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COUNCIL COMMITTEE CONFERENCE MEETING

AGENDA

Council Chambers – 66 Main Street, West Orange, NJ

November 24, 2015

This is to inform the general public that this meeting is being held in compliance with Section 5 of the Open Public Meetings Act, Chapter 231, Public Law 1975. A notice of this meeting was mailed to the Star Ledger and the West Orange Chronicle on December 1, 2014. A notice of this meeting was also posted on the Bulletin Board in the Municipal Building, West Orange and filed in the office of the Municipal Clerk of the Township of West Orange on December 1, 2014.

Roll Call – Councilwoman Casalino, Councilman Cirilo, Councilman Krakoviak, Councilwoman McCartney, Council President Guarino (Mayor Parisi)

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6:30 P.M

- **Citation**- West Orange United Fury-U12
- **Presentation** Downtown West Orange Alliance/NOCC
- **Council Liaison Announcements**

7:00 P.M.

- **Public Meeting**

AGENDA-AMENDED
Tuesday, November 24, 2015
Township of West Orange
66 Main Street – 7:00 p.m.

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Statement of Decorum

In all matters not provided for in subsection 3-15.1 and except upon consent of the Council President, each person addressing the Council pursuant to this subsection shall be required to limit his or her remarks to five (5) minutes, and shall at no time engage in any personally offensive or abusive remarks. The chair shall call any speaker to order who violates any provision of this rule.
(1972 Code § 3-15.2)

Roll Call – Councilwoman Casalino, Councilman Cirilo, Councilman Krakoviak, Councilwoman McCartney, Council President Guarino (Mayor Parisi)

- 1. Pledge of Allegiance**
- 2. Public Comment**
- 3. *Consent Agenda**
- 4. *Approval of Minutes of Previous Meeting – Public Meeting November 10, 2015**
- 5. *Report of Township Officers-None**
- 6. *Reading of Petitions and Communications and Bids-None**
- 7. *Bills**
- 8.*Resolutions**
 - a. WITHDRAWN**
 - b. 271-15 Resolution Authorizing an Executive Session to discuss Legal Issues Relating to West Essex Highlands Property." (Legal-Duffy)
 - c. 272-15 Resolution to Authorize the Competitive Contracting Process for an Energy Aggregation Consultant (DeSantis)
 - d. 273-15 Resolution Authorizing a Professional Services Contract to Crew Engineers, Inc., 1250 Route 23 North, Butler, New Jersey 07405 to Provide Professional Engineering Services for the 2016 Street Improvements for a Fee NTE \$26,400.00. (Lepore)
 - e. 274-15 Resolution Authorizing Change Order No. 1 with Reggio Construction, Inc., 1575 West Street, Fort Lee, New Jersey 07024 for the Project Street Improvements Phase II – 2015 in the Amount of \$15,000.00 (Lepore)

9. Ordinances on Second and Final Reading

- a. 2469-15 An Ordinance Amending and Supplementing Chapter 7, Traffic, Subsection 7-20, Stop Intersections, of the Revised General Ordinances of the Township of West Orange-Stop Intersection at Sheffield Terrace and Dartmouth Road with a Stop Sign on Sheffield Terrace (Lepore)
- b. 2470-15An Ordinance Amending and Supplementing Chapter 7, Traffic, Subsection 7-32.2, Restricted Parking Zones of the Revised General Ordinances of the Township of West Orange-Handicapped Parking Stall – 28 Cross Street (Lepore)

10. Ordinances on First Reading

- f. 2471-15 Revised Ordinance Amending Chapter 2, Section 52.2 - Public Relations Commission (Legal-Buffman)
This revised ordinance would amend Chapter 2 to include the Township Council's appointment of one Council member to serve as a liaison to the Commission each year.

11. ABC Hearing-None

12. Adjournment

**The Council President may at his/her discretion modify with consent the order of business at any meeting of the Council if he/she deems it necessary and appropriate.
(1972 Code § 3-8; Ord. No. 726-84; Ord. No. 1157-93; Ord. No. 2128-07 § II)**

Agenda is subject to change.

