



# LEGISLATIVE BRANCH ▪ CITY OF BINGHAMTON

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**COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON**  
**Business Meeting Agenda**  
**City Hall, 38 Hawley Street, Binghamton, NY 13901**  
**Wednesday, September 1, 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 August 18, 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**

**VIII. SET PUBLIC HEARINGS**

Binghamton City Council and the Mayor will hold a Public Hearing regarding RL21-177: A Local Law amending the residency requirements for employment for the City of Binghamton.

This Public Hearing will take place during the next regular City Council Business Meeting at 6pm on Wednesday, September 22, 2021, in the 2nd floor Atrium located in City Hall, 38 Hawley Street, Binghamton, NY. Residents wishing to submit comments may do so electronically by emailing their



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comments prior to 5:00pm on the day of the meeting to [clerk@cityofbinghamton.com](mailto:clerk@cityofbinghamton.com) or in-person during the meeting. For any questions, please contact the City Clerk's Office at (607) 772-7005.

## **IX. PUBLIC COMMENT/COMMUNICATION**

\*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](mailto:clerk@cityofbinghamton.com)

## **X. REVIEW OF MAYORAL VETO**

## **XI. SECOND READING LEGISLATION**

### **Introductory Ordinance 21-81. Considered in Finance: Strawn**

An Ordinance to account for lost revenue of \$12,494,152 per the American Rescue Plan Act guidelines

### **Introductory Ordinance 21-85. Considered in Planning: Strawn**

An Ordinance to amend the official zoning map of the City of Binghamton to rezone four tax lots related to Bates Troy Dry Cleaner (SEQRA)

### **Introductory Resolution 21-72. Considered in Finance: Strawn**

A Resolution authorizing the mayor to accept second round funding from the American Rescue Plan Act in the amount of \$23,092,337

## **XII. FIRST READING LEGISLATION**

### **A. PREFERRED AGENDA**

#### **Introductory Ordinance 21-90. Considered in Finance: Strawn**

An Ordinance to amend the 2021 budget to allocate American Rescue Plan Act funds for Broadband improvements with the Southern Tier Network

#### **Introductory Ordinance 21-91. Considered in Finance: Strawn**

An Ordinance to amend the 2021 budget to allocate American Rescue Plan Act funds for affordable housing

#### **Introductory Ordinance 21-92. Considered in Finance: Strawn**

An Ordinance to amend the 2021 DPW budget for additional funds for vehicle repairs and parts

#### **Introductory Ordinance 21-93. Considered in Finance: Strawn**

An Ordinance to amend the 2021 Finance budget for personal services and temporary services

#### **Introductory Resolution 21-73. Considered in PW/Parks: Scanlon**

A Resolution authorizing the City of Binghamton to accept a donation of 2 plaques to be displayed at the Recreation Park tennis courts



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## **Introductory Resolution 21-74. Considered in Finance: Strawn**

A Resolution to cancel existing agreements with the Family Enrichment Network and the YWCA and to enter into new agreements with them for use of ESG COVID Funds

## **B. NON PREFERRED AGENDA**

### **Introductory Ordinance 21-87. Considered in Finance: Strawn**

An Ordinance to amend the 2021 budget to allocate American Rescue Plan Act Funds for improvements to the Water Filtration Plant and the Sewer and Water Pump Stations

### **Introductory Ordinance 21-88. Considered in Finance: Strawn**

An Ordinance to amend the 2021 budget to use the Fund Balance to purchase equipment for Police and DPW

### **Introductory Ordinance 21-89. Considered in Finance: Strawn**

An Ordinance to amend the 2021 budget to use the Fund Balance to reduce debt cost associated with the new Community Center and park improvements at Columbus Park

## **XIII. COMMUNICATIONS FROM COUNCIL MEMBERS**

## **XIV. ADJOURNMENT**