

Shamong, New Jersey 08088

October 2, 2012

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

Mayor Shevelew called the meeting to order at approximately 7:31 pm.

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

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

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Mayor Shevelew opened the meeting to the public at which time Mr. Bob Cuva, President of the travel soccer club, addressed the Committee with his concerns about the no parking on Breckenridge Drive and Stowe Drive in Saddlebrook Ridge. He explained that on Saturdays and Sundays they have over six teams playing at the complex and there is not enough parking, especially now, with the construction of Phase II being built. He is asking for relief from the Township to be able to park on the streets while construction is going on otherwise there is nowhere for the residents and visitors to park while the games are going on. One suggestion was to ask the people who live on the streets if some of the players from town could park in their driveways. Mr. Cuva said he would contact the residents he is friends with and ask this question. The Committee did not have an answer at this time to solve the problem except it was temporary and should only be a problem for a few weeks. There being no further comments from the public, the meeting was closed to the public.

PROCLAMATION:

Mayor Shevelew read a Proclamation recognizing Nathan Leach for earning the rank of Eagle Scout and congratulated him.

Mayor Shevelew read a Proclamation recognizing Clement Green for earning the rank of Eagle Scout and congratulated him.

Mayor Shevelew read a Proclamation on radon noting the week of October 1st as Radon Action Week.

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE OFFICIAL ACTION:

On motion of Committeeman Mozitis, seconded by Committeeman Gray, the September 4, 2012 regular session minutes were approved. A roll call vote showed all members present voting yes except Committeeman Long who abstained.

The Administrator reported on the PSE&G tree trimming program stating she sent out a letter along with a \$25.00 fee to file the petition with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities on September 27th. She also reported the Burlington County Bicycle Facility Inventory has been submitted.

On motion of Committeeman Long, seconded by Committeeman Gray, it was moved to approve the Clerk/Registrar to attend courses on October 18, November, 13 and 15, 2012 at a cost of \$280. A roll call vote showed all members present voting yes.

On motion of Committeeman Gray, seconded by Committeeman Long, it was moved to approve 2 members of the Joint Land Use Board to attend mandatory training. A roll call vote showed all members present voting yes.

Mayor Shevelew reported there will be a 9-1-1 Memorial Presentation at the Indian Mills Volunteer Fire Company on October 16th at 10:00 a.m. in which the presentation will be made by the Lieutenant Governor and the head of the New York/New Jersey Port Authority. Mayor Shevelew asked the Administrator to notify the residents of this event.

RESOLUTIONS:

The Administrator reported on Resolution 2012R-78 Authorizing discharge of third-party tax lien on block 23.17 lot 78. Mr. Heinold asked the Committee to table there vote on this until the next meeting.

The Committee decided to not approve Resolution 2012R-79 as stands and instructed the solicitor to amend the wording in opposition and will review and possibly approve at the next township meeting.

ORDINANCE:

After some discussion the Township Committee decided to table Ordinance 2012-9 establishing a \$300 cap of campaign contributions.

REPORTS:

The Engineer reported in reference to the tax maps their office has been provided with some revisions required by the State and they are being completed at this time. He reported the fuel spill issue has been fully resolved. The Saddlebrook Ridge Soccer Complex revised plans were delivered to the Pinelands Commission yesterday and the

bids have been received and awarded. The contractor has until October 30th to complete the work and is working very aggressively to complete it in the time frame allowed. For the 2012 grant application he had submitted Oak Shade Road for discretionary aid consideration but has not heard anything to date. He is preparing the 2013 grant application for Old Indian Mills Road as priority one and Oak Shade Road as priority two. Committeeman Mozitis asked if another road could be joined with Old Indian Mills Road since there wasn't that much road left to do on Indian Mills Road. After some discussion the Administrator was instructed to check with Tabernacle Township to see if they wanted to coordinate paving Tuckerton Road under this grant.

The solicitor had nothing to report at this time.

The Administrator reported on the following items; the Meteor Motorcycle Club will be riding through our township on October 27 – 28, she received the 2012-2015 Interlocal Service Agreement from the County for snow removal and will give Doug Heinold a copy for review before approval and she also wants to talk to the county about an increase for the Township since costs have gone up on fuel and it is a three year contract, and the new Tax Collector software is up and running along with a paying on line option which was added as of October 1st. The Administrator reminded the Committee the November meeting is on the 13th due to election night and the December close out meeting is on December 18th at 6:30 p.m.

On motion of Committeeman Mozitis, seconded by Committeeman Long, the attached Bill List was approved as submitted. A roll call vote showed all members present voting yes.

Mayor Shevelew opened the meeting to the public for comments, there being none, he closed the meeting.

On motion of Committeeman Long, seconded by Committeeman Gray, it was moved to approve Resolution 2012R-80 authorizing executive session for attorney client privilege, potential property acquisition and Chapter 60 review. A roll call vote showed all members present in favor.

The regular meeting was reconvened and Mr. Heinold stated he was instructed to amend Chapter 60 to provide for a more reasonable time frame for residents to respond to property maintenance issues.

On motion of Committeeman Long, seconded by Committeeman Gray, the meeting was adjourned. A roll call vote showed all in favor.

Attest:

Susan D. Onorato
Municipal Clerk