RESOLUTION TO HOLD A CLOSED SESSION

WHEREAS, the Open Public Meetings Act (N.J.S.A. 10:4. et seq.) provides for the exclusion of the public meetings of the governing body during the discussion of certain matters; and

WHEREAS, prior to the exclusion of the public from a meeting of the Township Council it is required that the Council adopt a Resolution stating the general nature of the subject to be discussed and stating as precisely as possible the time when the minutes of the discussion conducted in closed session can be disclosed to the public; and

WHEREAS, this body is about to consider a matter which falls within the purview of N.J.S.A. 10-4-12, and can properly exclude the public from such discussions; now, therefore, be it

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Township Council of the Township of West Orange, now assembled in public session at its regular meeting of **November 24, 2015** enter into a closed session to consider the following matter(s).

- () 1. Discussion of any material, the disclosure of which constitutes an invasion of individual privacy.
- () 2. A collective bargaining agreement or the terms of provisions of same.
- () 3. Techniques or tactic utilized to protect the safety and property of the public provided that their disclosure could impair such protection.
- () 4. An investigation of violations or possible violations of the laws of the State of New Jersey and/or the Township of West Orange Administrative Code.
- (X) 5. Pending or anticipated litigation or contract negotiation in which this body is or maybe a party.
- () 6. A matter falling within the attorney-client privilege to the extent that confidentiality is required in order for the attorney to exercise his ethical duties to this body.
- () 7. Personnel matters.
- () 8. Discussion of any matter which by express provision of Federal law or State statute or rule of Court shall be rendered confidential.
- () 9. Discussion of any matter in which the release of information would impair a right to receive funds from the Government of the United Sates.
- () 10. Discussion of any matter involving the purchase, lease or acquisition of real property with public funds, the setting of banking rates or investment of public funds, where it could adversely affect the public interest if discussion of such matters were disclosed.
- () 11. Deliberations occurring after a public hearing that may result in imposition of a civil penalty or suspension or loss of a license or permit.

More specifically, the Council may discuss in closed session the following topic(s):

Matter(s) of Litigation

- a. 271-15 Resolution Authorizing an Executive Session for the Purpose Discussing Legal Issues Relating To West Essex Highlands Property."

(the general subject matter(s)) of discussion shall be indicated by a check mark in the appropriate box and shall be more specifically referred to thereafter to the extent such additional disclosure can be made without compromising the need for confidentiality giving rise to the closed session.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that the minutes of said discussion shall be made public as soon as the matter under discussion is no longer of a confidential or sensitive nature such that the public interest will no longer be served by such confidentiality.

The foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the Township Council of the Township of West Orange at a public meeting held on **November 24, 2015**

Motion:

Second:

Vote

Aye:

Opposed:

Karen J. Carnevale
Municipal Clerk

Jerry Guarino
Council President

Adopted: November 24, 2015

**RESOLUTION
AUTHORIZING A COMPETITIVE CONTRACTING PROCESS FOR
AN ENERGY AGGREGATION CONSULTANT**

WHEREAS, the Township of West Orange is seeking a Company specializing in Energy Aggregation Consulting Services for the purpose of providing the residents of West Orange with a Third Party Supplier of Electricity, who can provide a rate lower than the current Utility Company Public Service Electric and Gas (PSE&G) and

WHEREAS, the Township's current contract with Consolidated Edison Solutions for the third party supply of electricity for our residents will expire December 2015; and

WHEREAS, an Energy Aggregation Consultant would provide the Township with services in connection with the development and administration of the energy procurement process for a Government Energy Aggregation (GEA) program. Suppliers will be selected through an on-line bidding process pursuant to P.L. 2001, c. 30: N.J.S.A. 48:3-50-51; and 48:3-92 et. al.; and

WHEREAS, the township meets the criteria of the Local Public Contracts Law N.J.S.A. 40a:11-4.1, etc. which allows this process by which the Township will advertise for a request for proposals. The methodology for the awarding of competitive contracts shall be based on an evaluation and ranking, which shall include technical, management, and cost related criteria, all developed in a way that is intended to meet the specific needs of the Township.

NOW HEREBY BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the Township of West Orange, that Competitive Contract Process shall be initiated for the above named purpose and implemented by the Purchasing Agent and Administration according to the Local Public Contracts Law.

