chuck Shager, Comptroller

Agency	Program	Funding Line	Amount
Boys & Girls Club	Teen Center	CD7310.533516.CDY46 (YOUTH PROGRAMMING)	\$20,000
Boys & Girls Club	After Hours	CD7310.533516.CDY46 (YOUTH PROGRAMMING)	\$50,000
Metro Interfaith	Binghamton Homeownership Academy	CD8668.533530.CDY46 (BING HOMEOWNERSHIP ACADEMY)	\$16,000
First Ward Action Council	Senior Home Repair Program	CD8668.533531.CDY46 (SENIOR REPAIR PROGRAM)	\$85,000
Fairview Recovery Services	Opioid Addiction case Worker	CD8676.533555.CDY46 (OPIOD ADDICTION RECOVERY)	\$45,000
Mental Health Association of the Southern Tier	Mobile Crisis Service	CD8676.533559.CDY46 (MHA ST MOBILE CRISIS SERVICES)	\$35,000
Fairview Recovery Services	HMIS User Fee	CG6142.533550.CDY46 (ESG-PROGRAM FUNDS)	\$1,720

State Environmental Quality Review Act

After the title of the Bond Ordinance for 2021 Bond is read, and before a vote, do the following:

A. Motion to identify the proposed action as “Type II” under SEQRA for the following reasons:

Nature of action. A Bond Ordinance of the City of Binghamton amending the Bond Ordinance adopted February 18, 2015, and heretofore amended on March 7, 2018, and February 19, 2019, on account of the State Street Reconstruction Project.

Findings: The City of Binghamton City Council has determined that the proposed action described above is a Type II action based on §617.5 Type II C (1) maintenance or repair involving no substantial changes in an existing structure or facility, (4) repaving of existing highways not involving the addition of new travel lanes, (5) street openings and right-of-way openings for the purpose of repair or maintenance of existing utility facilities, and (21) minor temporary uses of land having negligible or no permanent impact on the environment; and no further environmental review is necessary.

Motion made by _____,

Seconded by _____,

Roll call vote

State Environmental Quality Review
Determination of Type II Action

Project Number: None

Date: April 21, 2021

This Notice is issued pursuant to Part 617 of the implementing regulations pertaining to Article 8 (State Environmental Quality Review Act) of the Environmental Conservation Law.

Nature of action. A Bond Ordinance of the City of Binghamton amending the Bond Ordinance adopted February 18, 2015 and heretofore amended on March 7, 2018 and February 19, 2019, on account of the State Street Reconstruction Project.

Findings. The City of Binghamton City Council has determined that the proposed action described above is a Type II action based on §617.5 Type II C (1) maintenance or repair involving no substantial changes in an existing structure or facility, (4) repaving of existing highways not involving the addition of new travel lanes, (5) street openings and right-of-way openings for the purpose of repair or maintenance of existing utility facilities, and (21) minor temporary uses of land having negligible or no permanent impact on the environment; and no further environmental review is necessary.

For Further Information

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**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON
STATE OF NEW YORK**

Date: April 21, 2021

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Riley, Friedman, Burns Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti

Introduced by Committee: Finance

ORDINANCE
entitled

BOND ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON, NEW YORK, ADOPTED APRIL 21, 2021, AMENDING THE BOND ORDINANCE ADOPTED FEBRUARY 18, 2015 AND HERETOFORE AMENDED ON MARCH 7, 2018 AND FEBRUARY 19, 2019 ON ACCOUNT OF THE STATE STREET RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT

WHEREAS, on February 18, 2015, the Council of the City of Binghamton (the "City"), in the County of Broome, New York, duly authorized the issuance of bonds in the principal amount of not to exceed \$14,463,150 to finance various capital projects in and for the City, which amount was appropriated therefor pursuant to the bond ordinance adopted by said Council of the City on February 18, 2015;

WHEREAS, on March 7, 2018 the Council determined that the estimated total cost of the reconstruction of State Street was \$1,900,000 and such amount was appropriated therefor pursuant to a bond ordinance adopted by said Council on March 7, 2018 as an amendment to the prior bond ordinance adopted on February 18, 2015;

