

up of surplus and felt the monies should be returned to the municipalities.

Mr. Aitken asked if they get audited.

Mayor Sobel stated yes they have their own auditor.

Anthony Garaguso
105 Atlantic Avenue

Mr. Garaguso asked how much the total surplus is and how much Matawan is offered back.

Mayor Sobel stated the surplus is approx. \$900,000, the library set aside \$400,000 - \$300,000 for furniture and \$100,000 for an elevator. The total is \$275,000 to be returned to both municipalities, Aberdeen would be \$184,402 and the balance would go to Matawan.

Mr. Aitken asked can the town not fund them.

Mayor Sobel stated no, we would get sued.

Diane Dabulas stated it is a State Regulation.

Mr. Garaguso asked if the lawyer fees come out of surplus.

Diane Dabulas stated it comes out of their operating budget.

Vito Turchiano
863 South Concourse

Mr. Turchiano stated Mrs. Gumbs stated it was an open meeting. Why don't a bunch of us go to this open meeting.

Mayor Sobel stated first Wednesday of the month in the Library at 7:30 p.m.

Mr. Aitken stated my kids go there they do have nice programs.

Mayor Sobel stated they do a fine job and offer as many programs as they can.

There being no one else wishing to be heard Mayor Sobel declared the Hearing of the Citizens closed.

MINUTES

Councilman Raymond made a motion to adopt the Workshop and Regular Meeting Minutes of April 7, 2009. Seconded by Deputy Mayor Gumbs.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Ayes: Councilman Perry, Raymond, Tagliarini, Vinci, Deputy Mayor Gumbs and Mayor Sobel

Nays: None
Abstain: Councilman Drapkin

NEW BUSINESS

CONSENT AGENDA

Councilman Tagliarini made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda, all items listed under 7A.

Seconded by Councilman Drapkin

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Ayes: Councilmen Drapkin, Perry, Raymond, Tagliarini, Vinci, Deputy Mayor Gumbs and Mayor Sobel

Nays: None

Abstain: None

RESOLUTION NO. 2009-67 – BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council that it hereby authorizes the following assurances to the Matawan Aberdeen Public Library, as amended.

HEARING OF THE CITIZENS/CORRESPONDENCE AND PETITIONS

Mayor Sobel asked any member of the public wishing to be heard to come forward and to state their name and address.

Ben Defenbaugh

June Place

Mr. Defenbaugh stated the Town Manager talked about the Aberdeen Update everyone received it, I asked about the advise for property taxes, which was in it and no one knew about it.

Mr. Criscuolo stated he will get it and have it posted on the website.

Ken Aitken

65 Juniper

Mr. Aitken stated what happens to properties in foreclosure or abandon. They are not maintained especially pool and a mosquito problem.

Mr. Criscuolo stated Monmouth County Health Department will take care of mosquito.

Maxine Rescorl stated there is a process for property maintenance and the foreclosures. We do our best and try to keep on top of this.

There being no one else wishing to be heard, Mayor Sobel closed the Hearing of the Citizens/Correspondence and Petitions.

ADJOURNMENT

Councilman Raymond made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Deputy Mayor Gumbs and unanimously concurred by Council.

David G. Sobel, Mayor

Karen Ventura, Municipal Clerk