

**MINUTES
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
TOWNSHIP OF MONROE
APRIL 28, 2014**

A.) OPENING CEREMONIES

CALL TO ORDER

The Regular Council Meeting of the Township of Monroe was called to order at approximately 8:09 PM by **Cncl. Pres., Ronald Garbowski** in the Court Room of the Municipal Complex located at 125 Virginia Avenue, Williamstown, New Jersey.

This meeting was advertised pursuant to the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act (*NJSA 10:4-6 thru 10:4-21*). Notices were placed in the official publications for Monroe Township (i.e.: South Jersey Times, the Courier Post and the Sentinel of Gloucester County). A copy of that notice is posted on the bulletin board at the Municipal Complex.

Cncl. Pres., Garbowski stated the Clerk has placed a sign-in sheet at the rear of the Court Room. If anyone would like to address Council during the Public Portion, please sign in and you will be asked to come forward to the microphone. Kindly state your name for the record.

SALUTE TO FLAG - INVOCATION

Cncl. Bryson led the assembly in the Pledge of Allegiance to Our Flag and **Sister Rita Di Favlia, Pastoral Assistant at St. Mary's Church/Our Lady of Peace Parish** offered the Invocation.

ROLL CALL OF TOWNSHIP OFFICIALS

Cncl. Walter Bryson	Present	
Cncl. Frank Caligiuri	Present	
Cncl. Marvin Dilks	Present	
Cncl. Rich DiLucia	Present	
Cncl. William Sebastian	Present	
Cncl. Daniel Teefy	Present	
Cncl. Pres., Ronald Garbowski	Present	
Mayor Michael Gabbianelli	Present	
Solicitor, Charles Fiore	Present	
Business Adm., Kevin Heydel	Present	
Engineer, Dave Cella	Present	
Dir. Finance, Jeff Coles		Excused
Dir. Of Code Enforcement, George Reitz		Excused
Dir. Of Public Safety, Jim Smart		Excused
Dir. Of Public Works, Bob Avis	Present	
Township Clerk, Susan McCormick	Present	

PRESENTATION

• **Eagle Scout Recognition**

Mayor Gabbianelli and Cncl. Pres., Garbowski presented a Certificate of Recognition to **William J. May of Boy Scout Troop # 234** in recognition of obtaining the rank of Eagle Scout.

• **Certificates of Recognition - Library Art Work**

Mayor Gabbianelli and Cncl. Pres., Garbowski presented Certificates of Recognition to **Brook Primo, Angelina D'Ontona, Emily D'Ontona and Kayla Diaz** for creating canvas paintings to enhance the children and teen areas in the Monroe Township Public Library. A Certificate of Recognition was also presented to **Williamstown High School Art Teacher, Lisa Weis** for guiding the Williamstown High School art students during the summer of 2013 in creating canvas paintings for the children and teen areas and for designing the mural the art class completed over the entrance of the Monroe Township Public Library.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Cncl. Bryson made a motion to approve the minutes as submitted of the Council Work Session and Regular Council Meeting of April 14, 2014. The motion was seconded by **Cncl. Dilks** and unanimously approved by all members of Council.

B.) CORRESPONDENCE

- **Carnival Permit - St. Mary's Church/Our Lady of Peace Parish**
June 23, 2014 - June 28, 2014

Cncl. DiLucia made a motion to approve the Carnival Permit for St. Mary's Church/Our Lady of Peace Parish. The motion was seconded by **Cncl. Sebastian** and unanimously approved by all members of Council.

C.) RESOLUTIONS SCHEDULED - PUBLIC PORTION

Cncl. Dilks made a motion to open the Resolutions Scheduled-Public Portion. The motion was seconded by **Cncl. DiLucia** and unanimously approved by all members of Council. With no one wishing to speak **Cncl. Caligiuri** made a motion to close the Resolutions Scheduled - Public Portion. The motion was seconded by **Cncl. Bryson** and unanimously approved by all members of Council.

R:88-2014 Resolution Canceling Grant Receivable And Appropriation 2013 JIF Safety Incentive Program Grant

Cncl. DiLucia made a motion to approve Resolution R:88-2014. The motion was seconded by **Cncl. Dilks** and unanimously approved by all members of Council.

