

REGULAR MEETING

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Oceanport, New Jersey
January 21, 1993

REGULAR MEETING: The regular meeting of the Oceanport Mayor and Council was called to order on January 21, 1993 at 8:03 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Councilpersons Terra, Filippone, Miller, Taylor, Wolfe and Mayor Cavanagh.

MEMBERS ABSENT: Councilman Clark.

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

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

As copies of the minutes from the regular meetings held on November 19, December 3, 17 and 28, 1992 had been reviewed by the Mayor and Council, Councilman Terra moved to waive the reading of same and approve the minutes as submitted by the Clerk. It was seconded by Councilman Miller and approved by Council with the exception of Councilman Taylor abstaining from voting on the minutes of the meeting held on November 19 and Councilman Miller abstaining from the minutes of the meeting held on December 3, 1992 due to the fact that neither were present at those noted meetings.

CLERK'S REPORTS:

1. Police report for the month of DECEMBER, 1992 and a copy will be posted on the Bulletin Board.

COMMITTEES:

COUNCILMAN CLARK: ABSENT.

COUNCILMAN TERRA: Councilman Terra asked the Clerk to read resolution R-93-8 R-93-8 appointing the Emergency Management Council Committee for 1993, after which he moved to approve same. It was seconded by Councilwoman Filippone and unanimously approved by Council.

Councilman Terra wanted to bring to everyone's attention one of the items on the monthly Police Report and commented that it is quite staggering and during the month of December, probably during the storm period, the calls answered by the Dispatchers totalled 8,360 calls. He commented that the Police Department did an outstanding job in answering the calls.

Councilman Terra commended Detective Mauro Baldanza who completed a course on Advance Photography at the Monmouth County Police Academy and Sgt. Harold Sutton on a course he completed entitled Frauds, Confidence Schemes and Itinerant Criminals.

Councilman Terra thanked Tom Braumuller for getting a bunch of folks together this past weekend and cleaning up most of Old Wharf Park and he asked Tom Braumuller, who was in the audience, to extend the thanks of the Governing Body to all those who participated in this clean up.

Councilman Terra also extended his thanks to Joe Feiter and his group who cleaned up and recycled as many Christmas trees as they could manage this past Saturday.

Councilman Terra extended his condolences to the Malley family.

COUNCILWOMAN FILIPPONE: Councilwoman Filippone also extended her condolences to the Malley family as well and to wish young Mr. Malley a speedy recovery and she saw him yesterday and he appears to be coming along quite well physically, but he has a long, hard road ahead of him and they are in our prayers.

Councilwoman Filippone read a letter sent to the Oceanport First Aid Squad expressing the sincere appreciation for the emergency assistance provided by the Squad at Monmouth Park on Friday, 1/8/93 and noting that the Squad's quick response and superior efforts in aiding their injured employees was greatly appreciated and it was signed by Bob Kulina, General Manager of Monmouth Park.

Councilwoman Filippone reported the Oceanport First Aid Squad had a fund drive recently and it is estimated that we have 1824 homes plus 54 businesses in the Borough and unfortunately, less than half the homes/businesses have donated to the fund drive. Councilwoman Filippone appealed to anyone who had not as yet donated, to please help out because this is a totally volunteer Squad and without the financial assistance of the community, they are finding it very difficult to function, since it is necessary for them to constantly upgrade their equipment and have training.

Councilwoman Filippone commended John Long who received the John Hauser Award for Outstanding Service in 1992 from the Oceanport First Aid Squad and was presented this award by Joann Campbell, the outgoing Captain and she also wanted to particularly thank Joann Campbell for the great job she did during 1992.

Councilwoman Filippone made note of the fact that the Oceanport First Aid Squad was very appreciative of the community support they received for their Holiday Bazaar and Christmas Tree sales despite the fact that the bazaar had been scheduled for the day after the storm and they did make a profit between the tree sales and bazaar that totalled almost \$1,000, so that really helps.