WHEREAS, on February 19, 2019 the Council determined that the estimated total cost of the reconstruction of State Street was \$2,300,000 and such amount was appropriated therefor pursuant to a bond ordinance adopted by said Council on February 19, 2019 as an amendment to the prior bond ordinance adopted on February 18, 2015 and amended March 7, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the Council has now determined that the total cost of the reconstruction of State Street is \$2,530,000, and it is necessary and in the public interest to increase the appropriation for such project by \$230,000 and to further amend the bond ordinance adopted on February 19, 2019, to authorize the issuance of an additional \$230,000 bonds to finance said increased appropriation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON, IN THE COUNTY OF BROOME, NEW YORK (by the favorable vote of not less than two-thirds of all members of said Board of Trustees) AS FOLLOWS:

Section A. The bond ordinance of said City duly adopted by the Council of the City on February 18, 2015, and amended on March 7, 2018 and further amended February 19, 2019, entitled:

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“Bond Ordinance of the City of Binghamton, New York, adopted February 18, 2015, amended March 7, 2018, and further amended February 19, 2019, authorizing various capital improvements in and for the City, stating the estimated maximum cost thereof is \$16,163,150, appropriating said amount for such purpose and authorizing the issuance of bonds of the City in the principal amount of not to exceed \$16,163,150 to finance said appropriation,”

is hereby amended to read as follows:

BOND ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON, NEW YORK, ADOPTED FEBRUARY 18, 2015, AMENDED MARCH 7, 2018, AND FURTHER AMENDED FEBRUARY 19, 2019 AND APRIL 22, 2021, AUTHORIZING VARIOUS CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS IN AND FOR THE CITY, STATING THE ESTIMATED MAXIMUM COST THEREOF IS \$16,393,150, APPROPRIATING SAID AMOUNT FOR SUCH PURPOSE AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS OF THE CITY IN THE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF NOT TO EXCEED \$16,393,150 TO FINANCE SAID APPROPRIATION

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Binghamton recognizes the need to provide for various capital improvements in and for the City, as more specifically described herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON, NEW YORK, DULY CONVENED (by the favorable vote of not less than two-thirds of all the members of said Council) AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City of Binghamton, in the County of Broome, New York (herein called the “City”), is hereby authorized to construct, acquire or undertake the various projects as described in Column A of said Schedule I, attached hereto and made a part hereof, at the estimated maximum costs indicated in Column B of said Schedule I. The estimated total cost of such projects, including preliminary costs and costs incidental thereto and the financing thereof, is \$16,393,150 and said amount is hereby appropriated therefor, such appropriation having been authorized by the Council pursuant to Ordinance Nos.15-8, 18-28, 19-44 and _____. The plan of financing includes the issuance of bonds of the City in the principal amount of not to exceed \$16,393,150 to finance said appropriation, and the levy and collection of taxes on all the taxable real property in the City to pay the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon as the same shall become due and payable.

Section 2. Serial bonds of the City in the aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$16,393,150 are hereby authorized to be issued in the principal amounts indicated in Column C of said Schedule I for each of the respective objects or purposes indicated in Column A of said Schedule I, pursuant to the provisions of the Local Finance Law, constituting Chapter 33-a of the Consolidated Laws of the State of New York (herein called the “Law”), to finance the appropriation referred to herein.

Section 3. The respective periods of probable usefulness of the specific objects or purposes and classes of objects or purposes for which said serial bonds are authorized to be issued, within the limitations of §11.00 a. of the Law as referenced in Column E of said Schedule I, are set forth in Column D of said Schedule I.

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Section 4. The proceeds of the bonds herein authorized, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of said bonds, may be applied to reimburse the City for expenditures made after the effective date of this ordinance for the purposes for which said bonds are authorized. The foregoing statement of intent with respect to reimbursement is made in conformity with Treasury Regulation Section 1.150-2 of the United States Treasury Department.

Section 5. Each of the bonds authorized by this ordinance, and any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds, shall contain the recital of validity as prescribed by Section 52.00 of the Law and said bonds, and any notes issued in anticipation of said bonds, shall be general obligations of the City, payable as to both principal and interest by general tax upon all the taxable real property within the City. The faith and credit of the City are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and interest on said bonds, and any notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds, and provision shall be made annually in the budget of the City by appropriation for (a) the amortization and redemption of the bonds and any notes in anticipation thereof to mature in such year and (b) the payment of interest to be due and payable in such year.

