

**Township of Mount Laurel
Regular Council Meeting
November 14, 2016
Mount Laurel Municipal Center
7:00 P.M.**

Deputy Mayor Edelson called the meeting to order.

Pledge of Allegiance & Traditional Moment of Silence

ROLL CALL

Mayor Linda Bobo – absent, Councilman Jim Keenan – present, Councilman Richard Van Noord – present, Councilman Dennis Riley – present, Deputy Mayor Irwin Edelson – present, Tyler Prime, Township Solicitor – present, Meredith Tomczyk, Acting Township Manager/Township Clerk - present

PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT

The Public Announcement, which is required by the “Open Public Meetings Act” of the State of New Jersey and read at every meeting of the Township Council was read by the Municipal Clerk.

APPROVAL OF BILL LIST IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,821,388.90

Motion to Move: Councilman Riley, 2nd Van Noord

Roll Call 4 yes votes

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion to Move: Councilman Van Noord, 2nd Councilman Riley

Roll Call 3 yes votes; Councilman Keenan abstained

RESOLUTION #182-2016: PROCLAMATION EXPRESSING COMMENDATION TO CHRISTINE ADAMS FOR HER ATTAINMENT OF THE GIRL SCOUT GOLD AWARD

Township Clerk read Resolution as entitled.

Motion to Move Resolution #182-2016: Councilman Van Noord, 2nd Councilman Riley

Roll Call 4 yes votes

RESOLUTION #183-2016: MOUNT LAUREL TOWNSHIP RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RELEASE OF PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE FOR THE FALLS GROUP, LLC FUNPLEX, SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL, SP #4527, BLOCK 304, LOT 2.01

Township Clerk read Resolution as entitled.

Motion to Move Resolution #183-2016: Councilman Riley, 2nd Councilman Van Noord

Roll Call 4 yes votes

RESOLUTION #184-2016: RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT WITH ROBERT SWEENEY

Township Clerk read Resolution as entitled.

Motion to Move Resolution #184-2016: Councilman Van Noord, 2nd Councilman Riley
Roll Call 3 yes votes; Councilman Keenan abstained.

RESOLUTION #185-2016: RESOLUTION APPOINTING KIM MUCHOWSKI AS TAX SEARCH FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT LAUREL

Township Clerk read Resolution as entitled.

Motion to Move Resolution #185-2016: Councilman Keenan, 2nd Councilman Riley
Roll Call 4 yes votes

RESOLUTION #186-2016: RESOLUTION APPROVING THE PERSON-TO-PERSON TRANSFER OF CONSUMPTION LICENSE #0324-33-024-002 TGI FRIDAY'S TO GC FRIDAY'S NJ-PA LLC

Township Clerk read Resolution as entitled.

Motion to Move Resolution #186-2016: Councilman Riley, 2nd Councilman Keenan
Roll Call 4 yes votes

RESOLUTION #187-2016: RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING 2016 BUDGET TRANSFER OF FUNDS

Township Clerk read Resolution as entitled.

Motion to Move Resolution #187-2016: Councilman Van Noord, 2nd Councilman Riley
Roll Call 4 yes votes

RESOLUTION #188-2016: PARKS GRANT RESOLUTION

Township Clerk read Resolution as entitled.

Motion to Move Resolution #188-2016: Councilman Riley, 2nd Councilman Van Noord
Roll Call 4 yes votes

NEW BUSINESS

- A. Health Insurance-Seek broker to get bids to save money.
- B. Jacob's Chapel historical sign marker – Julie Williamson explained historical marker sign for site.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Patricia Halbe, 2101 Denham Court – Congratulated Mayor Bobo and Councilman Edelson on their election. Thanked Councilman Keenan for his years of service.

Resident – Questioned activity over high tension wires at Parker's Creek.

COMMENTS BY COUNCIL

Councilman Keenan – Thanked everyone for coming and happy thanksgiving..

Councilman Van Noord – Volunteerism is great. Happy thanksgiving.

Councilman Riley –Happy thanksgiving.

Deputy Mayor Edelson – Happy thanksgiving. Enjoy your family. Be safe.

RESOLUTION #189-2016: RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A CLOSED SESSION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT LAUREL TO DISCUSS PENDING OR ANTICIPATED LITIGATION, CONTRACT NEGOTIATIONS AND/OR PERSONNEL MATTERS

Township Clerk read Resolution as entitled.

Motion to Move Resolution #189-2015: Councilman Van Noord, 2nd Councilman Riley
Roll Call 4 yes votes

Motion to adjourn: Councilman Riley, 2nd Councilman Van Noord
All in favor.

Next Council Meeting is November 28, 2016 at 7PM

Respectfully submitted,


Meredith Tomczyk, RMC
Township Clerk

