

**MINUTES  
BUDGET MEETING  
BOROUGH OF SEA BRIGHT**

**March 15, 2022 (Tuesday)**

**SEA BRIGHT, NEW JERSEY**

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**Mayor Kelly** called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m. and requested those present to join in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**48 Hour Notice Requirement:**

Good Evening Ladies and Gentlemen, this meeting is now called to order. In line with the Borough of Sea Bright's longstanding policy of open government, and in compliance with the "Open Public Meetings Act", I wish to advise you that the 48-hour notice requirement for this meeting has been met. A copy of the agenda was sent to the Asbury Park Press and other local newspapers on March 8, 2022 and posted on the bulletin board in the Borough office. This meeting is open to the public.

**PRESENT:** Mayor Brian P. Kelly  
Councilmember's Kevin Birdsall, Jefferey M. Booker, Sr.,  
Samuel A. Catalano, William J. Keeler, John M. Lamia, Jr.

**ABSENT:** Councilmember Erwin Bieber

**OTHERS:** CFO Michael J. Bascom, Administrator Joseph L. Verruni,  
Attorney Richard Shaklee, Clerk Christine Pfeiffer

**REMARKS FROM THE AUDIENCE (limited to 3 minutes)**

The Public Comment portion of this meeting allows members of the audience to bring their concerns or comments to the Mayor and Council's attention. Pursuant to Borough Ordinance 3-2011, a member of the public who wishes to speak shall give his/her name and address for the record and may have up to three minutes to state his/her comments to the Mayor and Council as a Body. If additional time or information is requested, an appointment can be made with the Administrator's office during regular business hours.

**No one wished to be heard.**

**BUDGET PRESENTATION:**

Chief Financial Officer, Michael Bascom provided an in-depth look and discussion of the Borough's Annual Financial Statement, Annual Debt Statement and proposed 2022 budget. Council agreed to take a further look into canceling unused balances of older bond ordinances and unfunded debt to repurpose the funds.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Councilmember Booker offered a motion to adjourn the budget workshop meeting; second by Councilmember Keeler:

<b>Roll Call:</b>	Bieber,	Birdsall,	Booker,	Catalano,	Keeler,	Lamia
	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Respectfully submitted,

Christine Pfeiffer  
Borough Clerk