

City of Milford



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

**Monday, May 2, 2022
7:00 P.M.**

Joseph Ronnie Rogers Council Chambers
Milford City Hall, 201 South Walnut Street, Milford, Delaware

Per the Limited Public Health Emergency Declaration issued by Governor John Carney on March 1, 2022, and the virtual meeting provisions provided in Senate Bill 94, Milford City Council Meetings and Workshops are currently being held in the Council Chambers at City Hall. Attendees may participate virtually as well.

This meeting is available for viewing by accessing the following link:

<https://zoom.us/j/96726574306>

Members of the public may also dial in by phone using the following number:

Dial 301 715 8592 Webinar ID: 967 2657 4306

ANNUAL ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Call to Order - Mayor Arthur Campbell

Invocation

Pledge of Allegiance

2022 Election Report – City Manager Mark Whitfield

Swearing in of Mayor and City Council:

William J. Walls Jr. – Former Kent County Family Court Judge:

Arthur J. Campbell Mayor

The Honorable Noel Eason Primos - Superior Court of Delaware:

Council Seats

Michael J. Boyle First Ward

Andrew P. Fulton Second Ward

Brian C. Baer Third Ward

Katrina E. Wilson Fourth Ward

Election of Vice Mayor

Reappointment of City Solicitor

Adjourn

© Designated Items only; Public Comment, up to three minutes per person will be accepted.

April 23, 2022

Mayor and City Council
City of Milford
Milford, DE 19963

Dear Honorable Mayor and Members of City Council:

As members of the City of Milford Board of Election and in accordance with 15 Del. C. §7558(d), we hereby certify the results of the April 23, 2022 Annual Election, in which one office was contested, and 119 total votes were tabulated, to be as follows:

<u>Total Votes Cast for Ward One Council Seat:</u>	<u>119</u>
Mike J. Boyle	<u>99</u>
Linda M. Bretzer	<u>20</u>

A certification meeting of the Board of Elections was held at the Public Works Facility, on April 23, 2022, with all members present, beginning at 6:15 p.m. and concluding at 6:22 p.m.

Hence, Mike J. Boyle, has been officially declared the winner of his respective race and will be sworn in at the Annual Organizational Meeting at Milford City Hall on Monday, May 2, 2022 beginning at 7:00 pm.

There being only one candidate for each Office of Mayor and Councilpersons in Ward Two, Ward Three and Ward Four, the Election Board of the City of Milford hereby declares the following candidates elected for a two-year term also beginning May 2, 2022:

Arthur J. Campbell – Mayor
Andrew P. Fulton – Ward Two
Brian C. Baer –Ward Three
Katrina E. J. Wilson - Ward Four

These candidates are entitled to assume office without a formal election pursuant to 15 Del. C. §7555(j).

Arthur J. Campbel will be sworn in as Mayor by Former Kent County Family Court Judge William J. Walls Jr. All four Council officials will be sworn in by the Honorable Noel Eason Primos, who was appointed to the Superior Court of the State of Delaware by Governor John C. Carney Jr. on June 1, 2017.

Respectfully submitted,
City of Milford Board of Elections

s/Karen F. Boone

s/Carlene Wilson

s/Donna Merchant

CITY OF MILFORD ELECTION REPORT

April 23, 2022 Election

The Board of Election, appointed by City Council as required by the Charter of the City of Milford, has convened to determine the results of the election in order to certify the names of the winning candidates in the 2022 City of Milford Annual Election.

An election for the First Ward Council seat was held at the City Public Works Facility at 180 Vickers Drive, Milford, on Saturday, April 23, 2022, from 10:00 am to 6:00 pm. A total of 119 votes were recorded with Michael J. Boyle receiving 99 votes and Linda M. Bretzer receiving 20 votes.

In the Contested Ward One Councilperson race, the Certification Letter verifies that Michael J. Boyle emerged as the winner over opponent Linda M. Bretzer. As a result, Michael J. Boyle will be officially sworn into office this date, the 2nd day of May 2022.

Given Incumbents:

2nd Ward Councilperson Andrew P. Fulton

3rd Ward Councilperson Brian C. Baer

and

4th Ward Councilperson Katrina E. Wilson

each ran unopposed, an Election for those Offices was not required.

For additional information, please see the certification letter from Board of Election Members Inspector Karen Boone, Carlene Wilson and Donna Merchant causing the results to be official.

Submitted by:



Teresa K. Hudson, MMC
City Clerk