Karen J. Carnevale, Municipal Clerk

Jerry Guarino, Council President

Adopted: November 24, 2015

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Township of West Orange proposes the improvement of several streets as part of the 2016 Street Improvement Project to be funded in the 2016 Capital Budget; and

WHEREAS, to design and specify these improvements the Township requires the services of a professional engineering firm; and

WHEREAS, the Township Engineer prepared a Request for Proposal dated November 5, 2015 for these professional design services; and

WHEREAS, the Township Engineer solicited proposals from three professional engineering and land surveying firms: Crew Engineers, Inc. of Butler, N.J., Keller and Kirkpatrick, Inc., of Morris Plains, N.J.; and Suburban Consulting Engineers, Inc. of Mt. Arlington, N.J.; and

WHEREAS, all three firms responded to the Request for Proposals; and

WHEREAS, the Township Engineer upon review of the proposals determined all three firms were responsive; and

WHEREAS, all three firms previously provided professional engineering services to the Township and their work quality was excellent; and

WHEREAS, by letter dated November 18, 2015 the Township Engineer recommended a professional services contract be awarded to Crew Engineers, Inc., of Butler, N.J. for the design, specifications and bid documents of 2016 Street Improvement in accordance with their proposal dated November 13, 2015 in an amount not to exceed \$26,400.00. and

WHEREAS, sufficient funds exist for the services outlined in the proposal of Crew Engineers, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council concurs in the foregoing.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of West Orange, New Jersey that a professional services contract be awarded to Crew Engineers, Inc., of 1250 Route 23 North, Butler, New Jersey 07405 to provide professional engineering services for the 2016 Street Improvements in accordance with their proposal dated November 13, 2015 for a fee not to exceed \$26,400.00.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be published in the West Orange Chronicle within ten (10) days of its approval as required by State Statute.

KAREN CARNEVALE, MUNICIPAL CLERK

JERRY GUARINO, COUNCIL PRESIDENT

I hereby certify funds are available from:

ACCOUNT NO. 03-2450-15-0060-010
2015 Street Resurfacing

JOHN GROSS, CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

2016 ANNUAL STREET RESURFACING LIST (Revised October 22, 2015)
ISSUED WITH REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

MILL AND PAVE ONLY, INCLUDES HANDICAPPED RAMPS WITH DETECTABLE PLATES, ECO-CATCH BASIN HEADS, BICYCLE SAFE GRATES, CATCH BASIN REBUILD/RECONSTRUCT, MANHOLE CASTINGS, MANHOLE REBUILD/RECONSTRUCT, MINOR CURB REPAIR

1. Harrison Avenue, Entire Length
1600 LF
2. South Valley Road, Orange Line to Walker Road
1750 LF
3. Bradford Avenue, Entire Length
Mill Concrete, Level Pavement, Pavement Fabric
1240 LF
4. Grandview Avenue, Entire Length
Mill Concrete, Level Pavement, Pavement Fabric
1110 LF
5. Murphy Court, Entire Length
500 LF
6. Ralph Road, Entire Length
Mill Concrete, Level Pavement, Pavement Fabric
2200 LF
7. Elm Street, Mississippi Avenue to Valley Way
Mill Concrete, Level Pavement, Pavement Fabric
520 LF
8. Edgar Road, Entire Length
Some curb replacement
1350 LF
9. Rainbow Terrace, Entire Length
Mill Concrete, Level Pavement, Pavement Fabric
500 LF

CURB, APRONS, MILL AND PAVE, INCLUDES HANDICAPPED RAMPS WITH DETECTABLE PLATES, ECO-CATCH BASIN HEADS, BICYCLE SAFE GRATES, CATCH BASIN REBUILD/RECONSTRUCT, MANHOLE CASTINGS, MANHOLE REBUILD/RECONSTRUCT

