

BOROUGH SERVICE IN ELECTIVE OFFICES

Paul N. Mirabelli	Mayor Councilman Council President	16 years 13 years 3 years
Rene Dierkes	Councilman	12½ years
Steven Matejek	Councilman	5 years
Donna Pacifico	Councilwoman Council President	4 years 2 years
Donald Rinaldo	Councilman	1 year
Alex Van Deusen	Councilman	1 year
Valerie Wass	Councilwoman	1 year
John N. Post	Borough Attorney	53 years

BOROUGH EMPLOYEE YEARS OF SERVICE

Administrative & Executive:

Glenn W. Mortimer	5½ years
Martha Lopez	20 years
Kiana Taveras	2½ years
Justyna Zagorska-Diaz	2½ years
Debra Varnerin	3 years
Lisa Rizzo	2 years

Department of Public Works & Facilities:

Matthew DeAnna	10 years
Gabriel Baumgarten	4 years
Oscar Cardona	27 years
Horacio Colella	25 years
Kyle Edgar	3 years
Wayne Jennings	5 years
Richard Neri	31 years
Sarah Post	2 months

Court Administrator's Office:

Cynthia West	23 years
Rayanne McMahon	5½ years
Jessica Einstein-Kaufman	1½ years
Frank Sahaj, Esq.	32 years
James Foerst, Esq.	19 years
Robert Rowbotham, Esq.	3 years

Construction Code Enforcement & Engineer:

Michael Disko Jr.	22 years
Jerry Eger	1½ years
Deanna Andre	1½ years
Mireille Diamond	½ year

Inspectors:

Robert Herbert - Zoning	4½ years
Pedro Pons - Electrical	1½ years
James Pisauro – Fire Subcode	4½ years
Skip Paal - Fire Prevention	4 years
Gary Junkroft - Plumbing	1 year

Recreation:

Frank Masella	27 years
Alanna Moriak	1 year
Karen Bandics	18½ years

Senior Citizen Coordinator:

Kim Moriak	12 years
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Police Department:

Chief Joseph Giannuzzi	33½ years
Captain Michael Jackson	28½ years
Sergeant James Urban	25 years
Lieutenant William Stolting	19 years
Lieutenant Shaun Bendik	17 years
Sergeant Christopher Feighner	17 years
Patrolman James Debbie III	12½ years
Sergeant Andrew Yasinski	11½ years
Patrolman Eric Pastore	9½ years
Sergeant William Sforza	9 years
Corporal Ryan Carr	8 years
Corporal Jonathan R. Hagan	7 years
Patrolman Nicholas A. Hussey	7 years
Corporal Kevin A. Pierre	7 years
Patrolwoman Alexandra Harris	6 years
Patrolman Timothy Stasyshyn	5 years
Patrolman Atreu Melville	5 years
Patrolman Brendan Carlos	4 years
Patrolman Dan Cosentino	3½ years
Patrolwoman Melissa Hernandez	3½ years
Patrolman Cesar Reyesperez	2 years
Patrolman Zachery Myretetus	1½ year

Police Administrative Assistant:

Kristine Moran	4 years
Amy Colineri	15 years

Crossing Guards:

Alan Kennedy	2 years
Betty Presser	3 months
Janice Sileo	6 years
Patricia Salvato	19½ years

Communications Officers:

Matthew Alexander	2 years
Christopher Jackson	½ year
Kara Rector	2½ years
Michael Scuderi	12½ years

Tax Assessor:

Jennifer Sherman	2 years
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Tax Collector:

Justyna Zagorska-Diaz	½ year
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MOUNTAINSIDE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Tammy Shaw, Director	3 years
Jen Chirichillo	10 months
Guy DeAngelis	17½ years
Caroline Katz	2 year
Katie Kotacska	6 months
Nancy Lamchek	15 years
Carolee Lavey	6 years
Barbara Parisi	11½ years
Rebecca Orens	2 months
Bonnie Stewart	2 years

