

REGULAR MEETING MAY 26, 2015

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7:00 P.M.**

Mayor Brown called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. read the following statement and led the flag salute. Mayor Brown requested everyone remain standing for a Moment Silence for Logan DeAngelis.

NOTICE OF THIS MEETING WAS GIVEN BY ANNUAL NOTICE PUBLISHED IN THE ATLANTIC CITY PRESS, HAMMONTON GAZETTE, EGG HARBOR AND HAMMONTON NEWS ON JANUARY 7, 2015, AND POSTED AT TOWN HALL.

Roll Call:

Committee Present: Anthony Gabris, Barbara Rheault, Larry Riffle, Chris Silva, Mayor Brown

Municipal Clerk: Kimberly Johnson

Solicitor: Tracy Siebold

Approval of Committee Minutes: Mayor entertained a motion to approve the minutes of the May 12, 2015 Meeting; so moved by Mr. Riffle seconded by Ms. Rheault. RCV: Yeas: Mr. Gabris, Ms. Rheault, Mr. Riffle, Mayor Brown. Abstain: Mr. Silva.

Public Discussion Relating to Agenda Items: None.

Committee Reports:

Public Works: Ms. Rheault reported the following: Transfer Station will be closed Friday, July 3rd for Independence Day. There will be a Rain Barrel Workshop May 31st from 1pm – 4 pm at the Batsto Village Visitors Center 4110 Nesco Road Hammonton, learn the benefits of rain barrels. Construct and bring home your own rain barrel! Wear comfortable clothes and shoes. \$20 registration cost for materials. For more details or to register contact Jessica Blanchard, the Mullica River Watershed Ambassador at watershed@marine.rutgers.edu. Ms. Rheault stated we are 30 points away from re-certification of Sustainable Mullica and made a motion to have the Municipal Clerk send a letter stating the Governing Body supports the reaffirmation of the efforts of Sustainable Mullica, who is currently at bronze level, seconded by Mr. Silva. RCV: Yeas: All voted yes. Ms. Rheault invited the Governing Body to attend the NASA STEM Challenge this Thursday 1:30 pm at school, who will participate in a virtual showcase with NASA.

Department of Development & Housing: Mr. Silva reported the following: For the month of April the Construction Department issued 20 new permits and 2 updates which included a detached garage, pole barn, roof solar, decks, and demolition of a single family dwelling and a garage. The remaining new permits were for alterations. The Construction Office collected \$4,187.00 in fees of which \$232.00 is remitted to the State. The Zoning Department issued 6 Zoning Permits, 3 Maintenance Certificates and collected \$775.00. Reminder the Environmental Commission Meeting will be held June 29, 2015 at 7:30 p.m. in the Municipal Court Room.

Department of Administration: Mr. Gabris reported the following: Annual Community Day is scheduled for Saturday June 6th from 10 am – 2 pm. Organization, vendors and individuals are all welcome to join in the fun. Pancake Breakfast at Pinelands United Methodist Church, June 6th from 7 a.m. – 11 a.m. Eat-In or Take-Out, \$6.00 for Adults \$4.00 for children ages 3-12. Saturday, June 20th, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., Pinelands United Methodist Church at Nesco Yard Sale, \$10.00 per space. To reserve a table please call Wilma (609) 561-3483 or Eileen (609) 561-0579. Rain Date: June 27th.

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Department of Revenue & Finance: Mayor Brown reported the County has granted the municipality a year extension for completion of the revaluation.

Correspondence:

Atlantic County will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, June 10, 2pm, Martin Bloom Pavilion in Margate to inform the public of the proposed use of funds for 2016 Senior Citizens and Disable Resident Transportation Assistance Program Grant.

Pine Barrens Adventure Camp will pass through Mullica on June 13th and 14th.

Request from resident Linda Rodriguez for refund of \$25.00 tow release due to error of NJMVC. Committee agreed our Police Department acted in good faith and suggested Ms. Rodriguez contact NJMVC.

Old Business: None.

New Business:

Resolution 80-2015 / Consent to TWA Application / Mullica Woods: Mayor Brown explained this is for Mullica to Woods to make application to NJDEP to address their septic issues. Mr. Silva moved to approve seconded by Mr. Riffle. RCV: Yeas: Mr. Gabris, Ms. Rheault, Mr. Riffle, Mr. Silva, Mayor Brown.

