

**WEYMOUTH TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
MARCH 1, 2023 6:30 PM**

This meeting was advertised in the Press of Atlantic City and the Daily Journal on January 11, 2023 and was duly posted on the Township Bulletin Board and the Township's website in accordance with Public Law 1975, Chapter 231 as required by law.

At 6:30pm this meeting was called to order by Mayor Kenneth R. Haeser, who greeted the assembly and then led them in the Salute to our Nation's Flag and a moment of silence.

The Township Clerk then read aloud the "Sunshine Law Statement".

Committee Members present: Norton, Keiffenheim, and Haeser

Absent: None

Also present were: Township Clerk Dorothy-Jo Ayres, Public Works Superintendent Ronald C. Carroll, Solicitor Michael Lario, Jr., Esquire, and Engineer Michael Fralinger, Jr.

MAYOR'S REPORT:

- **Weymouth Township MUA-** Attended the reorganization meeting held in February. It appears as if the Board is ready to take over the services that have been previously provided by Hamilton Township.

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR:

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim to open the meeting to public comment.

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes

There were no comments at this time.

Motion: Keiffenheim/Haeser to close the meeting to public comment.

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes

ENGINEER'S REPORT:

Michael Fralinger, Jr. reviewed the monthly report.

- **South Jersey Avenue (2021 NJDOT)** - Closeout inspection from NJDOT is scheduled for March 3rd.
- **Estelle Avenue (2022 NJDOT)-** Traffic plan was submitted to the Weymouth Township School, construction will start Monday March 6th and looking to be paved within two weeks.
- **2023 NJDOT** - Looking at making the plan for South jersey Avenue from 11th Avenue to 9th Avenue. As funding was not enough to cover both South Jersey and Estelle Avenues.

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim to accept the Engineer's report.

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes

DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

Reports were submitted for review and approval for the following departments:

February 2023 - Clerk

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim to accept the Clerk report.

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes

February 2023 – Code Enforcement

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim to accept the Code Enforcement report.

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes

February 2023 – Public Works

- Finished up line trimming on Lowell.
- Sent line trimming letter to residents on the west border of 13th Avenue.
- Suggests cleaning Belcoville catch basins annually.
- Requests placing an employment ad for the part time position needed to be filled.

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim to accept the Public Works report.

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes

February 2023- Tax Assessor

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim to accept the Tax Assessor report.

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes

February 2023 – Zoning

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim to accept the Zoning report.

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes

MINUTES:

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim to accept the February 15, 2023 Meeting Minutes.

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser- yes

CORRESPONDENCE:

Buena Baseball/Softball Association – Use of Field request

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim to accept the Correspondence.

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser- yes

VOUCHERS FOR PAYMENT:

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim for approval of the in the amount of \$431,185.98 and the Vouchers for Payment be approved and payment rendered.

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes.

OLD BUSINESS: None.

NEW BUSINESS:

Resolution 58-2023 Fireworks 2023 (July 1st)

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes

Resolution 59-2023 Wind Moratorium (Whales)

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes

Resolution 60-2023 Application for LEAP Grant Feasibility Study Centralized Dispatch

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes

Resolution 61-2023 Request LUB Review

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes

Resolution 62-2023 Use of Field Buena Baseball & Softball Association

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes

Resolution 63-2023 Office Lease MUA

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes

Resolution 64-2023 Shared Service MUA

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes

Mayor Haeser stated that he would like to hold a picture with the Bunny event April 1st.

The Committee instructed the Township Clerk to compose a letter to the Estell Manor Council to explain the change in fireworks this year to July 1st as Schaefer Fireworks is not available for the 4th due to lack of employees. Other bids came in at nearly double our budget.

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR:

Since there were no members of the public present at this time the second privilege of the floor was dispensed with.

ADJOURN:

Motion: Norton/Keiffenheim

Roll Call: Norton-yes; Keiffenheim-yes; Haeser-yes

Adjourned at 7:21pm

Respectfully submitted,

Dorothy-Jo Ayres, RMC, Municipal Clerk