RESCUE SQUAD

OFFICERS 2026:

President/Delegate: Norma Huber
Treasurer: Sonali Shah

Vice President: Jamie Pereira
Secretary: Kevin Pereira

Chief: Eric D. Pastore
Deputy Chief: Chris Sileo
1st Lieutenant: Domenico Deluca
2nd Lieutenant: Matthew Schrier

NJSFAC Delegate: Steven Susman
Chaplain: Marty Roden

MEMBERS:

Christopher Albornoz
Zoe Andre
Aurely Antonin
Katharine Beck
Brianna Boxwell
Keegan Caherly
Ava Capone
Chay Castro
Brian Ciepiela
Michelle Ciepiela
Caitlin Cook
Elizabeth Corrigan
John Crifasi
Evan Crozier
Brett DaCosta
Maja Dinic
Thomas DiNorscio
Peter Donovan
Adriana Famiglietti
Antonio Famiglietti
Antonio Ferrara
Joseph Grimaldi
Keegan Healy
Lillian Hoang
Bridget Holland
Otabek Khudaybergenov
Ali Iloglu
Clare Jeffery

Cassie Kinney
Julius Korn
Matthew Laguardia
Megan Leick
Anthony Longo
Andrew Lyszky
Elizabeth Matos
David Marques
Lila McMahill
Hannah Miller
Bailee Ng
Reza Oskoui
Jessica Pattathil
Mina Pektas
Lilliana Pereira
Katherine Pipher
Catherine Royzman
Michael Royzman
Joseph Sanchez
Bernard Shuravesky
Siena Siconolfi
Ian Stambaugh
Liv Steinmetz
Nicholas Tripodi
Shayla Vaz
Karen Villatoro
Amberly Zaleski
Saverio Zipeto

FIRE DEPARTMENT

OFFICERS 2026:

Chief	Ed Kweselait
Assistant Chief	Matthew Watson
Deputy 3	Matthew Pristasch
Deputy 4	Pete Esemplare
Captain 1	Ian Zaluzny
Captain 2	Antonio Famiglietti
Lieutenant 1	TJ McGowen
Lieutenant 2	Rocco Menoni

MEMBERS:

Szabolcs Biro	Kelvin Navarro
Montana Bottino	Casey Olohan
John Browne	Davidson Odnez
Danny Clark	Dean Paskow
Douglas Callanan	Kevin Pereira
Dino D'Angelo	Thomas Perrotta
Domenico Deluca	Kevin Rogers
Jonluis Fonseca	Odalys Sawycky
Curtis Gilford	Roman Sawycky
Samantha Grindlinger	Austin Senkarik
JP Hernandez	Christopher Sileo
Bill Iden	Edward Smith
Gabriel Kulcsar	Tyler Stoeckle
Dylan Koch	Jeff Stoffer
Otabek Khudaybergenov	Jacob Tomas
Anthony Labisi	Thomas Triolo
Edwin Lima	Owen Younger
William McMeekan	Saverio Zipeto

ORDER OF BUSINESS
COUNCIL MEETING
JANUARY 6, 2026

Call to order the 2025 Governing Body and reading of OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT STATEMENT. In compliance with Chapter 231, OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT of the State of New Jersey, adequate notice has been given to all members of the Governing Body and the two newspapers that have been designated to receive such notices, the "Local Source" and the "Westfield Leader".

