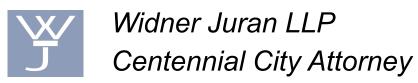
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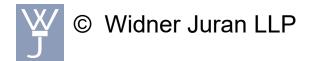






# Public Meetings Demonstrate:

Effective Representation by
Our Elected Officials
or
Waste of Tax Money by
Dysfunctional Members and
Meetings

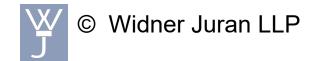


# Why Do We Care About Meetings?

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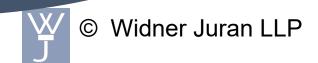
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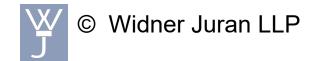
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## The Mayor's Role in Meetings?

Chairperson
Responsibility
Obligations & Duties
Power
Fault







# Avoid Ego Driven Leadership

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THERE IS NO YOU

there is only me

DISCRESS HAVE COME

## It's Not About You.





#### Be the Most Prepared



## Roadmap the Process

(Not the Outcome)



#### Lead the Respect



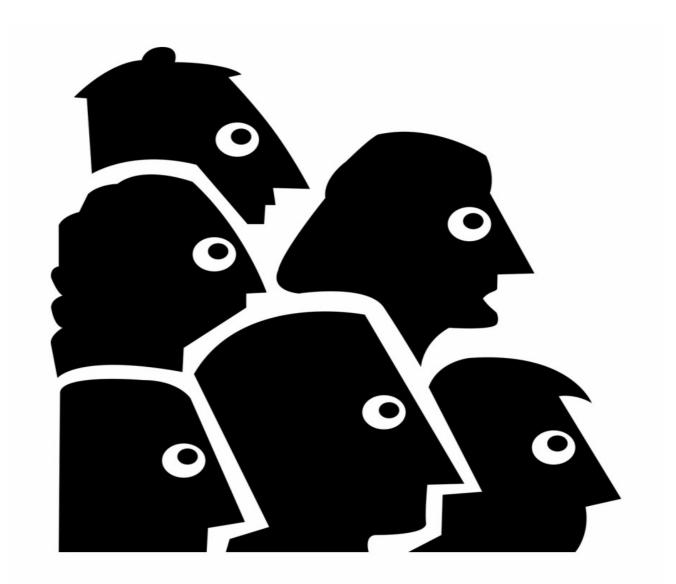
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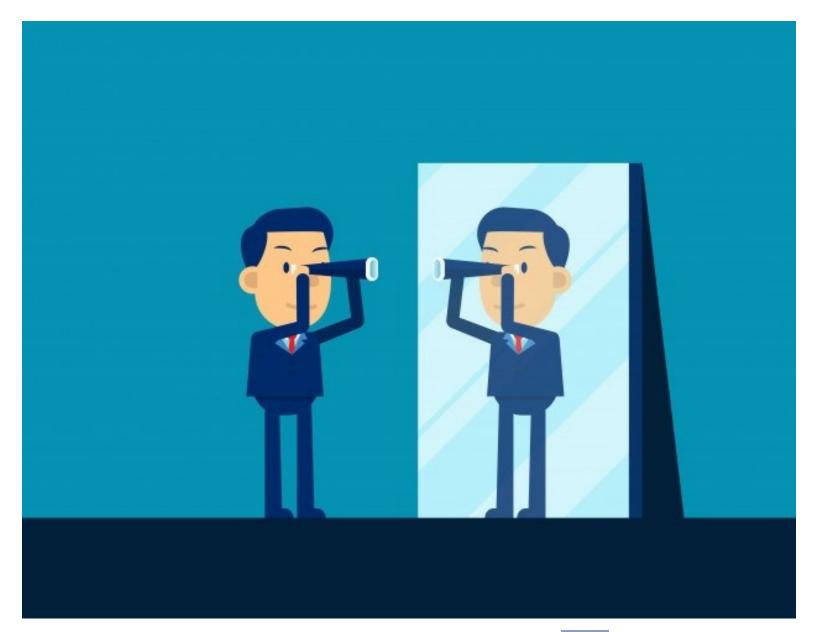


#### Make the Record



### Watch your "Language"







# Recognize the Value of Rules

## Questions?