Councilwoman Filippone noted that this week on Friday from 5-9 PM and on Saturday from 9 AM - 1 PM there will be a blood drive at the Oceanport First Aid Squad Building and we would appreciate if the community would support this blood drive and it was supposed to be held for Mr. Malley, but now they will replace some of the blood that he received.

Councilwoman Filippone commented that with the assistance of the First Aid Squad, we have tentatively set the date of April 24, 1993 for the annual Health Screening and we are just waiting for a confirmation from the National Health Labs to see if this is a date they can fit into their schedule and she will report at the next meeting.

Councilwoman Filippone advised under the Board of Health they have elected officers for 1993 and Connie Savarese will be the President and Carol Miller will be Vice President. She also reported that the Board of Health will be conducting a rabies clinic on Saturday, February 20, 1993 at the Port-au-Peck Chemical Hose Fire Company from 9-11 AM and she urged everyone to get their dogs and cats vaccinated. She also advised the

residents that the rabies problem is still with us and she did not want people to think it was over because it is winter time.

Councilwoman Filippone stated that the Monmouth County Board of Health is doing lead screening testing for children and the Oceanport Board of Health has agreed that since we really do not have that much of a call for this type of testing, it would be a major endeavor to do our own testing, so the County Board of Health has agreed to test anyone in Oceanport who feels that their child should be tested and it is for children between the ages of 6 months to 6 years and they would go to a clinic in another town and have them tested and Asbury Park is the closest one for people in Oceanport.

Councilwoman Filippone informed the public that there was only one case of Lyme disease reported last year.

Mayor Cavanagh wanted to just follow up on the situation concerning the First Aid Squad and asked the Press if they would try and include this in their reports about the meeting. He stated that on occasion, people who are not familiar with the working of the Squad, have assumed that there is some type of payment involved in being a First Aider or that their income is taken care of by either the Borough or outside people, etc. He advised that like the Fire Department, the First Aid Squad is a fully volunteer organization. He continued that the personnel who take care of the calls and take care of the residents, are all volunteers.

Mayor Cavanagh reported that he had asked Carol Connor to give him some statistics on the Squad and he wanted to relay some of the numbers that caught his eye as he reviewed this material and commented that in 1992 the Squad made 218 calls and the average expense of items that are used on the calls is about \$56 per call so even with donating their time and equipment in the form of the ambulance, the actual throw away items that they lose at every call averages about \$56 and last year that total expenditure was a little over \$12,000 just for this one area. He continued that if you try to envision what it would cost to supply the Borough with a 3 person crew, available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and then add in benefits, insurance, etc. as if it were a fully paid Borough operation, you would be looking at approximately \$300 per year, per household to take care of this type of expense.

Mayor Cavanagh stated that after hearing the results of the fund drive from Councilwoman Filippone, which indicated they raised approximately \$24,000 in 1992, which is less than half the residences in the Borough and he has never heard anything but complimentary things about the Squad, he can only believe that it is the absence of knowledge of the situation, rather than a deliberate intention to accomplish that purpose. He felt for years when Ski was alive, he would always tell the Mayor that if this type of trend continues, the Borough will wind up with a paid first aid organization in the future and as he thinks about Ski, he is not sure that he was wrong, if this type of cycle continues in small towns such as ourselves. He felt that often we tend to take for granted the hours and hours of time and commitment that these volunteers give and if we are not going to be responsive to them when they have a need, we are going to wind up paying much, much more than each household making a simple donation.

Mayor Cavanagh advised that he is making this appeal to the residents of the Borough because the First Aid Squad essentially should not have to ask for money so that they can volunteer and give their time. He is hoping that despite the harshness of the economic time, that people simply on the

basis of people thinking about economic good sense, that if we are not able to sustain these volunteer services, the implication is simple: we are going to have to pay substantial amounts of money instead of having everyone make a respectable donation. He stated that according to the Squad, if every household could donate \$35 per year, with an 85% return, the Squad would be able to function and purchase their own ambulance every five years. Mayor Cavanagh commented that the last ambulance they were able to purchase, they could not continue to make the payments and the Borough took them over and helped them out, but it is becoming more and more difficult each year for them to exist and this community would be sorely affected if that Squad were to say we just can't make it work any more and turned this over to a paid concept and the residents will be substantially affected economically.

