

NOVEMBER 10, 2025

Mayor Rick Adams called the regular meeting of the Township of Bass River Commission to order on November 10, 2025 at 7:00 pm.

Provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act were complied with as notice was published to the *Atlantic City Press* stating the time, date and place of this meeting.

The following Commission Members were in attendance: Commissioner Jane Allen, Deputy Mayor Louis Bourguignon and Mayor Rick Adams.

Mayor Adams led the salute to the flag.

Mrs. Allen moved, second by Mr. Bourguignon that the minutes of the meeting of October 14, 2025 be approved. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of the Commission.

Mrs. Allen read the Court Report for October 2025 a copy of which is on file in the Municipal Clerk's Office for public inspection.

RESOLUTION #83-25

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BASS RIVER, COUNTY OF BURLINGTON, STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF CLAIMS

Mrs. Allen moved, second by Mayor Adams that Resolution #83-25, authorizing payment of claims for \$407,416.34 be approved as read. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of Commission.

RESOLUTION #84-25

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BASS RIVER, COUNTY OF BURLINGTON, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, APPOINTING JENNY GLEGHORN AS A REGISTRAR OF VITAL STATISTICS

Mrs. Allen moved, second by Mr. Bourguignon, that Resolution #84-25, be approved as read. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of the Commissioners.

RESOLUTION #85-25

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BASS RIVER, COUNTY OF BURLINGTON, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, INCREASING THE BID THRESHOLD FOR CONTRACTS SUBJECT TO PUBLIC BIDDING UNDER THE LOCAL PUBLIC CONTRACTS LAW

Mrs. Allen moved, second by Mr. Bourguignon, that Resolution #85-25, be approved as read. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of the Commissioners.

Mayor Adams thanked Ashley and Ron Cranmer for the food pantry project and everyone who participated in the Veterans Day remembrance. He also reminded everyone that paving on Adams Avenue will begin next week.

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Mayor Adams reminded everyone that December 7, 2025 at 5:00 pm would be annual tree lighting at the park.

Mr. Bourguignon stated the employees have been working on the Christmas decorations going up and they had to clean up various graffiti and damage in Off-Shore Manor

Township Solicitor informed the governing body that Verizon is still involved in fighting paying taxes for telephone poles within the jurisdiction of the municipality and she suggests the Township just letting things play out before we come up with an answer. She also is working on ordinance for the next meeting that will involve some regulation changes to the campgrounds/mobile home sites within the Township.

Mayor Adams moved, second by Mr. Bourguignon that the meeting be opened to the public portion of the meeting. It was so moved.

Leo Assur 106 North Maple Avenue wanted to make sure that in the 2026 budget the fire department still gets funding because of all the volunteer work they do for this township. He wants to make sure we are helping the New Gretna Fire Department.

Mr. Bourguignon moved, second by Mrs. Allen that the public portion of the meeting be closed. It was so moved.

Mrs. Allen moved, second by Mayor Adams that the meeting be adjourned. The motion was unanimously approved at 7:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

**JENNY GLEGHORN, RMC
TOWNSHIP CLERK**

Approved:

**WILLIAM "RICK" ADAMS
MAYOR**