R:89-2014 Resolution Awarding A Contract For Professional Services To Adams, Rehmann & Heggan Associates, Inc. For Final Design, Preparing Bid Documents And Construction Management Services Associated With The Township Of Monroe, County Of Gloucester, State of New Jersey

Cncl. Dilks made a motion to approve Resolution R:89-2014. The motion was seconded by **Cncl. Sebastian** and unanimously approved by all members of Council.

R:90-2014 Resolution Adjusting Township Of Monroe Tax Records

Cncl. Bryson made a motion to approve Resolution R:90-2014. The motion was seconded by **Cncl. DiLucia** and unanimously approved by all members of Council.

R:91-2014 Resolution Of The Township Council Of The Township Of Monroe, County Of Gloucester, State Of New Jersey Raising Awareness Of Fibrodysplasia Ossificans Progressiva

Cncl. Bryson made a motion to approve Resolution R:91-2014. The motion was seconded by **Cncl. Sebastian** and unanimously approved by all members of Council.

R:92-2014 Resolution Of The Township Council Of The Township Of Monroe Authorizing Mayor To Execute A Bus Purchase Agreement Between The County Of Gloucester And Monroe Township

Cncl. Caligiuri made a motion to approve Resolution R:92-2014. The motion was seconded by **Cncl. Dilks** and unanimously approved by all members of Council.

R:93-2014 Resolution Of The Township Council Of The Township Of Monroe Authorizing The Reduction Of An Irrevocable Standby Letter Of Credit For Cross Keys Pavilion (Apartment Improvements), Site Plan # SP-444, Block 101, Lot 3

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C.) RESOLUTIONS SCHEDULED - PUBLIC PORTION (cont'd)

Cncl. Teefy made a motion to approve Resolution R:93-2014. The motion was seconded by Cncl. Sebastian and unanimously approved by all members of Council.

R:94-2014 Resolution Of The Township Council Of The Township Of Monroe Authorizing Mayor To Execute Recreation & Open Space Inventory Prepared By The Township Engineer

Cncl. DiLucia made a motion to approve Resolution R:94-2014. The motion was seconded by Cncl. Bryson and unanimously approved by all members of Council.

D.) ORDINANCES

Cncl. Pres., Garbowski turned this portion of the meeting over to **Ordinance Committee Chairman, Cncl. Sebastian**. Cncl. Pres., Garbowski made a motion to open the Public Hearing for Ordinances O:08-2014, O:09-2014 and O:10-2014. The motion was seconded by Cncl. Caligiuri and unanimously approved by all members of Council. With no one wishing to speak Cncl. Dilks made a motion to close the Public Hearing. The motion was seconded by Cncl. Teefy and unanimously approved by all members of Council.

O:08-2014 Bond Ordinance Authorizing The Acquisition Of Various Pieces Of Equipment And Completion Of Various Capital Improvements In And For The Township Of Monroe, County Of Gloucester, New Jersey; Appropriating The Sum Of \$755,000 Therefor; Authorizing The Issuance Of General Obligation Bonds Or Bond Anticipation Notes Of The Township Of Monroe, County Of Gloucester, New Jersey, In The Aggregate Principal Amount Of Up To \$717,250; Making Certain Determinations And Covenants; And Authorizing Certain Related Actions In Connection With The Foregoing

Second Reading: The above ordinance was published in an official publication for the Township of Monroe. This portion was opened to the public.

Cncl. Pres., Garbowski made a motion to approve Ordinance O:08-2014 for Second Reading and Public Hearing. The motion was seconded by Cncl. Dilks.

ROLL CALL VOTE TO APPROVE ORDINANCE O:08-2014 - ALL AYES

Tally: 7 Ayes, 0 Nays, 0 Abstain, 0 Absent. Ordinance O:08-2014 was duly approved for Second Reading and Public Hearing.

O:09-2014 An Ordinance Of The Township Council Of The Township Of Monroe To Amend Chapter 252 Of The Code Of The Township Of Monroe, Entitled "Taxation"

Second Reading: The above ordinance was published in an official publication for the Township of Monroe. This portion was opened to the public.

Cncl. Pres., Garbowski made a motion to approve Ordinance O:09-2014 for Second Reading and Public Hearing. The motion was seconded by Cncl. DiLucia.

ROLL CALL VOTE TO APPROVE ORDINANCE O:09-2014 - ALL AYES

Tally: 7 Ayes, 0 Nays, 0 Abstain, 0 Absent. Ordinance O:09-2014 was duly approved for Second Reading and Public Hearing.