Mayor Cavanagh asked all the residents, on behalf of the entire Governing Body to please think through the situation and recognize that the First Aid Squad, as with our other volunteer organizations, are in dire need of assistance, just so they can continue to serve the Borough.

Councilwoman Filippone added that the Oceanport First Aid Squad are one of the few Squads left in the area that does do transportation calls and recently picked up a woman from Rahway Hospital and brought her down to Monmouth Medical the day after Christmas and four volunteers gave up their time to bring her back down and fortunately, the Squad did receive a very nice letter with a donation, which is helpful.

COUNCILMAN MILLER: Councilman Miller offered his condolences to the Malley family.

R-93-9 Councilman Miller asked the Clerk to read resolution R-93-9 opposing Assembly Bill #A-1280, after which he moved to approve same. It was seconded by Councilman Terra and unanimously approved by Council.

Councilman Miller commented on the resolution just adopted stating that this particular bill would take away the funding process for the New Jersey Public Interest Research Group, which is a watch dog group in Trenton to watch and see that businesses, industry and large developers do not trample on the environmental nature of our State. He continued that several Assemblymen are trying to take away that process and do away with NJPIRG and he is pleased that we have adopted this resolution.

Councilman Miller moved to award a contract to the low bidder, Statewide Maintenance, So. Belmar, for cleaning services to the Borough Buildings for 1993 in the amount of \$10,180. It was seconded by Councilman Taylor and unanimously approved by Council.

Councilman Miller also extended his thanks to Tom Braumuller and the people he had organized to clean up Old Wharf Park because right after the storm, the Park which has won awards in the past, was a sad site to look at and he and his group have cleaned between half and three quarters of the Park and he is very grateful.

Councilman Miller advised that the Water Watch Committee had submitted an application for an award under the direction of Councilman Taylor, who is our new Council Liaison and it is an award given by the NJDEPE and there are 9 such awards and the award we have received is for Clean Water by monitoring the Shrewsbury River and enlightening the citizens of our community as to what they can do to help clean up the river. He will be

accepting the award next Thursday evening at the Camden Aquarium and attending with him will be one of the Vice Chairmen of that Committee, Brian Cavanagh and he is very proud to be accepting this award on behalf of our Committee.

Councilman Miller advised that the January testing results are just out and on January 16 we tested the water and the majority of the sites were in the good 75% overall water quality index or higher and there was only one site opposite Wardell Circle that was a little bit lower and in the winter the river tends to clean itself up.

Councilman Miller also advised they had received results of the track testing at Turtle Mews Creek which was done one day before the storm in December and all the sites were in the neighborhood of 80-130 coliform colonies, which is well within the limit of acceptability at this time of the year.

Councilman Miller announced that the Committee has gotten a Monmouth College senior biology major, Jason Smith, to help us out with a bio survey of the river and this will enable us to perform an overall health analysis as far as the river is concerned.

Councilman Miller stated that he and Councilman Wolfe and one of the members of the Water Watch Committee, an 8th grader by the name of Brian Orlando, went up to the January meeting of the Navesink River Group and this was in response to an article in the newspaper that related that this group was interested in doing chemical testing up there. He went to the meeting and advised them that he would be very interested in working with them and this is because he believes that basically the Navesink and the Shrewsbury Rivers are tied together and the towns should get together and work on the environmental aspect.

Councilman Miller commented that at this meeting there was a presentation by a Marine Police Sgt. Martin from the Monmouth Beach Detachment and he advised that as of right now the State Police under which the Marine Police come under, is about to abolish that particular site and relocate part of the unit to Point Pleasant Beach and the other part of the unit to Newark. He stated that there was a discussion after his presentation to move them out of Monmouth Beach would put them a long way away from the needs of the boaters from both rivers. He asked Mayor Cavanagh when he attends the next Two River Council of Mayors meeting to bring up this matter and write a letter to the Attorney General opposing this relocation.