Section 6. Subject to the provisions of this ordinance and of the Law and pursuant to the provisions of Section 21.00 relative to the authorization of the issuance of bonds with substantially level or declining annual debt service, Section 30.00 relative to the authorization of the issuance of bond anticipation notes and Section 50.00 and Sections 56.00 to 60.00 and 168.00 of the Law, the powers and duties of the Council relative to authorizing bond anticipation notes and prescribing the terms, form and contents and as to the sale and issuance of the bonds herein authorized, and of any bond anticipation notes issued in anticipation of said bonds, and the renewals of said bond anticipation notes, and as to executing agreements for credit enhancements, are hereby delegated to the City Comptroller, the chief fiscal officer of the City.

Section 7. The validity of the bonds authorized by this ordinance, and of any notes issued in anticipation of the sale of said bonds, may be contested only if:

- (a) such obligations are authorized for an object or purpose for which the City is not authorized to expend money, or
- (b) the provisions of law which should be complied with at the date of the publication of such ordinance, or a summary thereof, are not substantially complied with,

and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of such publication, or

- (c) such obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the constitution.

Section 8. This bond ordinance shall take effect immediately, and the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to publish the foregoing ordinance, in summary, together with a Notice attached in substantially the form prescribed by §81.00 of the Law in the "*The Press & Sun-Bulletin*," a newspaper published in Binghamton, New York, having a general circulation in the City and hereby designated the official newspaper of said City for such publication.

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Section B. The amendment of the bond ordinance set forth in Section A of this ordinance, shall in no way affect the validity of the liabilities incurred, obligations issued, or action taken pursuant to said bond ordinance, and all such liabilities incurred, obligations issued, or action taken shall be deemed to have been incurred, issued or taken pursuant to said bond ordinance, as so amended.

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Schedule I

2021 Capital Improvement Plan

A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Project Description (object or purpose)	Estimated Maximum Cost	Amount of Bonds Authorized	Fund	Grant Funding Expected to be received	Period of Probable Usefulness	PPU Section 11.00a. reference
A. Acquisition of Range Simulator	\$ 63,150	\$ 63,150	General	\$ 0	5	32
B. Street Reconstruction	3,000,000	3,000,000	General	0	15	20(c)
C. Street Resurfacing	500,000	500,000	General	0	15	20(c)
D. Water Line Improvements	2,000,000	2,000,000	Water	0	40	1
E. Sewer Line Improvements	1,200,000	1,200,000	Sewer	0	40	4
F. LED lighting upgrades and improvements - Streets and Ramps	4,000,000	4,000,000	General	0	15	35
G. Storm and Sanitary System improvements as part of NY Rising	750,000	750,000	General	750,000	40	4
H. Parking Ramp Improvements	2,000,000	2,000,000	Ramps	0	10	20(f)
I. Flood Wall/Conduit Reconstruction	50,000	50,000	General	0	20	22(b)
J. Reconstruction of State Street	2,530,000	2,530,000	General	1,500,000	15	91, 20(c) & 72(a)
K. Various pool upgrades and improvements	250,000	250,000	General	0	15	19(c)
L. ADA upgrades to bleachers	20,000	20,000	General	0	5	35
M. Pool Deck upgrades and improvements	<u>30,000</u>	<u>30,000</u>	General	<u>0</u>	15	19(c)
Totals	<u>\$16,393,150.</u>	<u>\$16,393,150.</u>		<u>\$2,250,000</u>		



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Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Riley, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti

Introduced by Committee: Finance

ORDINANCE

entitled

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE 2021
GENERAL FUND BUDGET TO USE THE
GENERAL FUND BALANCE TO PURCHASE
DPW EQUIPMENT

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Public Works and Comptroller of the City of Binghamton find it proper and necessary to amend the 2021 General Fund Balance to purchase DPW equipment; and

WHEREAS, the cost is not to exceed \$262,252; and

WHEREAS, such budget amendments were approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on April 21, 2021.

