

MAPLE SHADE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL  
REGULAR SESSION AGENDA  
APRIL 16, 2026 – 6:30 P.M.

**LEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

**PUBLIC NOTICE** of this meeting, pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act, has been given by the Township Council in the following manner:

1. Notifying the Township Clerk December 23, 2025.
2. Posting Notice on the Municipal Website at: [mapleshade.com/publicnotices/](http://mapleshade.com/publicnotices/)
3. Posting Notice on the Official Municipal Bulletin Board on December 23, 2025.

Anyone from the public wishing to speak will be permitted to address comments to the Council during public participation portions only. Those wishing to speak should stand up to the podium, state their name and their address prior to making any comment. Each member of the Public will be given one (1) opportunity and up to five (5) minutes, unless otherwise determined by the Council, during each Public Portion to address comments to the Council. A draft agenda has been posted on the Township webpage and bulletin board in the Municipal Building.

Please place all phones on mute to alleviate the disruption of the meeting.

**ROLL CALL**

**OPEN BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING**

Reports –

Public Participation

Motion to Close:

Second:

Comments:

All in Favor:

Motion to Adjourn:

Second:

All in Favor:

**PRESENTATION – DEDICATION: JOSEPH P. DUGAN**

**PROCLAMATION – ARBOR DAY**

**PRESENTATION – 2026 BUDGET**

**ORDINANCE(S) – INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING**

**Ordinance No. 2026-07** AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MAPLE SHADE ACCEPTING A DEED OF DEDICATION FOR PSE&G FOR LAND AND IMPROVEMENTS TO BE UTILIZED AS RIGHT OF WAY ON PROPERTY IDENTIFIED AS PORTIONS OF BLOCK 189.03, LOT 5 AND LOCATED AT THE INTERSECTION OF WILLOW ROAD AND ROTARY WAY

Motion for Introduction:

Second:

Comments:

Roll Call:

Publication Date: April 20, 2026

Public Hearing: May 14, 2026

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**ORDINANCE(S) – SECOND READING AND PUBLIC HEARING**

**Ordinance No. 2026-06** A 2026 ORDINANCE TO EXCEED THE MUNICIPAL BUDGET APPROPRIATION LIMITS AND TO ESTABLISH A CAP BANK (N.J.S.A. 40A: 4-45.14)

Open to the Public

Motion to Close:	Second:	Comments:	All in Favor:
Motion to Adopt:	Second:	Comments:	Roll Call:

**Resolution No. 2026-R-75** RESOLUTION TO READ BUDGET BY TITLE ONLY  
 WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-8, as amended by L.2015, c. 95, 14, 2015, provides that the budget may be read by title only at the time of the public hearing if a resolution is passed by not less than a majority of the full governing body, providing that at least one week prior to the date of hearing, a complete copy of the budget has been made available for public inspection, and has been made available to each person upon request; and  
 WHEREAS, these two conditions have been met;  
 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the budget shall be read by title only.

Motion to Approve:	Second:	Comments:	Roll Call:
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**BUDGET PRESENTATION**

**Resolution No. 2026-R-69** APPROVE 2026 MUNICIPAL BUDGET  
 \*\*\*Open Public Hearing of the 2026 Municipal Budget - Mayor

**SUMMARY OF REVENUES**

Surplus	\$4,993,500.00
Total Miscellaneous Revenues	2,941,194.95
Receipts From Delinquent Taxes	500,000.00
a) Local Tax for Municipal Purposes	13,208,024.05
b) Addition to Local District School Tax	0.00
Total Amount to be Raised by Taxes for Support of Municipal Budget	<u>13,208,024.05</u>
Total General Revenues	\$21,642,719.00

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**SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS**

Operating Expenses: Salaries & Wages	\$8,098,040.19
Other Expenses	7,126,857.46
Deferred Charges & Other Appropriations	2,032,936.00
Capital Improvements	75,000.00
Debt Service (Including School Purpose)	3,031,196.00
Reserve for Uncollected Taxes	<u>1,278,689.35</u>
Total General Appropriations	\$21,642,719.00

Motion to Close Public Hearing:	Second:
Comments on Motion:	

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All in Favor:

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Second:

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Roll Call:

**PUBLIC PORTION for the Consent Agenda** - Members of the public wishing to speak will be permitted to address comments to the Council regarding the consent agenda. Those wishing to speak should step up to the microphone and state their name and their address prior to making any comment. Each member of the public will be given one (1) opportunity and up to five (5) minutes during this Public Portion.