O:10-2014 An Ordinance Of The Township Council Of The Township Of Monroe To Amend Chapter 272 Of The Code Of The Township Of Monroe, Entitled "Water"

Second Reading: The above ordinance was published in an official publication for the Township of Monroe. This portion was opened to the public.

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D.) ORDINANCES (cont'd)

Cncl. Pres., Garbowski made a motion to approve Ordinance O:10-2014 for Second Reading and Public Hearing. The motion was seconded by Cncl. Dilks.

ROLL CALL VOTE TO APPROVE ORDINANCE O:10-2014 - 6 AYES, 1 ABSTAIN (Bryson)

Tally: 6 Ayes, 0 Nays, 1 Abstain, 0 Absent. Ordinance O:10-2014 was duly approved for Second Reading and Public Hearing.

E.) REPORTS AND OTHER MATTERS

Cncl. Bryson reported the Historical Society is hosting a British Car Show on Saturday, May 17, 2014 at the Ireland Hofer House from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM. This event will include an English tea garden, music, people in historical dress and the Ireland Hofer House will be open for visitors. He also reported the township is hosting the annual Memorial Day Parade on Monday, May 26th and he urged everyone to remember all those that gave their lives for this County. Cncl. Bryson spoke of reading an article about Florida adopting laws that would criminalize homeless people leaving their goods on public property and expressed his concerns that the government is trying to penalize people already down and out. Some homeless people are even hiding in the woods of Southern South Carolina and Savanna Georgia. He spoke of a report in Money News called the USA Rising Star of Global Manufacturing that said the cost to do business in China is rising because the Chinese government wants it to. Countries ranked as a good place for businesses to settle is China first, the United States second, South Korea is third, the United Kingdom is fourth, Japan is fifth, the Netherlands is sixth, Germany is seventh, Italy is eighth, Belgium is ninth and France is tenth. Mexico and Brazil are not classified in this report because those countries are not stable, they have a lot of crime and the governments are dishonest. This report shows the United States now has the opportunity both at the federal and local government levels to attract companies here. In New Jersey we have great colleges that produce professionals but what we need are trade/technical schools to train for manufacturing positions for such companies as Foxconn Technology that builds Dell and Apple products. Foxconn is planning on moving their operations from China to the United States and one plant will come to New Jersey so we need to train not only children but unemployed people who need new job skills. The Federal Government on both sides of the aisle don't care about the middle class and now the most prosperous middle class in the world is in Canada where opportunity abounds and jobs are prevalent. Canada works with its corporations and workers and that's what the United States needs to get back to and as we move forward hopefully that is what we will see.

Cncl. Caligiuri reported attending the Open Space Advisory Committee Meeting on April 7th and noted the Open Space Inventory was discussed. Cncl. Caligiuri thanked the firm of Adams, Rehmann and Heggan for providing him with updated Open Space maps, which he will be distributing during the next Committee meeting. He also reported attending the Planning Board Meeting on April 10th. Before the Board is one major proposal of 192 houses on Whitehall Road, which was previously zoned as an Active Adult Community. The State changed the restriction for adult communities so a developer was able to secure that property for single family homes. The Board negotiated a reduction in the number of homes but did not approve that project and it is currently on hold. He reported attending the Public Safety Committee Meeting on Monday, April 14th and deferred to the committee chairman to report on that meeting. On April 26th he attended the Planning Board Meeting. The Board approved the subdivision of a lot along Main Street. On Saturday April 26th he served as a volunteer to assist judges at the Rutgers 4H Dog Show. He urged residents with children to join the 4H, as it is a remarkable organization that does a lot for children. Cncl. Caligiuri spoke of drinking water and sewer services in remote areas. He explained his qualifications/education is in Environmental Engineering with a concentration in general chemistry. For the last 22 years he has been employed by a major manufacturer in that business and has provided water treatment advise to some of the most prestigious engineering firms in the world including CH2M Hill, Bechtel, Black and Veatch, and local firms such as Federici and Akin, Remington and Vernick and Adam, Rehmann and Heggan so he is qualified to speak with a level of authority on water and sewer. He explained for the most part private and public wells in Monroe Township are serviced by two underground aquifers; the Kirkwood Cohansey Aquifer and the Piney Point