1. Invocation by Mayor Paul N. Mirabelli
2. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
3. Roll call of Council by Borough Clerk
4. Approval of Minutes:

Regular & Executive Session Meetings - December 16, 2025

5. Presentations:

25th Work Anniversaries
State Representatives

6. Comments of Council Members
7. Adjournment of the 2025 Governing Body
8. Oaths of Office:
 Councilman Rene Dierkes
 Councilwoman Donna Pacifico

REORGANIZATION MEETING
JANUARY 6, 2026

1. Call to Order of the 2026 Governing Body
2. Roll call of the 2026 Council by Borough Clerk
3. Mayor Mirabelli's Message to the Council and the Citizens of Mountainside
4. Election of Council President

Resolution 1-2026

Adoption of Rules of Council for 2026

Resolution 2-2026

Appointment of Council to Committees

Fire:

**Rene Dierkes, Chairperson
Donald Rinaldo
Alex Van Deusen**

Administrative and Executive:

**Rene Dierkes, Chairperson
Alex Van Deusen
Donna Pacifico**

Public Works/Facilities:

**Steven Matejek, Chairperson
Donald Rinaldo
Valerie Wass**

Police:

**Paul N. Mirabelli, Chairperson
Steven Matejek
Donna Pacifico**

Media & Information:

**Steven Matejek, Chairperson
Alex Van Deusen
Valerie Wass**

Solid Waste/Recycling:

**Donna Pacifico, Chairperson
Donald Rinaldo
Alex Van Deusen**

Recreation Department:

**Rene Dierkes, Chairperson
Steven Matejek
Donna Pacifico**

Resolution 3-2026

Appointment of Council Liaisons to Boards/Committees:

Planning Board	Valerie Wass
Board of Health	Donna Pacifico
Board of Education	Steven Matejek
Library	Donald Rinaldo
Rescue Squad	Valerie Wass
Board of Tax Appeals	Donald Rinaldo
Senior Citizen Services	Valerie Wass
Board of Tax Assessors	Rene Dierkes
Shade Tree	Alex Van Deusen
Historic Preservation Committee	Donna Pacifico
Children's Specialized Hospital	Valerie Wass

Resolution 4-2026

Appointment of Planning Board Members:

Class I	Paul N. Mirabelli	
Class II	Michael Disko Jr., Borough Engineer	
Class III	Valerie Wass, Councilwoman	
Class IV	John Tomaine	2026
	Todd Garran	2028
	Karen Dillon	2027
	Ted Zawislak	2028
	Thomas Jakositz	2027
	Steve Matlin	2027
	Mark Gioioso, Alt. #1	2026
	Coady Brown, Alt. #2	2026

Resolution 5-2026
Appointment to Various Boards/Committees:

Board of Health:

Kevin McCauley	2026
Norma Huber	2027
Dr. Joseph Calderone	2027
Dr. James Dunne	2026
Lisa Bruno	2026
Kim Choma	2028
Alan Gross	2027

Shade Tree Commission:

Matthew DeAnna	2027
Kristine Moran	2028
Kim Moriak	2027
Gina Tomas	2027
Lynn Samsky	2029
Frank Masella	2028
John Grossi	2027

Emergency Management:

Keith C. Turner, Coordinator 3/3/2026
 Michael Jackson, Deputy 2026
 Matthew DeAnna, Deputy 2026
 Joseph Giannuzzi, Deputy 2026

Municipal Alliance Committee:

Paul N. Mirabelli	Glenn Mortimer
Justyna Zagorska-Diaz	Amy Lewis
Alanna Moriak	Janet Walling
Kim Moriak	Shaun Bendik
Matthew DeAnna	Cynthia West
Ken Ilgavizis	Jessica Stuart
Dana Guidici Pietro	

Library Board of Trustees:

Linda Paparatto	2027
Paul Nittoly	2026
Saverio Zipeto	2030
Alison Murphy	2030
Ashley Osieja	2027
Zach Jabri	2029
Jovan Siconolfi	2028

Natalie Crisafulli, Superintendent Designee
 Donald Rinaldo, Mayor's Designee

Mountainside Historical Preservation & Restoration Committee:

