

**ABERDEEN TOWNSHIP COUNCIL WORKSHOP MEETING
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2009**

Present: Owen Drapkin
Joseph Raymond
Fred Tagliarini
Vincent Vinci
Wilhelmina Gumbs

Absent: Thomas Perry
David G. Sobel

Also Present: Joe Criscuolo, Township Manager
Diane Dabulas, Township Attorney

Deputy Mayor Gumbs called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and stated that notice of this meeting has been posted and published in compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act.

Bids for Snow Removal for Mass Transit Parking Lots: Bids were received by the Township Manager on November 20, 2009 for aforementioned project. Vic's Landscaping of Morganville, NJ was the lone responsible bidder. A straw poll vote was unanimously in favor of bringing this resolution to tonight's public meeting.

Transfer of Liquor Licenses: Pulijal Associates owner of two liquor licenses in Aberdeen is transferring pocket Broad C license to his location on Route 34. The Route 34 distribution license is being transferred to a location on Route 35. Council had concerns being in the same location as a day care and Fun Time America. Fred Kalma, Esq. attorney for Pulijal Associates presented a letter from the day care center stating no objections. Diane Dabulas stated there is no basis for denial. A straw poll vote was unanimously in favor of bringing these resolutions to tonight's public meeting.

Joe Criscuolo stated at the last council meeting he was asked to survey residents on West Prospect Avenue regarding speed bumps. The letter went out, out of 95 surveys there was 34 - yes, 4 - no, 57 - no responses. We will wait to receive more responses.

Joe Criscuolo stated John Curran, Tax Clerk will be retiring, Connie Eliason will take John's position. Lisa Ballista, part time Violations Clerk will take Connie's position in The Water and Sewer Department. There will be an ad posted for a part time replacement in the Court, for up to 18 ½ hours.

Mr. Criscuolo stated Columbia Bank donated \$25,000 to South Aberdeen EMS for a new rig.

Councilman Raymond stated the beach took a beating with the last two storms.

Councilman Raymond asked to change the name of Overlook Park for Lance Corporal Philip Frank, who died in the Iraq War and for it to be part of Memorial Day festivities.

Councilman Raymond made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Councilman Tagliarini and unanimously concurred by Council.

Wilhelmina Gumbs, Deputy Mayor

Karen Ventura, Municipal Clerk