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Aquifer. Seventy million years ago a large part of Southern New Jersey was a shallow ocean, which explains why much of the ground in this area is a sand strata and the major aquifer that serves our area is confined by sand; not rock, which makes it is subject to a great deal of pollution. In most areas of Monroe Township first water is hit at approximately 25 feet and second water at 65 feet. The Kirkwood Cohansey is subject to natural and industrial pollutants and is under the influence of surface water although there has not been definitive evidence there are some organics in the water that have a tendency to form trihalomethanes and that is a problem. Natural pollutants are iron, manganese, silt and nitrates, which are caused from fertilizers, radium, radon and also urea that is let into the aquifer through septic systems. Industry pollutants include mercury. As a result of the fines paid by industrial pollutants the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection developed the Spill Fund, which has historically been used to pay for the correction of ground water pollutants. When the DEP finds water contaminated with industrial pollutants has migrated into a certain area they develop a containment zone. Wells in proximity to the contaminated one are tested and a radius around that polluted well is established. The DEP chooses then whether the Spill Fund will be used to treat the water by a Point of Use Treatment System or if the area is large enough they may provide funds for the local MUA to expand the municipal water system. A containment area was defined in Timber Lakes and it was more cost effective for the MMUA to extend water to that area. People with private wells are required to test their water but that is not enforced and often times they don't. When a house is being sold a water test is required because as part of a Certificate of Occupancy the water must meet all State standards. Residents who don't test their private wells could have problems just like a Malaga-New Brooklyn Road woman who had 41PPB of mercury in her water. Mercury is odorless and tasteless and she had been under the influence of that significant amount for several years causing her incredible health issues and the doctors didn't know what was causing her problems until they found the mercury. Cncl. Caligiuri explained under the Spill Fund individual homeowner's are compensated for the expansion of the infrastructure but that money goes to the MMUA to build the piping system. Individual wells are capped and some other expenses are covered but homeowners are still required to pay the MMUA permit fee out of pocket. Cncl. Caligiuri noted the last he knew the permit fee was \$2,500.00. He felt \$2,500.00 is high because for that a complete Reverse Osmosis System could be purchased that would produce a better quality of water than the MMUA would provide, as it would not be chlorinated since it is not traveling through a pipeline. Residents not included in a Spill Fund area would be required to pay more to connect to municipal water when a water main passes their home. If they chose to connect the cost for them would be \$6,500.00 for a Road Opening Permit, a check valve, a flow meter and installation. Cncl. Caligiuri spoke of doing approximately \$30,000.00 worth of pilot testing for the MMUA at Well # 13 for which his company allowed him to do as a courtesy since he is a councilman in the township. A treatment methodology was devised for the removal of sodium from water without using reverse osmosis but the MMUA chose not to treat that well they chose to run a pipeline between Well 13 and Well 12 and blend the water at Well 12 before moving it off. Cncl. Caligiuri noted Well 12 is also drilled into the Piney Point Aquifer and he felt the sodium concentration in that well will soon increase causing the MUA's solution to be a waste of money. The MMUA charter says it cannot use ratepayer money to arbitrarily expand its distribution system so instead of using ratepayer's money we have required developers to expand the distribution system when they build developments with three or more homes. Cncl. Caligiuri spoke of how in 2006 he and Cncl. Bill Julio realizing the problems with drinking water put together a legislation for an infrastructure expansion fund, which was to be funded by one penny of tax dollars and the MMUA offered to match dollar for dollar. When that infrastructure expansion fund legislation was passed it was our intention for that money to be used to give Monroe Township homeowners the opportunity to hook up to municipal water if they chose to at no charge. However, over the course of time Council and the Mayor chose not to fund it so the fund does not exist. The MUA must allocate water even to vacant properties whenever a builder has an approved subdivision and it would be good to be able to provide our existing taxpayers the opportunity to connect to water before the new developments come in and take all the water allocation. Currently Monroe Township is pumping at about 65% of its capacity because it is under contract with Glassboro to buy a certain quantity of water. Whether they use that water or not they have to pay for it so they are using every drop of it, which means their internal pumping capacity can be reduced below the permitted level. At some point in time the allocations will certainly increase. The sewer allocation is close to 80%

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and that will certainly increase because we send sewer over to Gloucester County. Cncl. Caligiuri noted a meeting was held in Timber Lakes but ironically the guy who is an authority on water was not invited. He added he did receive some telephone calls from residents and tried to answer their questions. For those that didn't call him, he is hoping this message reaches them. He noted the budget has already been approved but it would be a good idea if Council would reconsider the infrastructure expansion fund so that existing taxpayers would have the opportunity to connect to the water system before the new developments move in and take the water allocation away from us. He urged residents with private wells to test their water and encouraged elected officials not to make this an election issue, as it is a public health issue and everyone needs to work together to make water available so taxpayers have the opportunity to make a choice on whether or not to connect.

