

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

Oceanport, New Jersey
February 1, 2001

REGULAR MEETING: The Regular Meeting of the Oceanport Mayor and Council was called to order on February 1, 2001 at 8:00 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Councilpersons Apruzzi, Gatta, Lyons, Wolfe, McGann, Silkworth and Mayor Gemma.

OFFICIALS PRESENT: Borough Clerk, Patricia L. Varca and Borough Attorney, Francis A. Margalotti.

INVOCATION: Borough Chaplain Berry gave the invocation.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Mayor Gemma led the audience and members of the Council in the flag salute.

As copies of the minutes from the regular meeting held on January 18, 2001 had been made available to the members of the Governing Body, Councilwoman Silkworth moved to waive the reading of same and approve the minutes as presented by the Borough Clerk. It was seconded by Councilman Wolfe and approved by Council with the exception of Councilman McGann who abstained since he was absent.

CLERK'S REPORTS: No Reports.

COMMITTEES:

COUNCILMAN APRUZZI: No Report.

COUNCILWOMAN GATTA: No Report.

COUNCILMAN LYONS: Councilman Lyons advised that the Fire Department is setting up the computerized system in order to keep records of all fire calls and they should be generating reports in the near future of all calls.

COUNCILMAN WOLFE: Councilman Wolfe asked the Clerk to read resolution **R-01-20** regarding a transfer of funds, after which he moved to approve same. It was seconded by Councilman Apruzzi and unanimously approved by Council.

Councilman Wolfe asked the Clerk to read resolution **R-01-21** amending the 2001 temporary budget after which he moved to approve same. It was seconded by Councilwoman Gatta and unanimously approved by Council.

Councilman Wolfe then asked the Clerk to read resolution **R-01-22** regarding the refund of any over payment of property taxes, after which he moved to approve same. It was seconded by Councilman Lyons and unanimously approved by Council.

COUNCILMAN MCGANN: No Report.

COUNCILWOMAN SILKWORTH: No Report.

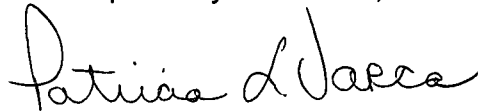
MAYOR GEMMA: Mayor Gemma advised that last week he attended the Mayor's Day in Trenton and talked to some of our Legislators and the most talked about subject was property tax relief.

Mayor Gemma then opened the meeting to the public for any comments or questions they might wish to make, but as no one else from the public wished to be heard, Mayor Gemma closed the public portion of the meeting.

Councilman Wolfe moved to approve the vouchers on the Bill List dated February 1, 2001. It was seconded by Councilman Apruzzi and unanimously approved by Council. 2001 VOUCHERS PAID PRIOR TO THIS MEETING \$68,402.03. 2001 VOUCHERS PAID THIS MEETING \$671,764.05. TOTAL 2001 VOUCHERS \$740,166.08. TOTAL RECREATION TRUST \$350.00. TOTAL DOG REGISTRY \$464.20. TOTAL TRUST \$4,865.50. (SEE BILL LIST)

At 8:05 p.m. Councilwoman Silkworth moved to adjourn this meeting until the next regular meeting scheduled to be held on February 15, 2001 at 8:00 P.M. It was seconded by Councilman McGann and unanimously approved by Council.

Respectfully submitted,



PATRICIA L. VARCA
BOROUGH CLERK