Mayor Cavanagh stated he wanted to just follow up on the award Councilman Miller reported on and commented that the Water Watch Committee is only two years old and we have won a County award and now we have one of nine State awards from the DEPE for the efforts of the entire group of people and this is another volunteer group who gives a lot of their time and effort for a very worthwhile cause and he felt this was a tremendous accomplishment in a very short period of time that this Committee has become award winning and recognized on both a County and State level and he asked Councilman Miller to convey to everyone on the Committee from the Governing Body our appreciation.

Councilman Terra offered his compliments to Councilman Miller because he has been the driving force on this Committee and his organizational and leadership skills have been outstanding and they will only continue to get better.

COUNCILMAN TAYLOR: Councilman Taylor offered his condolences to the Malley family.

Councilman Taylor reported under the Drug Alliance, he wanted to thank Fran Micelli for being the Guest Speaker at the last meeting and she works for Monmouth County Alcohol and Drug Council. He also advised that the next Drug Alliance meeting will be held on February 17, 1993 at the Maple Place School.

Councilman Taylor reported under the Board of Education, he wanted to inform the public that the Board of Education is looking into changing the electric heat over to gas at the Maple Place School and they are presently reviewing the material.

Councilman Taylor stated that he and Joe Centanni, Joe Feiter and Councilman Wolfe assisted in picking up the Christmas Trees and he wanted to thank them for their help and also wanted to give a special thanks to Angelo's Paving for donating a half day's truck time with two dump trucks to help recycle the trees.

Councilman Taylor also reported that we have received notice of three household hazardous waste collection days and they will be on April 3 at the Monmouth County Reclamation Center on Shafto Road; May 1 in Hazlet Township at the County Garage on Union Ave.; June 5 at Freehold Township at the Humane Services Building on Kozloski Road and he has posted the notice on the front door of the Borough Hall and it will be published in the next Bulletin.

Councilman Taylor advised the residents that curbside recycling which had been suspended for the month of January due to the storm, will begin on February 3, 1993.

R-93-10 COUNCILMAN WOLFE: Councilman Wolfe asked the Clerk to read resolution R-93-10 appointing the Borough Auditor for 1993, after which he moved to approve same. It was seconded by Councilwoman Filippone and unanimously approved by Council.

R-93-11 Councilman Wolfe asked the Clerk to read resolution R-93-11 appointing a Borough Attorney for 1993, after which he moved to approve same. It was seconded by Councilman Taylor and unanimously approved by Council.

R-93-12 Councilman Wolfe asked the Clerk to read resolution R-93-12 appointing the Borough Engineer for 1993, after which he moved to approve same. It was seconded by Councilwoman Filippone and unanimously approved by Council.

R-93-13 Councilman Wolfe asked the Clerk to read resolution R-93-13 appointing Community Development representatives for 1993, after which he moved to approve same. It was seconded by Councilwoman Filippone and unanimously approved by Council.

Councilman Wolfe moved to temporarily appoint Councilman Miller to the Finance Committee, for the purpose of signing vouchers in Councilman Clark's absence. It was seconded by Councilman Terra and approved by Council.

Councilman Wolfe reported that we have experienced our first snow storm of the season approximately 10 days ago and our Public Works Department were out at the early stages of that storm sanding and when the

storm continued into Monday morning, they switched to snow plowing and plowed all the Borough streets and had them completed prior to the morning rush hour. He continued that without sending the men home, they began their day's work by disconnecting the plows and sanding equipment and by 7:30 a.m. were back on the streets picking up the storm debris, which they have been doing since December 14. Councilman Wolfe commented that every street in the Borough has been cleaned and there are isolated streets that have debris on them and have not been cleaned a third or fourth time, but the men are working and every location in the Borough that had debris out from the storm, has been cleaned a number of times and we are on the final stages of the mass quantity clean ups.

