

The November 22, 2016 meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Pequannock, Morris County, New Jersey was called to order at 6:00 p.m. in the Municipal Building Meeting Room located at 530 Newark-Pompton Turnpike; Mayor David Kohle presiding.

Deputy Township Clerk Michele M. Levine read the following statement for inclusion in the meeting minutes:

"In accordance with the requirements of New Jersey's Open Public Meetings Act, notice of this meeting was included in the Annual Meeting Notice which was filed in the Office of the Township Clerk; posted on the Bulletin Board in the Municipal Building; published as legal notice in the Suburban Trends newspaper; and distributed to all persons requesting notice in accordance with Township policy."

Mayor Kohle led the Pledge of Allegiance, which was followed by a prayer and a moment of thanks for those individuals serving our nation.

Present:

Mayor David Kohle
Deputy Mayor Jay Vanderhoff
Councilwoman Melissa Florance-Lynch
Councilman Richard Phelan
Councilwoman Catherine Winterfield

Absent: David Hollberg, Township Manager

Also Attending:

Robert Oostdyk, Esq., Township Attorney
Christopher Tietjen, Asst. to the Twp. Manager
Carol J. Marsh, Township Clerk
Michele M. Levine, Deputy Township Clerk

There were 4 members of the public in attendance.

PRESENTATIONS.

- Sister Marie Antonelli was presented with a Proclamation recognizing Holy Spirit School's 60th Anniversary.

REPORTS FROM VOLUNTEERS. There were no reports from volunteers.

PUBLIC COMMENT. There were no public comments.

PUBLIC HEARINGS.

PUBLIC HEARING - Ordinance No. 2016-16, AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 152 ENTITLED "SEWERS" OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF PEQUANNOCK AND REVISING THE SEWER RENTAL FEES AND RATES

There were no public comments.

On a motion by Mr. Phelan, seconded by Mr. Vanderhoff, the Public Hearing was closed without objection.

On a motion by Mr. Phelan, seconded by Ms. Florance-Lynch, the ordinance was adopted by the following vote:

For: Mrs. Florance-Lynch, Mr. Phelan, Mr. Vanderhoff, Ms. Winterfield, Mayor Kohle.
Against: None. Abstain: None. Absent: None.

PUBLIC HEARING - Ordinance N. 2016-17, AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SUBSECTION 3.19.020 OF THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF PEQUANNOCK ENTITLED "COMPOSITION OF POLICE OFFICERS"

There were no public comments.

- Stated she will discuss the following at the next meeting: resident complaints regarding leaf pick up, Fair Housing updates, status of the Skate Park and Martin Berry House. Mr. Oostdyk stated they hope to close on the Martin Berry House by the end of the year.

Mayor Kohle:

- No report.

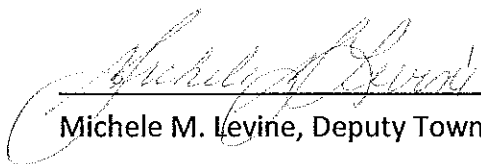
PUBLIC COMMENT. There were no public comments.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES. There were no minutes presented for approval.

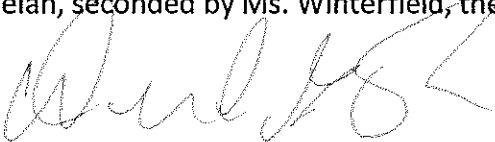
EXECUTIVE (CLOSED) SESSION. There was no Executive Session.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business, on a motion by Mr. Phelan, seconded by Ms. Winterfield, the meeting was adjourned at 6:19 p.m. without objection.



Michele M. Levine, Deputy Township Clerk



David G. Kohle, Mayor