10. Pen Bryn Road, Entire Length
Mill Concrete, Level Pavement, Pavement Fabric
300 LF

11. Rosemont Terrace, Drive and Court
2800 LF
12. Underwood Drive, Blackstock Road to Tenney Road
1500 LF
13. Tenney Road, Entire Length
1060 LF
14. Dale Drive, Entire Length
730 LF
15. Pine Street, Wellington Avenue to Birch Street
670 LF
16. Birch Street, Wellington Avenue to Forest Hill Road
720 LF
17. Dawes Avenue, Entire Length
575 LF
18. Orange Heights Avenue, Entire Length
1520 LF
19. Meeker Street, Entire Length
490 LF
20. Tremont Avenue, Entire Length
460 LF
21. Spring Hill Drive, Entire
1600 LF, includes replacing drainage system with combination underdrain, storm drain where applicable
22. Cherrywood Circle, Entire Length
300 LF, includes replacing drainage system with combination underdrain, storm drain where applicable
23. Fernwood Circle, Entire Length,
300 LF, includes replacing drainage system with combination underdrain, storm drain where applicable

TOTALS – 23,795 LF or 4.51 miles

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Township Council by Resolution No. 215-15 dated August 11, 2015 awarded a Contract to Reggio Construction Inc., 1575 West Street, Fort Lee, New Jersey 07024 for Street Improvements, Phase II – 2015 in the amount of \$3,086,160.53; and

WHEREAS, one of the streets to be improved is Barry Drive; and

WHEREAS, the residents of Barry Drive requested of the Township the installation of traffic calming speed tables since two parallel roads, Conforti Avenue and Fitzrandolph Road, have speed tables; and

WHEREAS, the Municipal Engineer prepared a traffic calming plan for Barry Drive that proposed three speed tables on Barry Drive; and

WHEREAS, residents of Barry Drive overwhelmingly approved the plan; and

WHEREAS, Reggio Construction, Inc. quoted a cost of \$5,000 per speed table which includes materials, labor, signs and traffic makings; and

WHEREAS, this cost is acceptable to the Municipal Engineer; and

WHEREAS, the Municipal Engineer prepared Change Order No. 1 with Reggio Construction, Inc. dated November 18, 2015 in the amount of \$15,000 for this additional work; and

WHEREAS, sufficient funds exist for this additional work; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council concurs with the foregoing.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of West Orange that Change Order No. 1 with Reggio Construction, Inc., 1575 West Street, Fort Lee, New Jersey 07024 for the project Street Improvements Phase II – 2015 dated November 18, 2015 in the amount of \$15,000.00 which raises the contract amount from \$3,086,160.53 to \$3,101,160.53 is here by approved.

KAREN CARNEVALE, MUNICIPAL CLERK

JERRY GUARINO, COUNCIL PRESIDENT

I hereby certify funds are available from:

ACCOUNT NO.03-2450-15-0060-010
2015 STREET RESURFACING \$15,000.00

JOHN GROSS, CERTIFIED FINANCIAL OFFICER

PROJECT: STREET IMPROVEMENTS PHASE II – 2015

**CONTRACTOR: REGGIO CONSTRUCTION, INC
1575 WEST STREET
FORT LEE, NEW JERSEY 07024**

CHANGE ORDER NO. 1

ORIGINAL CONTRACT AMOUNT \$3,086,160.53

ADDITIONAL AMOUNT REQUESTED \$ 15,000.00

ADJUSTED CONTRACT AMOUNT \$3,101,160.53

INCREASE IN PERCENTAGE 0.49

Reasons for Change Order No. 1 additional funding:

Installation of Traffic Calming Speed Tables and associated signs and traffic striping on Barry Drive.
Traffic Calming Speed Tables requested by residents on Barry Drive since speed tables are present on two parallel streets.

RECOMMENDED BY ENGINEER

LEONARD R. LEPORE

AGREED TO BY CONTRACTOR

REGGIO CONSTRUCTION, INC

APPROVED BY OWNER

TOWNSHIP OF WEST ORANGE

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING
CHAPTER 7, TRAFFIC, SUBSECTION 7-20, STOP INTERSECTIONS,
OF THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF
THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST ORANGE

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Council of the Township of West Orange, in the County of Essex, State of New Jersey, that Sheffield Terrace and Dartmouth Road shall be designated as a Stop Intersection pursuant to N.J.S.A. 39:4-8(b) under the Municipal Engineer's Certification and License Number GE026706 as follows:

Section 1. The Township Council of the Township of West Orange finds it in the interest of public safety to designate Sheffield Terrace and Dartmouth Road as a Stop Intersection pursuant to N.J.S.A.39:4-8(b).

