

**BOARD OF ALDERMEN  
ORDINANCE COMMITTEE SPECIAL MEETING  
and PUBLIC HEARING  
JANUARY 3, 2022**

The Ordinance Committee of the Board of Aldermen held meeting and public hearing on Monday, January 3, 2022. Chairman Parente called the meeting to order at 7:11 p.m.

**MEMBERS PRESENT**

M. Parente, Chairman  
A. Giannattasio  
G. Harla  
R. Pacelli  
R. Vitali

**ALSO PRESENT**

Mayor Ben Blake  
J. Berchem, City Attorney

Chairman Parente announced the Committee would consider An Ordinance Amending Chapter 9 Garbage, Trash and Refuse, Article II Collection, Section 9-14 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Milford (Rules and Regulations Generally) published in the New Haven Register on Wednesday, December 29, 2021.

1. An Ordinance Amending Chapter 9 Garbage, Trash and Refuse, Article II Collection, Section 9-14 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Milford (Rules and Regulations Generally).

Ald. Giannattasio and Ald. Pacelli made and seconded a motion to waive the reading of the full ordinance. Motion carried unanimously.

Chairman Parente opened the public hearing at 7:12 p.m.

**Speakers in Favor**

Rick Rizza, 35 Spicebush Lane, spoke in favor of the ordinance. He stated he is speaking on behalf of Baldwin Station and that today's costs are 50% higher than what the rebate provides. He stated the current proposal with cover approximately 70% of the actual costs. Mr. Rizza thanked the Board for considering the amendment as respectfully requested approval.

Harry Garafalo, 39 Spicebush Lane, read from a prepared statement in favor of the proposed ordinance amendment.

**Speakers Opposed – None.**

Chairman Parente closed the public hearing at 7:15 p.m.

Ald. Pacelli and Ald. Giannattasio made and seconded a motion to forward to the full Board of Aldermen with a favorable recommendation An Ordinance Amending Chapter 9 Garbage, Trash and Refuse, Article II Collection, Section 9-14 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Milford (Rules and Regulations Generally).

Ald. Giannattasio wished all a happy new year and thanked the committee for considering this proposed amendment. He stated the amendment will help seniors and would like to see the amendment forwarded to the full Board with a favorable recommendation.

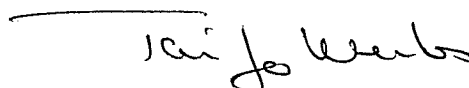
Ald. Pacelli stated he will recuse himself from voting as he represents some of the elderly communities that may be subject to the amendment.

Motion carried unanimously.

There being no additional business, Ald. Giannattasio and Ald. Harla made and seconded a motion to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.

The Committee adjourned at 7:18 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Toni Jo Weeks", written over a horizontal line.

Toni Jo Weeks  
Recording Secretary