Scott Daniels	2026	Ruth Goense	2026
Carol Clark	2026	Jason Pastore	2026
Carol Goggi	2026	Diane Kontra	2026
John Sharkey	2026	James Toner	2026
Alice Cowell	2026	Ethel Ward	2026
Sarah Post	2026	Bob Gardella	2026
Norman Heckel – Alt.	2026	Susan Heckel – Alt.	2026
Lea Kaluzny - Alt.	2026	Joseph Kaluzny Alt.	2026

Local Ethics Board:

John Moorman	2028
Mauro Wolfe	2028
Todd Evans	2030
Vacancy	2030
John Grossi	2027
Keith Turner	2026

Americans With Disabilities Act:

Keith Turner	Glenn W. Mortimer
Vacancy	Frank Masella

Finance Committee:

Glenn W. Mortimer	Justyna Zagorska-Diaz
Paul N. Mirabelli	Martha Lopez

Resolution 6-2026

Appointment of Borough Officials:

P/T Administrator	Glenn W. Mortimer
Municipal Clerk/Registrar of Vital Statistics	Martha Lopez
Qualified Purchasing Agent/ Board of Health Secretary	
Deputy Borough Clerk/Deputy Registrar	Kiana Taveras
CFO/Tax Collector	Justyna Zagorska-Diaz
P/T Assistant Tax Collector	Debra Varnerin
Finance Assistant	Lisa Rizzo
Director of Recreation/Pool Administrator	Frank Masella
Recreation Assistant	Alanna Moriak
Recreation Secretary/Pool Bookkeeper	Karen Bandics
Municipal Judge	Frank Sahaj, Esq.
Prosecutor	James Foerst, Esq.
Assistant Prosecutor	Michael Cuellar, Esq.
Public Defender	Robert Rowbotham, Esq.
Court Administrator	Cynthia West
Deputy Court Administrator	Rayanne McMahon
P/T Violations Clerk	Jessica Einstein-Kaufman

**Tax Assessor
Police Physician**

**Jennifer Sherman
Dr. G. Schaller**

**Engineer/Certified Wastewater & Treatment Operator
P/T Secretary to DPW/Engineering/Zoning/Tax Assessor
TACO
P/T TACO
Planning Board Attorney
Planning Board Secy/Recording Secy**

**Michael Disko, Jr.
Sarah Post
Deanna Andre
Mireille Diamond
Vincent Loughlin
Kiana Taveras/Kristine Moran**

Public Works Director/Deputy OEM

Matthew DeAnna

**Public Works:
Crew Members**

**Gabriel Baumgarten
Oscar Cardona
Horacio Colella
Kyle Edgar
Wayne Jennings
Richard Neri**

Foreman

Senior Citizen Coordinator

Kim Moriak

**Construction Official/Bldg. Inspector/
Building Sub Code Official
Plumbing Sub Code Official
Electrical Sub Code Official
Fire Sub Code
Fire Prevention Official
Zoning Officer**

**Jerry Eger
Gary Junkroft
Pedro Pons
James Pisauro
Skip Paal
Robert Herbert**

Communication Officers

**Matthew Alexander
Christopher Jackson
Kara Rector
Michael Scuderi**

**Police Adm. Assistant/Payroll Clerk
P/T Police Records Clerk**

**Kristine Moran
Amy Colineri**

Resolution 7-2026
**Appointment to Designated Positions
in the Fire Department**

Chief	Ed Kweselait
Assistant Chief	Matthew Watson
Deputy 3	Matthew Pristasch
Deputy 4	Peter Esemplare
Captain 1	Ian Zaluzny
Captain 2	Antonio Famiglietti
Lieutenant 1	TJ McGowen
Lieutenant 2	Rocco Menoni

**Appointment to Designated Positions
in the Rescue Squad**

President/Delegate	Norma Huber
Vice President	Jamie Pereira
Treasurer	Sonali Shah
Secretary	Kevin Pereira
Chief	Eric D. Pastore
Deputy Chief	Chris Sileo
1st Lieutenant	Domenico DeLuca
2nd Lieutenant	Matthew Schrier
Delegate	Steven Susman
Chaplain	Marty Roden