Approve RFP/ EMS Services: Mayor entertained a motion to approve; so moved by Mr. Silva seconded by Ms. Rheault. RCV: Yeas: All voted yes.

Appoint Chief of Fire Affairs: Mayor entertained a motion to appoint Jerry Critelli; so moved by Mr. Gabris seconded by Mr. Riffle. RCV: Yeas: Mr. Gabris, Ms. Rheault, Mr. Riffle, Mr. Silva, Mayor Brown.

Payment of Bills: Mayor entertained a motion to approve the Bill List #1 and#2; so moved by Ms. Rheault seconded by Mr. Silva. RCV: Yeas: Mr. Gabris, Ms. Rheault, Mr. Riffle, Mr. Silva, Mayor Brown.

Public Discussion:

Mr. Francis Paulsgraf noted in the Press this week Elwood Volunteer Fire Company was noted to have unclaimed funding. Clerk to notify Department.

Mayor Brown entertained a motion to enter Executive Session; so moved by Mr. Silva seconded by Ms. Rheault. RCV: Yeas: All voted yes. Clerk read the Resolution #8-2015 in full to report on a matter of personnel, police promotions, to discuss the ejection of persons in wrongful possession of municipal property, and to review Executive Session Minutes.

Ms. Rheault moved to reconvene Regular Session at 8:00 pm seconded by Mr. Riffle. RCV: Yeas: All voted yes.

Clerk reported in Executive Session the Governing Body discussed two matters of personnel, police department promotions, and were updated on the ejection of persons in wrongful possession of municipal property. Mr. Silva so moved to make promotions to Sergeant and Corporal as recommended by Chief Thomson seconded by

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Mr. Gabris. RCV: Yeas: All voted yes. Ms. Rheault moved to adjourn seconded by Mr. Silva. RCV: Yeas: All voted yes.

Respectfully submitted,

Kimberly Johnson, Municipal Clerk

BILL LIST

John H. Abbott	64.00	Split Rails
Forman's Auto Body	3,810.57	Dodge Charger Repairs
George Senn Co., Inc.	79.96	Supplies PW
Grainger Industrial Supply	652.20	Trash Bags/Vests
Goldberg, Mackler, Sayegh	179.60	In Personam Services
AE Stone	544.50	Patch
Civil Solutions, A Dvision	4,200.00	Tax Map Updates thru 4/12/15
The Hammonton Gazette	113.46	Landsale Publication 5801/8
Nehmad Perillo & Davis	150.00	March Services
Verizon Wireless	200.09	May Services
Sprint Solutions, Inc.	343.36	May Services
Ancero	1,015.00	May-December AMS-P Svc./ PD Laptop Issue
Eagle Point Gun	3,058.15	Ammunition
Pitney Bowes	125.98	Ink Cartridge
Power DMS Suite	1,660.98	Renewal 6/15-6/14/16
Unitedhealthcare Ins. Co.	759.24	June Premium
The Daily Journal	875.48	Tax Sale Notice
The Press	52.02	Labor Counsel RFP / Bond Ordinance Summary
Petroleum Traders	4,584.55	April-December Purchases
Marathon Engineering Inc.	100.00	Street Opening - SJ Gas Escrow
Atlantic County Utilities Auth.	16,395.78	April Services
Comcast	305.67	May Services
Comcast Business	402.18	May Services
NJ Division of Pensions	25.92	April DCRP Contribution
Corelogic Real Estate Tax Serv.	3,400.10	Tax Refund Res 79-2015
Nesco Volunteer Fire Co.	14,750.00	2015 Contribution
City of Egg Harbor	600.00	Shred Event 50%

Current Fund4-01 4,200.00
 Current Fund5-01 53,464.33
 Trust Fund T-03 813.46
 Total of All Funds 58,477.79

BILL LIST

Atlantic City Electric	1,267.72	May Services
Direct Energy	1,106.60	May Services
South Jersey Gas Company	168.62	May Services
Avaya, Inc.	250.09	May-December Lease Installment
Ford Motor Credit Company	13,203.40	2014 Lease Installment
Cappuccio, Bertha	70.40	Conference Expense

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Petty Cash		Reimburse Petty Cash
Current Fund5-01	16,162.76	
Total of All Funds	16,162.76	234