Motion to Close:

Second:

All in Favor:

**Resolution No. 2026-R-76** APPOINT JAMES NEGRI AS CLASS I SPECIAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

**Resolution No. 2026-R-77** RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MAPLE SHADE AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF A FORD F350 AND CONVERSION UPFIT UNDER HGAC CO-OP IN THE AMOUNT OF \$158,521.00

**Resolution No. 2026-R-78** A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MAPLE SHADE RECOGNIZING NJ LOCAL GOVERNMENT WEEK, APRIL 12<sup>TH</sup> TO 18<sup>TH</sup>, 2026, AND ENCOURAGING ALL CITIZENS TO SUPPORT THE CELEBRATION AND CORRESPONDING ACTIVITIES.

**Resolution No. 2026-R-79** RESOLUTION TO DECLARE BLOCK 140, LOT 11.03 AS TAX EXEMPT AND TO CANCEL TAXES FROM FEBRUARY 10, 2026 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2026

**Resolution No. 2026-R-80** RESOLUTION TO DECLARE BLOCK 43, LOT 3 AS TAX EXEMPT AND TO CANCEL TAXES FROM MARCH 17, 2026 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2026

**Resolution No. 2026-R-81** RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MAPLE SHADE RESCINDING RESOLUTION 2025-R-199 AND RESOLUTION 2025-R-124 FOR HIGH PROFILE MAPLE SHADE, LLC

**Resolution No. 2026-R-82** AUTHORIZE ROAD CLOSINGS FOR MUNICIPAL EVENTS

**Resolution No. 2026-R-83** AMENDING RESOLUTION 2026-R-46 AUTHORIZING THE USE OF THE MUNICIPAL LOT, GAZEBO PARK AND TEMPORARY STREET CLOSURE FOR THE 2026 FOOD TRUCK FESTIVAL HOSTED BY MAIN STREET MAPLE SHADE, INC. TO INCLUDE A RAIN DATE

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Roll Call:

**APPROVAL OF EXPENDITURE LIST**

<b>CURRENT FUND</b>	<b>\$ 3,019,022.08</b>
<b>UTILITY FUND</b>	<b>\$ 367,205.20</b>
<b>GENERAL CAPITAL FUND</b>	<b>\$ 70,676.67</b>
<b>UTILITY CAPITAL FUND</b>	<b>\$ 41,369.51</b>
<b>TRUST FUND</b>	<b>\$ 70,463.42</b>
<b>GRANT FUND</b>	<b>\$ 24,115.64</b>

Motion to Approve:

Second:

Comments:

Roll Call:

**APPROVAL OF MARCH 2026 MINUTES**

Motion to Approve:

Second:

Comments:

Roll Call:

**PUBLIC PORTION**

Motion to Close:

Second:

All in Favor:

**STAFF AND PROFESSIONAL COMMENTS**

**OLD BUSINESS**

1. Operations
2. Police Report
3. Sustainable
4. Marketing and Social Media Consultant RFP

**NEW BUSINESS**

1. Request to Waive Local Raffle Fees for Maple Shade Youth Football Carnival
2. Enforcement Policies and Procedures

MOTION TO ADJOURN UNTIL REGULAR TOWNSHIP COUNCIL MEETING  
SCHEDULED FOR MAY 14, 2026, AT 6:30 PM

Motion:

Second:

All in Favor:

*Notice is being forwarded in accordance with The Open Public Meetings Act – 4/14/26.*