Cncl. DiLucia reported attending a School Board Meeting and how during that meeting a woman spoke of her daughter's health issues that affected her sight to the point where she could have gone blind. Due to numerous surgeries the problem was corrected and the woman extended her appreciation to the residents of the township for participating in events to raise money to offset her daughter's medical expenses. She also encouraged people with young children to get their eyes examined because there is always a danger something like this could happen.

Cncl. Sebastian reported attending the Public Safety Committee Meeting and deferred to the chairman to report on that. He reported the Zoning Board granted final approval to Cross Keys, LLC for the Guzzo Phase II Project, which consists of three apartment buildings and two commercial sites. Construction has also started on the IHOP Restaurant on Berlin Cross Keys Road. He reported the LEPC Meeting scheduled on April 16th was cancelled and that he had the pleasure of walking in the Little League Parade on Opening Day April 5th. He also reported attending the Easter Egg Hunt at Owens Park; noting he was told 8,500 eggs were gone within about thirty seconds. He urged residents to attend this event next year and congratulated Parks and Rec for putting on an outstanding event. He also reported attending Project Graduation Comedy Night and urged residents to support future Project Graduation events. He reported attending the Williamstown High School Football Banquet on April 26th along with Cncl. Garbowski. Many young men and women were in attendance and awards were presented including seven "All Conference Awards". He reported the Memorial Day Parade will be held on May 26th and he urged residents to come out in memory of the service men and women who gave their lives for this Country. On Tuesday, May 20th the Monroe Township Ambulance and Rescue Association will be celebrating 2014 National EMS Week. Residents are invited to visit the Ambulance Hall for those festivities. Parking will be at the Pfeiffer Center and shuttle transportation will be available. Cncl. Sebastian noted he has been receiving nice comments concerning the future dog park and proposed (*what he would call*) tranquility park. People are looking forward to a peaceful place to walk, relax and meditate and dog owners are looking forward to a structured dog park for their dogs to interact with other dogs of like sizes and temperament.

Cncl. Teefy noted members of Council reported on the Memorial Day Parade but did not mention that the parade begins at 11:00 AM. He noted many people come to the Halloween Parade but few come out on Memorial Day and he urged everyone to come out on May 26th to support our veterans. He reported the Monroe Township Music Festival will be held on Saturday, June 7th, (*rain date June 8th*) from 5:00 PM to 10:00 PM at Owens Park. This event will include music, crafts, games, food, vendors, prizes and fireworks at the end. Cncl. Teefy noted interested vendors should contact Jim Bonder at the Parks and Rec Department and he urged everyone to come to the Music Festival for some fun. He also reported attending the Municipal Alliance Committee Meeting and advised the committee is working on a new logo that will bring more awareness to the Municipal Alliance. Michelle Perez, a new member to the committee, helped organize training for administering Narcan a drug that halts overdoses almost immediately. The training is sponsored by the South Jersey Aids Alliance and was held for private citizens at the Monroe Township Public Library on April 16th and 24th and they are trying to get another training scheduled in May and June. He explained the State recently passed a law that a person cannot be held liable if they assist someone with Narcan and that residents who may have family members struggling with drugs, mainly heroin can get the

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training to be certified to administer Narcan. Cncl. Teefy reported last Saturday was "Take Back Saturday" a program that allows for outdated drugs to be dropped off at the Police Department for safe disposal. The Municipal Alliance is working in conjunction with Gloucester County and the Monroe Township Police Department to get a permanent prescription drug lockbox placed in the police waiting area. He reported on June 17th the Municipal Alliance will be sponsoring a drug awareness program for parents at the Williamstown High School Theater at 7:00 PM. This program will teach parents how to look for signs of drug abuse in their children. He also reported the New Jersey Primary Election will be held on Tuesday, June 3rd and he urged everyone to vote.