Mayor Cavanagh asked Councilman Wolfe how many tons he would estimate had been carted out of the Borough from the storm, to which Councilman Wolfe responded that we removed over 1,500 tons of material comprised of brush, debris, wood, etc. separate from the regular garbage pick up. He complimented the employees in the Public Works Department and stated they have been doing an excellent job in the clean up working over time and Saturdays.

Councilman Wolfe wished our new President much luck and success in the coming four years and obviously during the six months to a year with all the challenges he must face in leading our nation.

Councilman Wolfe offered his condolences and prayers to Pam Malley and her family upon the passing of her father.

MAYOR CAVANAGH: Mayor Cavanagh commented that we had experienced a difficult Fall season in some respects with the leaf collection and we have all struggled with it but insofar as the storm situation is concerned, he really feels the job done was exemplary and everyone involved putting it together should be complimented because it seems to him that we have done as well or better than anybody in terms of restoring some type of order to the streets and to allow the people to put some of this behind them. He stated although there was some criticism about the leaf situation, he truly wanted to say publicly that he felt we should all be pleased with the job done by Councilman Wolfe and his Public Works Department.

Mayor Cavanagh stated that regardless of one's political affiliation, we have a new President and Vice-President which he is sure we are all aware of and he is also sure that we all wish him the best in what is going to be a very difficult job economically, Foreign Policy wise and hopefully the type of enthusiasm and interest that was generated during the last week will carry over into the manner in which people approach the situation and as our new President said, you have to put some energy back into the community if we are going to survive and if we are going to accomplish all the things he has talked about. He felt the President was right on the money and we in the Borough are used to doing that so it is nothing that we have not heard and responded to before, but we wish him the best.

Mayor Cavanagh stated he has a proclamation which has been requested by the Fire Marshal proclaiming the week of February 7-13, 1993 as Burn Awareness Week in the Borough, which he read and stated would be posted in the Borough Hall. He also commented that it is rather ironic that we are doing this after what recently happened and we have all expressed our condolences to the Malley family and Tom Malley was a long time resident of this Borough and his untimely death is something that we all mourn and we certainly hope his family will be able to overcome the obvious sadness that they are going to be confronted with.

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Mayor Cavanagh then opened the meeting to the public for any comments they might care to make.

PETITIONS FROM THE PUBLIC:

Stu Briskey, 43 Manitto Place stated he was speaking to the Council in his capacity as Fire Chief and publicly thanked Tom Crochet, Captain of the Oceanport Hook & Ladder Fire Co. for the excellent job he did with that tragic situation we had over at the race track.

Mr. Briskey commented that subject of the volunteers in the Borough was brought up earlier in the meeting and he wanted to say that this situation showed that their training works and Tom Crochet got the Medivac Helicopters in there very quickly and also stated that Rick Sweger was there assisting. He also wanted to thank West Long Branch, Long Branch and Fort Monmouth Fire Departments who responded to help out.

Tom Braumuller, 62 Main Street asked Councilmen Taylor and Wolfe if they should consider not resuming curbside recycling pick up in early February, since as they know the suspended curbside notice has been posted at the Oceanport Hook & Ladder Fire Department community sign. He went on to state that he feels it may be a little premature because the west side of the Borough has still not been picked up and there is a lot of storm debris around and even though the Public Works Department has been working very hard, he does not think they will have the trucks available to do both tasks at the same time and suggested they suspend the curbside pick up until perhaps the beginning of March and give the Road Department more time to clean up the town. Mr. Braumuller commented that for years the residents brought the items over to the drop off site and did not think the residents would mind and he felt the residents would rather dump their recyclables here and get the storm debris removed from the streets.

Councilman Wolfe stated he have discussed this matter and the date to resume picking up curbside and we feel this time frame will work, since the Public Works will have approximately a week and a half to finish the other side and there is not the vast amounts of debris like on the other side and they felt that by the first week in February, both of these projects could be done.

Mr. Braumuller commented that the reason he made this suggestion is because the fire company recently had to respond to a fire from a pile of debris that was at the roadway and if the weather stays dry, it becomes a problem.

