

Shamong, NJ 08088

February 22, 2011

The Shamong Township Committee held a Committee meeting on the above date at the Municipal Building.

Mayor Shevelew opened the meeting at approximately 7:31 p.m.

The Clerk stated please be advised that proper notice of this meeting has been given in compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act in the following manner. Written notice has been sent to the Burlington County Times and published in the Central Record and posted as required by the Open Public Meetings Act.

The Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call and)	Mr. Sean Gray	A
Absentees)	Mr. Kenneth Long	P
Noted)	Mr. Martin Mozitis	P
	Mr. Christopher Norman	P
	Mr. Jonathon Shevelew	P

Mayor Shevelew did not open the meeting to the public at this time. **On motion of Committeeman Mozitis, seconded by Committeeman Norman, the regular meeting was convened and the Committee went into executive session to discuss a matter of employment. A roll call vote showed all members present voting yes.**

The Committee reconvened the regular meeting stating no action will be taken at this time in regard to the employment. The Township Administrator will have conversations with the candidate and report back to the committee.

Mayor Shevelew opened the regular meeting to the public for any questions or comments.

A discussion opened about the infestation of “Stink bugs” between the committee, Mrs. Elaine Meyer and Mrs. Laura King. The question was, “does the municipality or the state plan to do anything about the infestation.” At this time the municipality does not plan to do anything. Public discussion was closed.

On motion of Committeeman Mozitis, seconded by Committeeman Norman, it was moved to approve the award of contract with the Burlington County Municipal Solid Waste Service Contract and authorize the Mayor and Township Administrator to execute the agreement. All Members present voted yes.

On motion of Committeeman Norman, seconded by Committee Long, the Clerk’s request for Education/Seminar Reimbursement was approved for a total of \$55.00. All members present voted yes.

A discussion was held on the 2010 Census showing an increase of 28 residents to 6,490 from the 2000 Census.

There was a motion to approve the new Aetna-Dental policy for plan year March 1, 2011-March 1, 2012 with an increase of 6.13%, by Committee Long, seconded by Committee Norman. All present voted yes.

Discussion held on the 2010 JIF awards update.

Discussion was held on Reassessment update.

Ordinances:

A second reading of Ordinance 2011-01 setting the range of annual salaries of the Court Security Officers was opened to the public, as there were no questions or comments the meeting was to the closed. **Ordinance 2011-01 was approved on a motion to by Committeeman Mozitis, seconded by Committeeman Long, all present voted yes.**

The Committee reviewed the amendments and had a discussion on Ordinance 2011-02 Amending Chapter 159 of the Shamong Township Code to add Article IX Governing “Emergency no Parking” Regulations. The Ordinance will be placed on the agenda of March 1, 2011 with amendments for introduction.

RESOLUTIONS:

2011R-35-Authorizing a \$250 Veterans deduction on taxes for: Lila Mary Cathy Bauer, John August Bauer, and John L Skaggs, Jr. **On motion of Committeeman Long, seconded by Committeeman Mozitis, all present voted yes.**

2011R-36 Amending Resolution 2011R-32 for the release of performance bond on Valenzano Winery project, 1090 Route 206. **On motion of Committeeman Norman, seconded by Committeeman Mozitis, all present voted yes.**

2011R-37 Salary Resolution for Court Security was adopted **on motion of Committeeman Long, seconded by Committeeman Mozitis, all present voted yes.**

REPORTS:

Township Administrator reports on board of education shared services notices on absentee ballots. Review of the Diesel Retrofit Law and how it may affect Shamong Township is ongoing. South Jersey Enduro Riders will hold their annual Curly Fern Enduro Ride March 27, 2011. County road resurfacing program includes Stokes Road from Oakshade Road, Shamong to Jackson Road in Medford and Tuckerton Road from Oakshade Road to Medford line. Solar Project construction schedule to begin early March 2011 pending all required permits and timely delivery of material. Softball Field Lighting litigation costs as of December 2010 totals \$19,517.56, Engineering costs of \$1,668.90. Anticipate additional charges due to the appeal process.

Mayor Shevelew opens the meeting for questions and comments from the public. Mrs. Laura King asks questions about the reassessment agents how many days per week will they be coming out. The Township Administrator reports that the assessors will be out 6 days a week and will have ID badges, and to check the web site for further information. No further comments from the public the Mayor closed the discussion.

Approval for Resolution 2011R-38-contract negotiation, the regular meeting was convened and the Committee went into executive session to discuss in depth the contract negotiation. Motion Committeeman Long, Seconded Committee Mozitis, all present voted yes.

The regular meeting was reconvened and Mayor Shevelew asks for comment from the public, there being none. Motion to Adjourn was made by Committeeman Long, seconded Committeeman Mozitis, and all present voted yes.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Attest:

Susan D. Onorato
Municipal Clerk