

**TOWNSHIP OF LOPATCONG
PLANNING BOARD MEETING
MINUTES
7:00 pm**

March 25, 2026

Chairman Samson called the Planning Board Meeting to order.

A Prayer was offered followed by the Oath of Allegiance.

Chairman Samson stated “Adequate notice of this meeting has been provided indicating the time and place of the meeting in accordance with Chapter 72 of the Public Laws of 2025 by advertising a Notice on the Township Website – www.lopaccongtp.com, by posting a copy on the bulletin board in the Municipal Building by direct hyperlink placed on the New Jersey Secretary of State’s portal.”

Present: Members Coyle, Caughy, George, Hardy, Lawler, Mengucci, Palitto, Weeks, Chairman Samson. Also present were Attorney Bryce and Planner Bloch and Engineer Wisniewski.

Old Business:

Minutes – Motion by Member Lawler, seconded by Member Mengucci to approve Regular Minutes of February 25, 2026. Roll call vote:

AYES: Members Coyle, Caughy, George, Hardy, Lawler, Mengucci, Palitto, Weeks, Chairman Samson.

NAYS: None

Digital Signage – Further discussion took place over the revisions to the ordinance wherein the board members were satisfied. Planner Bloch will forward the Ordinance for Council to consider. Motion by Member Lawler, seconded by Member Coyle. Roll call vote:

AYES: Members Coyle, Caughy, George, Hardy, Lawler, Mengucci, Palitto, Weeks, Chairman Samson.

NAYS: None

Data Centers – Planner Bloch prepared an ordinance regarding data centers outlining conditions regulating the use thereof to which the board reviewed and made further suggestions. Planner Bloch will revise the ordinance for next month’s meeting.

Adjournment – Motion by Member Caughey, seconded by Member Lawler to adjourn. All in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Margaret B. Dilts
Planning Board Secretary