Resolution 8-2026
Appointment of Community Development Committee Members:

Constance McNamara
Kim Moriak
Glenn W. Mortimer - Alternate
Justyna Zagorska-Diaz - Alternate

Resolution 9-2026
Appointment of School Crossing Guards:

Alan Kennedy
Betty Presser
Patricia Salvato
Janice Sileo

Resolution 10-2026
Appointment of Borough Attorney:

John N. Post, Esquire

Resolution 11-2026
Appointment of Borough Auditor/Financial Advisor:

Suplee, Clooney and Company

Resolution 12-2026
Appointment of Risk Management Agent:

Pinnacle Risk Solutions

Resolution 13-2026
Appointment of Borough Engineer:

Michael Disko Jr.

Resolution 14-2026
Appointment of Borough Labor Attorney

Resolution 15-2026
Certification to Receive Goods & Services:

Administrative & Executive:
Justyna Zagorska-Diaz
Martha Lopez
Glenn W. Mortimer

Medical & Surgical:
Justyna Zagorska-Diaz
Glenn W. Mortimer

Financial Administration:
Justyna Zagorska-Diaz
Glenn W. Mortimer

Fire:
Chief Edward Kweselait
Asst. Chief Matthew Watson

Planning Board:
Kiana Taveras

Assessment of Taxes:
Jennifer Sherman

Police:
Chief Joseph Giannuzzi
Captain Michael Jackson

First Aid:
Martha Lopez
Glenn W. Mortimer

Public Works Facilities:
Matthew DeAnna

Municipal Court:
Frank Sahaj
Cynthia West

Collector of Taxes:
Justyna Zagorska-Diaz

Rescue Squad:
Norma Huber
Eric Pastore

Legal:
Martha Lopez
Glenn W. Mortimer

Inspector of Buildings:
Jerry Eger

Street & Roads:
Matthew DeAnna

Inspector of Plumbing:
Gary Junkroft

Workmen's Compensation:
Justyna Zagorska-Diaz
Glenn W. Mortimer

Emergency Management:
Chief Joseph Giannuzzi
Matthew DeAnna

Health Insurance:
Justyna Zagorska-Diaz
Glenn W. Mortimer

Engineering:
Michael Disko Jr.

Street Lighting:
Matthew DeAnna

Sanitation:
Matthew DeAnna

Board of Health:
Martha Lopez

Library:
Tammy Shaw

Recreation/Community Pool:
Frank Masella
Alanna Moriak

Shade Tree:
Matthew DeAnna

Resolution 16-2026
Cash Management Plan

Resolution 17-2026
Designation of Official Newspapers

Westfield Leader Local Source

Resolution 18-2026
Designation of Bonding per Employee:

CFO/Tax Collector	\$2,000,000.00
Blanket Bond/Employee Handling Funds	\$2,000,000.00
Municipal Judge/Court Administrator	\$2,000,000.00

Resolution 19-2026
2026 Public Meetings

Unless otherwise advertised, all meetings shall be held at 7:30 PM, on the first and third Tuesdays of the month.

	WORK SESSION	REGULAR MEETING
January	*13	20
February	3	17
March	3	17
April	7	21
May	5	19
June	2	16
July	7	21
August	4	18
September	1	15
October	6	20
November	*5	*24
December	1	15

*Note: date change

Reorganization Meeting: Tuesday, January 5, 2027 7:00 P.M.

Resolution 20-2026
Authorizing 2026 Temporary Operating Budget

Resolution 21-2026
Replenish Petty Cash Funds

Resolution 22-2026
Appoint Class II Special Law Enforcement Officers

Resolution 23-2026
Appointment of Reverse Tax Appeal Attorney

Audience Participation

Comments of Council Members

Adjournment

WISHING YOU A SAFE, HAPPY AND HEALTHY NEW YEAR!