Section 2. The Municipal Engineer of the Township of West Orange has submitted and certified all the legislative requirements pursuant to N.J.S.A. 39:4-8(b) and the criteria as set forth by the New Jersey Department of Transportation, Bureau of Traffic Engineering have been met.

Section 3. Subsection 7-20, Stop Intersections, of the Revised General Ordinances of the Township of West Orange is hereby supplemented and amended as follows pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 39:4-140 (*italic type denotes deletion, bold type denotes addition*):

Intersection

Stop Signs On:

Sheffield Terrace and Dartmouth Road Sheffield Terrace

Section 4. If any provisions of this Ordinance or application thereof, under any circumstances, is held invalid, the invalidity shall not affect any of the provisions or applications of this Ordinance that can be given effect without the valid provision(s) or application and to this end, the provisions of the Ordinance are severable.

Section 5. All other Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 6. Unless another penalty is expressly provided by New Jersey Statute, every person convicted of a violation of any provision of this Ordinance or any supplement thereto shall be liable to the penalty of not more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) or imprisonment for a term not to exceed fifteen (15) days or both.

Section 7. This Ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and publication in accordance with law and approval by the New Jersey Department of Transportation if necessary.

Robert D. Parisi, Mayor

Jerry Guarino, Council President

Karen J. Carnevale, R.M.C.
Municipal Clerk

Introduced: November 10, 2015

Adopted: November 24, 2015

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY

The Ordinance, which amends the Traffic Regulations of the Township, designates the intersection of Sheffield Terrace and Dartmouth Road as a Stop Intersection with a Stop Sign to be placed on Sheffield Terrace. This intersection is a “T” intersection with Sheffield Terrace forming the stem of the “T”. Due to the volume of traffic which travels on Sheffield Terrace and Dartmouth Road, the Township’s Engineering Division determined that traffic needed to be regulated at this intersection for the safe movement of traffic through it. The Engineering Division recommended designating the intersection as a Stop Intersection with a Stop Sign on Sheffield Terrace to provide for the safe movement of traffic there. Without a Stop Sign Sheffield Terrace the normal right-of-way rule is not expected to provide reasonably safe operation of this intersection.

October 28, 2015

Mayor and Township Council
Municipal Building
66 Main Street
West Orange, New Jersey 07052

RE: **AMENDMENTS TO CHAPTER 7, TRAFFIC
STOP INTERSECTIONS**

Mayor Parisi, Council President Guarino, Ladies and Gentlemen:

The attached Ordinance will designate the intersection of Sheffield Terrace and Dartmouth Road as a Stop Intersection with a Stop Sign on Sheffield Terrace. This intersection is a "T" intersection with Sheffield Terrace forming the stem of the "T" where a Stop Sign will be placed. I certify that this regulation is approved by me after investigation of the circumstances, and that it appears to be in the interest of safety and the expeditious movement of traffic. Based on this, I request this approval of this Stop Intersection pursuant to N.J.S.A. 39:4-8(b).

I performed my investigations of this intersection by field inspections, manual traffic counts and accident investigations, and based on these findings I recommend this intersection be designated as a Stop Intersection with a Stop Sign on the stem of the "T" for this intersection. Based on the traffic counts, the Stop Sign will be placed on the minor street as prescribed in the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD). A Stop Sign on the stem of the "T" at this intersection is required since the normal right-of-way rule is not expected to provide reasonably safe operation of this intersection.

If you have any questions on this regulation, please call me.

Very truly yours,

Leonard R. Lepore, Municipal Engineer
Director of Public Works

LRL/tp
enc.

cc: John K. Sayers
Richard D. Trenk
Kenneth Kayser
Police Chief James Abbott

file: ordinance stop intersection sheffield terrace and Dartmouth road

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING
CHAPTER 7, TRAFFIC, SUBSECTION 7-32.2,
RESTRICTED PARKING ZONES,
OF THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF
THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST ORANGE

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Council of the Township of West Orange, in the County of Essex, State of New Jersey as follows:

Section 1. Subsection 7-32.2, Restricted Parking Zones, of the Revised General Ordinances of the Township of West Orange is hereby supplemented and amended as follows (*italic type denotes deletion, bold type denotes addition*):

7-32.2 Restricted Parking Zones. Pursuant to N.J.S.A 39:4-197.6, Restricted Parking Zones, as defined in N.J.S.A. 39:4-207.6e, are established in front of the following residences as indicated on the Tax Maps of the Township of West Orange, at the specified locations. Parking within a specific zone is restricted to the motor vehicle issued a permit pursuant to N.J.S.A. 39:4-197.7. In accordance with N.J.S.A., 39:4-197.6 parking is permitted in the Restricted Parking Zone except when prohibited in front of the residence by other sections of this Chapter.

