

REVISED 4/13/15 AT 12:20 P.M.

EWING TOWNSHIP COUNCIL
2 Jake Garzio Drive, Ewing, New Jersey 08628

REGULAR MEETING

April 14, 2015 – 7:30 P.M.
or immediately following Agenda Session

A. Call to Order of the Township Council Meeting.

B. Invocation

Almighty God who holds the fate of Man and Nation, we most humbly beseech thee to bless these deliberations, and these thy servants, that they may act with wisdom and understanding for the good of our community and thy greater glory. Amen.

C. Flag Salute

D. Open Public Meetings Statement

The notice requirements provided for in the “Open Public Meetings Act” have been satisfied. Notice of this meeting was properly given in a notice which was transmitted to the Times of Trenton and the Trentonian, filed with the Clerk of the Township of Ewing and posted in the Ewing Township Municipal Complex, all on the 2nd day of January, 2015.

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THE PUBLIC WILL HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO ADDRESS THE COUNCIL DURING THE “STATEMENTS AND COMMENTS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC” SEGMENT OF THE MEETING. MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE REQUESTED TO SIGN IN ON SHEET PROVIDED IN THE FRONT OF THE ROOM. ALL QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC WILL BE DIRECTED TO THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT. WHEN ADDRESSING THE COUNCIL, PLEASE GIVE YOUR NAME AND YOUR ADDRESS.

THE COUNCIL INVITES AND ENCOURAGES PARTICIPATION BY THE PUBLIC IN ITS MEETINGS, HOWEVER A MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC MAY UTILIZE FIVE MINUTES OF TIME FOR REMARKS AND QUESTIONS, UNLESS OTHERWISE ENGAGED IN A DIALOGUE WITH A MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL, ANY FURTHER REMARKS OR QUESTIONS BEYOND THE TIME LIMIT MUST BE AUTHORIZED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL.

E. ROLL CALL

- Mr. Baxter
- Mr. Schroth
- Ms. Steward
- Ms. Wollert
- President Keyes-Maloney

F. STATEMENTS AND COMMENTS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

G. BILLS LIST

1. A Resolution Authorizing the Chief Financial Officer to Pay Bills in the Amount of \$1,036,437.80 and to Pay Supplemental Bills per Resolution #15R-27 in the Amount of \$158,820.02

H. CONSENT AGENDA

All items listed under Item H, Consent Agenda, are considered routine by the Township Council and will be enacted by one motion in the form listed below. There will not be separate discussion of these items. If discussion is desired, that item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered separately. There will be one motion for all items listed.

1. Approval of Minutes of the Meetings of April 1, 2014 (Special), April 8, 2014 (Agenda & Regular) and April 22, 2014 (Agenda & Regular)
2. A Resolution Authorizing the Patriotic Committee to Hold Its Annual Fourth of July Parade
3. A Resolution Authorizing the New Jersey State Police Memorial Association to Hold Its Annual Chase (5KRUN)

I. ORDINANCE(S) FOR FIRST READING AND INTRODUCTION (Only if approved for action at Agenda Session)

1. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EWING IN THE COUNTY OF MERCER, ADDING ADDITIONAL BUS STOPS ALONG MUNICIPAL ROADWAYS PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 39:4-8(e)
2. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EWING IN THE COUNTY OF MERCER, TO AMEND CHAPTER 325, STREETS AND SIDEWALKS, ARTICLE I: SNOW AND ICE REMOVAL, TO ALLOW ENFORCEMENT BY THE DIVISION OF CODE ENFORCEMENT AND BUILDING INSPECTIONS
3. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EWING IN THE COUNTY OF MERCER, TO AMEND CHAPTER 225, VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC, ARTICLE II, PARKING, TO PROHIBIT THE PARKING OF VEHICLES IN EXCESS OF FOUR TONS AT CERTAIN LOCATIONS
4. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EWING IN THE COUNTY OF MERCER TO AMEND CHAPTER 172 FEES

J. ORDINANCE(S) FOR SECOND READING, PUBLIC HEARING AND FINAL ADOPTION

1. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EWING IN THE COUNTY OF MERCER, ADDING ADDITIONAL BUS STOPS ALONG MUNICIPAL ROADWAYS PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 39:4-8(e)
2. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EWING IN THE COUNTY OF MERCER, TO AMEND CHAPTER 225, VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC, ARTICLE II: PARKING, ADDING NEW SECTION 10.4 FIRE LANES
3. AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EWING IN THE COUNTY OF MERCER, TO AMEND CHAPTER 97, ANIMALS, ARTICLE I: DOGS, ADDING NEW SECTION 7, FAILURE TO PROVIDE NECESSARY CARE IN INSTANCES OF EXTREME COLD OR HEAT

K. NEW BUSINESS (Only if approved for action at the Agenda Session)

1. A RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE LEASE OF TOWNSHIP OWNED LAND FOR AN ADDITIONAL TWENTY YEARS TO MERCER COUNTY AND THE MERCER COUNTY IMPROVEMENT AUTHORITY
2. A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF A NEW SPEED LIMIT ON BEAR TAVERN ROAD (CR 579) BETWEEN WINDY BUSH ROAD AND NORTH MADDOCK ROAD

3. A RESOLUTION URGING THE LEGISLATURE TO PASS S1279 TO PROVIDE IMMEDIATE RELIEF TO THE LEAD HAZARD CONTROL ASSISTANCE FUND FOR COMPLETE RESTORATION OF THE FUND
4. A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING ASSEMBLY BILL NO. A-4325, "TRANSPARENT TAX ACT OF 2015", WHICH WOULD ALLOW THE TOWNSHIP TO PRINT TWO SEPARATE TAX BILLS
5. A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING APRIL 2015 AS CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION AND AWARENESS MONTH
6. RESOLUTION AFFIRMING APRIL 22 AS EARTH DAY IN EWING TOWNSHIP AND ENCOURAGING SUSTAINABLE EFFORTS
7. A RESOLUTION AWARDED CONTRACT FOR PHYSICIAN SERVICES TO ROBERT WOOD JOHNSON UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL-HAMILTON

L. CLOSED SESSION

M. ADJOURNMENT