

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Township Council of the Township of East Hanover held on Monday, June 1, 2015 at 7:00 P.M. in the Municipal Building, 411 Ridgedale Avenue, East Hanover, New Jersey.

The Mayor called the meeting to order.

Present: Councilmembers Peluso, Jandoli, DeMaio, Council President Martorelli, and Mayor Pannullo

Also Present: Joseph Tempesta, Jr., Administrator  
Matthew O'Donnell, Township Attorney  
Felicia A. McDonald, Deputy Township Clerk

The Mayor led the Pledge of Allegiance and Councilwoman Jandoli gave the Invocation.

The Mayor read the Public Announcement in which he stated that the meeting had been advertised, the press notified, and the notice posted on the bulletin board in the Municipal Building.

Adoption of Minutes: **May 4, 2015**

Motion by Councilman DeMaio, seconded by Council President Martorelli to adopt the said minutes.

Ayes: Councilmembers Peluso, Jandoli, DeMaio, Council President Martorelli, and Mayor Pannullo

**PROCLAMATION:**

- **Office of Emergency Management CERT Member Vincent Bove, Sr.**

Mayor Pannullo presented a proclamation to Vincent Bove, Sr., a member of the Community Emergency Response Team (CERT), for his quick emergency actions to aid and assist at a three-car motor vehicle accident that occurred near his place of business on Route 10.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

None

**PUBLIC INPUT:**

Marina Paulus, 40 Troy Road, voiced safety concerns for children that have to walk a portion of Troy Road from Ridgedale Avenue to the bridge for the school bus stop. Because of no sidewalks and the heavy traffic on Troy Road, especially during the morning and afternoon hours of the bus stops, she said that this was a very hazardous situation. Ms. Paulus suggested speed bumps or lines drawn on the road that would create access for pedestrians to walk on that

portion of Troy Road. She also felt that it would be much safer if the school bus stopped at her house rather than at the end of the street.

The Mayor was not opposed to the suggestion of having the school bus stop in front of Ms. Paulus' house and was willing to assist her in contacting the Board of Education Transportation. Mayor Pannullo also indicated that the Township was hoping to receive a grant for the repaving of Troy Road and possibly, the installation of sidewalks.

Motion by Councilman DeMaio, seconded by Council President Martorelli to close public input.

Ayes: Councilmembers Peluso, Jandoli, DeMaio, Council President Martorelli, and Mayor Pannullo

### **COUNCIL INPUT:**

Councilman Peluso reminded residents that schools would be dismissed for summer vacation and urged everyone to drive safely. He also wished all the Dads a Happy Father's Day.

Councilwoman Jandoli thanked the Superintendents of Recreation and Department of Public Works for organizing a successful Memorial Day Parade. She suggested that future parades be videotaped for viewing on the Township website. Councilwoman Jandoli informed of a young lady in Middle School for her exemplary efforts in sponsoring a child with cancer and would like to recognize her at the next meeting.

Councilman DeMaio praised CERT member Vincent Bove, Sr. for his invaluable assistance to Fire Chief Davino and the Emergency Medical Team. He commented on the establishment of the Community Emergency Response Team program since 2009. Councilman DeMaio announced that the annual Hemophiliac Walk would be held at Lurker Park on Sunday, June 7<sup>th</sup> for Township resident Nicholas Cirelli.

Council President Martorelli announced that residents should have a plan and be prepared for the upcoming hurricane season.

Mayor Pannullo encouraged residents to visit the Memorial Day dedication of *The Fallen Warrior Monument* at Town Square Park. He thanked veteran Dick Loehwing, along with Eagle Scout Michael Vitiello, for construction of the monument. Lastly, he congratulated the women of the East Hanover Garden Club on their 79<sup>th</sup> anniversary and thanked them for all their beautification efforts in the community through the years.

### **CONSENT AGENDA:**

Matters listed within the Consent Agenda have been referred to members of the Township Council for reading and study, are considered to be routine, and will be enacted by one motion of the Township Council with no separate discussion. If separate discussion is desired, the item

may be removed from the Consent Agenda by Council action and placed on the regular agenda under new business.

- 92a -2015- Resolution Re: RL:1857/HSA Wilson School
- 92b- 2015- Resolution Re: RL:1858/HSA Wilson School
- 92c- 2015- Resolution Re: RL:1859/Westbridge Academy Inc.
- 92d- 2015- Resolution Re: RL:1860/Westbridge Academy Inc.
- 92e- 2015- Resolution Re: RL:1861/Westbridge Academy Inc.
- 92f- 2015- Resolution Re: RL:1862/Westbridge Academy Inc.
- 93 - 2015- Resolution Re: Refund for Overpayment of Taxes
- 94 - 2015- Resolution Re: Acquisition of Public Works Dump Truck Under NJ Cooperative Purchasing Program
- 95 - 2015- Resolution Re: Insertion of Special Item of Revenue in 2015 Budget ~ Clean Communities Program
- 96 - 2015- Resolution Re: Insertion of Special Item of Revenue in 2015 Budget ~ Office of Emergency Management
- 97- 2015- Resolution Re: Submission of 2015 EH Municipal Alliance Grant to Governor's Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse
- 98- 2015- Resolution Re: Participation in Program for Procurement of Federal Surplus Property from the Department of Defense for Police Department

Motion by Council President Martorelli, seconded by Councilman DeMaio to adopt the aforementioned resolutions.

Ayes: Councilmembers Peluso, Jandoli, DeMaio, Council President Martorelli, and Mayor Pannullo

**COMMUNICATIONS & DISCUSSION ITEMS:**

- Communication: Land Use Planning Board Attorney Re: Police Enforcement of “Right Turn Only ” Exit from TGI Friday’s

The Mayor and Council were in agreement to introduce an ordinance at the next meeting to enforce the “Right Turn Only” at the exit from TGI Friday’s.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

None

**Resolution Re: Closed Session**

No closed session was held.

**PAYMENT OF BILLS:**

Motion by Council President Martorelli, seconded by Councilman Peluso to pay bills included in the attached claim list submitted by the Chief Finance Officer.

Ayes: Councilmembers Peluso, Jandoli, DeMaio, Council President Martorelli, and Mayor Pannullo

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Motion by Councilman DeMaio, seconded by Council President Martorelli to adjourn meeting.

Ayes: Councilmembers Peluso, Jandoli, DeMaio, Council President Martorelli, and Mayor Pannullo

The meeting adjourned at 7:30 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

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Felicia A. McDonald  
Deputy Township Clerk

**Minutes Adopted: July 6, 2015**