



**Borough of Ridley Park
Biennial Organization Meeting
January 6, 2020
Reorganization Meeting**

Call to Order (Mayor Henry Eberle)

Welcome

Pledge of Allegiance

Oath of Office Administered to Newly Elected Officials

The oath of office was administered by the Honorable Jack Whalen, Delaware Court of Common Pleas Judge

Richard Guerra (Council)
Michael McGinley (Council)
Michelle Mattus (Council)

Business Meeting

Roll Call

Mayor Hank Eberle
Councilor Dane Collins
Councilor Michele Endriss-Dalessio
Councilor Richard Guerra
Councilor William Kaelin
Councilor Michael McGinley
Councilor Michelle Mattus
Councilor Susan Brochet

Nomination for Council President

Michelle Mattus made a motion to appoint Richard Guerra for Council President
Richard Guerra made a motion to appoint Michelle Endriss Dalessio for Council President

Roll Call Vote for Richard Guerra:

Councilor Dane Collins- No
Councilor Michele Endriss-Dalessio- No

Councilor Richard Guerra- No
Councilor William Kaelin- No
Councilor Michael McGinley- No
Councilor Michelle Mattus- Yes
Councilor Susan Brochet- No
Vote 1/6

Roll Call vote for Michelle Endriss Dalessio
Councilor Dane Collins- Yes
Councilor Michele Endriss-Dalessio- Yes
Councilor Richard Guerra- Yes
Councilor William Kaelin- Yes
Councilor Michael McGinley- Yes
Councilor Michelle Mattus- Abstained
Councilor Susan Brochet- Yes
Vote 6/1

Mayor Hank Eberle turned the meeting over to new Council President

Nomination for Council Vice-President

Council President Michelle Endriss Dalessio made a motion to nominate Sue Brochet to Council Vice President.
Vote 7/0

Nomination for Pro Tempore for Council

Council Vice President made a motion to nominate William Kaelin to Pro Tempore
Vote 6/1
Councilor Mattus voting in the negative

Borough Appointments:

- Borough Solicitor – Raffaele & Puppio, LLP
 - Motion Sue Brochet
 - Second Richard Guerra
 - Vote 7/0
- Labor Relations Solicitor – McNichol, Byrne & Matalawski, PC
 - Motion William Kaelin
 - Second Sue Brochet
 - Vote 7/0
- Zoning Hearing Board Solicitor - Law Office of J. Michael Sheridan
 - Motion Sue Brochet

- Second Richard Guerra
 - Vote 7/0
- Civil Service Commission Solicitor – William T. Neill, III Esquire
 - Motion: Sue Brochet
 - Second: Michael McGinley
 - Vote 7/0
- Engineer – Catania Engineering Associates, Inc.
 - Motion: Dane Collins
 - Second: William Kaelin
 - Vote 7/0
- Code Enforcement – Commonwealth Code Enforcement
 - Motion: Sue Brochet
 - Second: Michael McGinley
 - Vote 6/1
 - Councilor Dane Collins voting No
- Auditor – Barbacane, Thornton and Company, LLP
 - Motion: Richard Guerra
 - Second: Sue Brochet
 - Vote 7/0

Public Comment

There was no public comment

Action Items

- No action items scheduled

New Business

- Council Committee Assignments
 - Provided update on Committee Assignment

Adjourn

Motion: Michelle Endriss Dalessio

Second: Sue Brochet

Vote 7/0

Respectfully Submitted

Richard Tutak, Jr.

Borough Manager