

**ABERDEEN TOWNSHIP COUNCIL WORKSHOP MEETING
MONDAY, JUNE 6, 2005**

Present: Wilhelmina Gumbs
 Nicholas Minutolo
 Thomas Perry
 Joseph Raymond
 Vincent Vinci
 Owen Drapkin
 David G. Sobel

Absent: None

Also Present: Mark Coren, Township Manager
 Daniel McCarthy & Colleen Paterson, Township Attorney

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.

Award of Contract for Rental of School Buses and Coach Buses with Drivers: Bids were received on May 5, 2005 for the above stated. Milu Bus Co, Matawan, NJ. was the lowest responsible bidder for the Rental of School Buses with an aggregate price of \$39,722.36 and Stout's, Trenton, NJ was the lone bidder for Coach Buses with a price of \$4,180.00. In a memo dated May 16, 2005, Jim Colabelli, Recreation Director recommends we accept the bid from Milu Bus Co. and Stout's. A straw poll vote was unanimously in favor of bringing this resolution to tonight's public meeting.

Rejecting Bids for Renovations of the George Hausmann Senior Center: Bids were received on May 4, 2005 for the Renovations of the George Hausmann Senior Center. The bids ranged from \$625,000 to \$1,000,000. This is for a 1200 foot expansion of the building, the overall budget was \$450,000. In a letter dated May 12, 2005, Andrew Trocchia, Architect recommends rejecting all bids due to bids exceeding budgetary limitations and recommends that options to reduce the project cost be revisited. A straw poll vote was unanimously in favor of bringing this resolution to tonight's public meeting.

Adding to List of State Contract Vendors: Princeton Nassau Conover Ford, contract #51903 is added to the list of State Contract Vendors. A straw poll vote was unanimously in favor of bringing this resolution to tonight's public meeting.

Release of Performance Guarantees: Foodarama Supermarkets has requested being released from their performance guarantees for Block 86, Lots 5, 8 & 9. In a memo dated May 19, 2005, Tim Gillen, CME Associates recommends said release with the satisfactory posting of maintenance bonds, payment of all outstanding fees and escrow and concurrence by the Township Manager

and Township Attorney. A straw poll vote was unanimously in favor of bringing this resolution to the next public meeting.

Renewal of Liquor Licenses for 2005/2006: All liquor licenses in the Township of Aberdeen have submitted their renewals and paid their appropriate fees. Memos from the Police Department, Inspectors and Health Inspectors all concur with renewal. A straw poll vote was unanimously in favor of bringing this resolution to the next public meeting.

Interlocal Service Agreement for Epidemiologist and other Specialized Public Health Services: This is an agreement between Monmouth County Regional Health Commission and the Township of Aberdeen for the above stated. This is upon the recommendation of Bob Scapicio, Health Officer. A straw poll vote was unanimously in favor of bringing this resolution to the next public meeting.

Councilman Raymond stated Friday night at the High School track starting at 5:00 p.m. will be a Walk for Life for cancer survivors.

Councilman Raymond made a motion to adjourn to executive session, seconded by Councilman Minutolo and unanimously concurred by Council.

The meeting reconvened with all the same members in attendance.

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

David G. Sobel, Mayor

Karen Ventura, Municipal Clerk