

**ABERDEEN TOWNSHIP COUNCIL WORKSHOP MEETING
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2005**

Present: Nicholas Minutolo
 Joseph Raymond
 Vincent Vinci
 Owen Drapkin
 David G. Sobel

Absent: Wilhelmina Gumbs
 Thomas Perry

Also Present: Mark Coren, Township Manager
 Ralph Conte and Colleen Paterson, Township Attorneys

Mayor Sobel 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.

Appointments to Historical Commission: The members are Pauline Drake, Prudence Marino, Dolores Olsen, Constance Petrillo and Thomas Falco with Edward Fitzgerald as Township Historian. A straw poll vote was unanimously in favor of bringing this resolution to tonight's public meeting.

Appointments to Environmental and Shade Tree Advisory Board: The members are Adeline Arnold, Frank Huza, Michael Brodnitz, Robert Cohen and Tina Walling as regular members, Debbie Gries as alternate and Maryann Cantone and Nina Pettyjohn as student members. A straw poll vote was unanimously in favor of bringing this resolution to tonight's public meeting.

Canceling Amounts no Longer Necessary in General Capital: This is a cancellation that is no longer necessary in the Capital Program for the Train Station Redevelopment in the amount of \$132,671.00. Deputy Mayor Drapkin stated wasn't it funded by the developer. Mr. Coren stated yes but we have to fund the receivable. A straw poll vote was unanimously in favor of bringing this resolution to tonight's public meeting.

Monmouth County Mosquito Extermination: A letter dated February 4, 2005 was sent to the Township Council from the aforementioned requesting authorization for the aerial surveillance and treatment program. They thanked the Council for their past participation and requested same for this year. There being no reason not to participate. A straw poll vote was unanimously in favor of bringing this resolution to the next public meeting.

Amusement License: This is the annual license for Fun Time America, 111 Route 35 South, Cliffwood. Mayor Sobel stated a long time back there was a concern about games of chance. Mr. Coren stated we have not had any problems or have we received any complaints from the

police. We can only assume they are operating consistent with prior approvals. They are in compliance with Legalized Games of Chance. A straw poll vote was unanimously in favor of bringing this resolution to tonight's public meeting.

Councilman Raymond stated we received a memo from Mrs. Arnold, Environmental and Shade Tree Advisory Board, can we put that on the workshop for the next meeting. Mr. Coren stated he would like to go over it with the Township Planner.

Councilman Raymond stated we also received a letter from Old Bridge regarding a variance. Mr. Coren stated he will have the Township Planner look at this also.

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

David G. Sobel, Mayor

Karen Ventura, Municipal Clerk