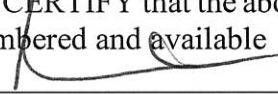
NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the Comptroller and City Treasurer of the City of Binghamton are hereby authorized and directed to amend the 2021 General Fund Balance to purchase DPW equipment at a cost not to exceed \$262,252 as follows:

- (i) \$262,252 decrease to revenue budget line A.49999 (General Fund Balance)
- (ii) \$262,252 increase to expense budget line A9950.5900 (Transfer to Capital Fund)
- (iii) \$262,252 increase to revenue budget line H.45031 (Interfund Transfer)
- (iv) \$262,252 increase to expense budget line H1490.590009 (DPW Equipment)

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above described funds
are unencumbered and available



Chuck Shager, Comptroller



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Date: April 21, 2021

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Riley, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti

Introduced by Committee: Finance

ORDINANCE

entitled

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE 2021
BUDGET TO FUND A CAPITAL BUDGET LINE
FOR THE YOUTH RECREATION CENTER
CAPITAL EXPENSES IN THE AMOUNT OF
\$48,900

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation and Comptroller of the City of Binghamton find it proper and necessary to amend the 2021 Budget to fund a capital line for the Youth Recreation Center capital expenses in the amount of \$48,900; and

WHEREAS, such budget amendment was approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on April 21, 2021.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the Comptroller and City Treasurer of the City of Binghamton are hereby authorized and directed to amend the 2021 budget to create and fund a capital line for the Youth Recreation Center capital expenses in an amount not to exceed \$48,900.

- (i) \$48,900 increase to revenue budget line A.49999 (Fund Balance)
- (ii) \$48,900 increase to expense budget line A9950.59000 (Transfer to Capital Fund)
- (iii) \$48,900 increase to revenue capital budget line H.45031 (Interfund Transfer)
- (iv) \$48,900 increase to expense capital budget line H7110.XXXXX (Youth Recreation Center)

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above described funds are unencumbered and available

Chuck Shager, Comptroller



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Date: April 21, 2021

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Riley, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti

Introduced by Committee: Finance

RESOLUTION

entitled

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR
TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH
CLARK PATTERSON LEE FOR
ARCHITECTURAL AND ENGINEERING
DESIGN SERVICES FOR THE NEW YOUTH
RECREATION CENTER AT COLUMBUS PARK

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Binghamton wishes to enter into an agreement with Clark Patterson Lee for architectural and engineering design services for the new Youth Recreation Center at Columbus Park; and

WHEREAS, the estimated cost for such services is not to exceed \$548,900.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby:

RESOLVE that the Mayor of the City of Binghamton, or his designee, is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement, approved as to form and content by the Office of Corporation Counsel, with Clark Patterson Lee for architectural and engineering design services for the new Youth Recreation Center at Columbus Park, at a cost not to exceed \$548,900; and that \$500,000 shall be deducted from budget line CD7310.533536.CDY46 (Youth Capital Program) and \$48,900 from budget line H7110.XXXXXX (Youth Recreation Center) for this purpose.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above described funds
are unencumbered and available

Chuck Shager, Comptroller



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Date: April 21, 2021

Sponsored by Council Members: Scaringi, Riley, Burns, Strawn, Scanlon, Resciniti

Introduced by Committee: Municipal and Public Affairs

RESOLUTION

entitled

A RESOLUTION APPROVING A
MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
AMONG THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON AND
THE BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB AND PAL CAMP
FOR A COMMUNITY BASED CRIME
REDUCTION PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police and Mayor of the City of Binghamton recommend entering into a Memorandum of Understanding with the Binghamton Boys and Girls Club and PAL Camp for a Community Based Crime Reduction program to be sponsored by the Bureau of Justice, a subsidiary of the Department of Justice.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Binghamton, duly convened in regular session, does hereby:

RESOLVE, that the Mayor, or his designee, is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement, approved as to form and content by the Office of Corporation Counsel, with the Binghamton Boys and Girls Club and Pal Camp for a Community Based Crime Reduction program to be sponsored by the Bureau of Justice, a subsidiary of the Department of Justice.