Residence Address	No. of Spaces	Location
28 Cross Street	1	Beginning 122 feet north of the northerly curbline of Freeman Street extended and extending 18 feet northerly.

Section 2. If any provision of this Ordinance or application thereof, under any circumstances, is held invalid, the invalidity shall not effect any other provisions or applications of this Ordinance that can be given effect without the invalid provision(s) or application(s) and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are severable.

Section 3. All other Ordinances or parts of Ordinances inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and publication in accordance with law and upon the approval of the New Jersey Department of Transportation if required.

ROBERT D. PARISI, MAYOR

JERRY GUARINO, COUNCIL PRESIDENT

KAREN J. CARNEVALE, MUNICIPAL CLERK

Introduced: November 10, 2015

Adopted: November 24, 2015

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY

This Ordinance is in response to a request from a handicapped resident who resides at 28 Cross Street. By adopting this Ordinance, the Township will establish a handicapped parking stall adjacent to this address. Such parking stalls are permissible under the laws of New Jersey, and they are designated as a Restricted Parking Zone.

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2, SECTION 52.2 OF THE REVISED
GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST ORANGE, ENTITLED
"COMPOSITION OF COMMISSION"**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF WEST ORANGE**, in the County of Essex and State of New Jersey, that
Chapter 2, Section 52.2 of the Revised General Ordinances of the Township of West Orange
shall be amended and superseded as follows:

2-52 PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMISSION

2-52.2 Composition of Commission.

The Commission shall be composed of eight (8) members each of whom shall be bona fide residents of West Orange. Each member of the Township Council shall appoint one (1) member to the Commission and the Mayor shall appoint three (3) members to the Commission each to serve a one (1) year term renewable at expiration for the remainder of the elected officials term. The members shall be commissioned by the submission of a letter to the Township Clerk's office. All vacancies shall be filled for the unexpired term only. Each member of the Township Council and the Mayor shall reappoint their Commissioner upon reelection or appoint new Commissioners. Each Public Relations Commissioner's term expires with the elected official who nominated them. The Township Council shall appoint one (1) Council member to serve as a liaison to the Commission each year.

Commissioners may be recommended for removal from the Commission for acts or deeds considered by the Public Relations Commission, Township Council or Mayor as contrary to the aims and goals of the Public Relations Commission; three (3) consecutive missed regularly scheduled Public Relations Commission meetings or attendance at less than two-thirds (2/3) of the yearly meetings.

To remove a Public Relations Commissioner from office a written explanation of the reason for said removal shall be submitted to the Council President, Mayor, nominating Elected Official (if not one of the previous) and Public Relations Commissioner involved by the Chairperson of the Public Relations Commission. Upon receipt of the notice from the Commission the nominating elected official may remove and replace said Commissioner. A replacement shall be selected by said nominator to finish the vacated, unexpired term. (Ord. 1893-03 § 2; Ord. No. 2170-08 § II)

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that the remainder of Chapter 2 shall remain unchanged.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that if any section, paragraph, subsection, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be adjudged by the courts to be invalid, such adjudication shall apply only to the section, paragraph, subsection, clause or provision so adjudicated, and the remainder of the Ordinance shall be deemed valid and effective.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that any ordinances or parts thereof in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are repealed to the extent of such conflict.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that this Ordinance shall take effect upon passage and publication in accordance with law.

Karen J. Carnevale
Municipal Clerk

Jerry Guarino
Council President

Robert D. Parisi, Mayor

Introduction: November 24, 2015

Adopted: December 15, 2015

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY

This Ordinance is intended to foster a close working relationship between the Township Council and the Public Relations Commission. To ensure this working relationship continues, the amendment to Chapter 2, Section 52.2 includes the Township Council's appointment of one Council member to serve as a liaison to the Commission each year.