Mayor Gabbianelli reported Little League Opening Day Ceremonies were held April 5th, the FOP and Parks and Rec Easter Egg Hunter was held on April 12th and both were well attended. The Public Works Yard will open on Saturday beginning May 3rd from 8:00 AM to noon for residents to bring their household and yard waste. Residents must show ID in order to dispose of items at the yard. Leaf pickup will begin May 1st and the township bus purchased through a joint agreement between the County and the Township was delivered and is in service as of today. The Memorial Day Parade on May 26th will begin at St. Mary's Church. Anyone marching in the parade must be there by 10:30 AM and the parade begins at 11:00 AM. He urged residents to attend the Memorial Day Parade noting thousands of people come to the Halloween Parade and we can't get one thousand to come to the Memorial Day Parade and if it wasn't for those guys who gave it all we wouldn't be here.

Business Administrator, Kevin Heydel referred to Cncl. Teefy's report on Narcan and noted at the JIF Meeting an article was discussed regarding the police in Ocean County saving six lives in two weeks by using that drug. The governor issued an Executive Order and if that is passed down to the County Prosecutor's Office they could mandate the police department to administer this drug and the JIF is concerned because anything done by township employees/police department is always subject to litigation. What doesn't come along with the Executive Order is municipal immunities and if the prosecutor mandates the police to administer the drug the municipality must endure that cost. Plus litigation could potentially result so the JIF is more inclined to support the drug being administered by EMTs only. Cncl. Teefy noted it would be good if the training was funded for them. Mr. Heydel noted it's good Narcan saves lives but the moral of this is just to stay off drugs.

Cncl. Pres., Garbowski reported attending Little League Opening Day on April 5th, the Williamstown High School Craft Fair sponsored by Project Graduation and the Library Board Meeting on April 16th. The Library is sponsoring the following activities: The Friends of the Library flea market on May 3rd from 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM, a six week Story Time Program is ongoing through May 22nd, National Children's Book Week May 12th through 18th, Mother's Day Bottle Vase Craft Class Saturday, May 10th at 11:30 AM, Lego Night Wednesday, May 14th for ages 4 and up, Arthur Story/Activity Night Wednesday, May 21st for ages 4 and up, Disney's Sleeping Beauty will be shown during Moving Night on Wednesday, May 28th for all ages and Library Night at the Library IV Restaurant on May 28th. Ten percent of any meals purchased at Library IV that night will be given to support the Public Library. Coupons for this event will be posted on the township website but anyone who does not have a coupon can just mention Library Night and the ten percent will be donated. Cncl. Pres., Garbowski reported attending the Economic Development Commission Meeting. The Commission has completed the entrance to the township sign placement for this year but hope to continue designating the perimeter of Monroe Township so additional signs can be placed in the future. They are also continuing in conjunction with the Middle School and Williamstown High School Video Club their work on a video to advertise Monroe Township. The Commission is also working on the Buy Monroe Tax Card and is currently looking for businesses and banks in town to sponsor the card. Cncl. Pres., Garbowski noted he attends the Memorial Day Parade each year and gets upset when he sees less and less people coming out. He expressed his concerns that people are forgetting about those that have died to make this Country what it is and he urged everyone to come out and support the veteran's who have passed.

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F.) GENERAL PUBLIC DISCUSSION

Cncl. DiLucia made a motion to open General Public Discussion. The motion was seconded by Cncl. Caligiuri and unanimously approved by all members of Council. With no one wishing to speak Cncl. Sebastian made a motion to close the General Public Discussion. The motion was seconded by Cncl. Bryson and unanimously approved by all members of Council.

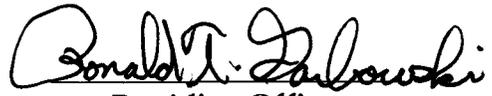
G.) ADJOURNMENT

With nothing further to discuss Cncl. Caligiuri made a motion to adjourn the Regular Council Meeting of April 28, 2014. The motion was seconded by Cncl. Dilks and unanimously approved by all members of Council in attendance.

Respectfully submitted,



Susan McCormick, RMC
Township Clerk



Presiding Officer

These minutes were prepared from excerpts of the tape-recorded proceedings of the Regular Council Meeting of April 28, 2014 and serve as only a synopsis of the proceedings. The official tape may be heard in the Office of the Township Clerk upon proper notification pursuant to the Open Public Records Law.

Approved as submitted _____ *AM* _____
Approved as corrected _____

Date 5/12/14
Date _____