Councilman Taylor advised that the garbage contractor is beginning to pick up more items, since the bulk of the storm debris has been removed, so that will help as well.

Rick Sweger, 1244 Turf Drive asked why the Christmas Trees were not picked up along with the storm debris, rather than separately, to which Councilman Wolfe stated for the last several years, we have collected the trees separately so we know we have a clean load, no treated lumber, etc. and we chip them up and use the remains as mulch in the parks around town.

Mr. Sweger commented that the Mayor mentioned earlier the price of a fully paid First Aid Squad and he wanted to point out there is also the cost of a full time Fire Department to be considered because it would cost over one million dollars per year to put a seven man crew out per day.

Mayor Cavanagh stated he does not know how to make the people aware of this because the types of numbers we are speaking about are just about unbelievable, to which Mr. Sweger stated he realizes that the Governing Body understands, the question is how do we make the rest of the town understand the situation and pointed out that the fire companies are all volunteer as well and subsidized somewhat by the Borough, but we do a lot from donations and he wanted to mention that.

Mayor Cavanagh stated we try to inform the public for each of the volunteer organizations and suggested to Mr. Sweger that if he gives him a similar set of numbers, like the First Aid Squad did, he would be happy to read them at the next meeting, in order to try and make them realize what something like either of these volunteer organizations would cost.

Councilman Terra pointed out to Mr. Sweger that this is one of the reasons they have expanded coverage of the volunteer services in the Bulletin, to help make the public aware of what is going on.

Mr. Sweger echoed the sentiment that if the Marine Police leave Monmouth Beach their response time is going to be even worse to get to this area and if the Marine Police are leaving, the Governing Body is going to have to seriously think about getting some type of rescue boat into this town and there goes the budget again.

Councilman Terra responded that he and Chief Briskey have had a preliminary meeting shortly after January 1 and this was one of the items discussed regarding some type of boat to transport men and equipment to situations similar to what we had on Gooseneck Point, so we are already discussing this.

Alan Schneider, Horseneck Point wanted to commend the Borough in general for the many, many people who worked and volunteered that may have gone unmentioned and was very appreciative of everyone's efforts. He has been in Oceanport for fifty years and he has never seen a tide like we experienced on December 11, 1992.

Mr. Schneider stated as a result of that storm there are many floats on Horseneck Point and he realizes it takes a while to remove them because of the work involved and has no problem, but at the end of Horseneck Point there is an empty lot, which he owns, many of the floats appear to have been chopped and cut up and dumped there, which he is assuming is a temporary situation and eventually it will be cleaned up. He also mentioned that he just took a ride down there tonight and noticed that people are also now dumping trash and that has never happened in the ten years he has owned the property.

Councilman Wolfe stated that the only docks that were cut up were ones that were damaged too much to be saved and they used his lot because it was the closest open area they could find, but he assured Mr. Schneider that the area would be cleaned up including the recent deposits of trash that someone has made at that location.

Mr. Schneider wanted to mention, in regard to Councilman Miller's report on the water quality, if the Water Watch Committee ever comes into the area of Oceanport or Parker's Creek, to which Councilman Miller stated that one of our sampling sites is where the canal comes out on Asbury Avenue and basically what we did in 1992 was ambient testing out in the river to see the relationship between the storm water run off from storm

drains that we had done in 1991. Councilman Miller stated there were about four storm drains that empty into that particular area, so that was one site.

Councilman Miller advised that there is a woman by the name of Rosemary Brewer who is the Chairman of the Little Silver Environmental Commission and he is trying to involve them as well, to work with us and perhaps they would test Parker's Creek.

Mr. Schneider commented that Parker's Creek borders both Little Silver and Oceanport and stated that what is unique about Parker's Creek is that Fort Monmouth has a primary plant and it dumps into Parker's Creek way up in the head waters almost as far as the County Library.

Councilman Miller informed Mr. Schneider that during the Summer of 1991, in addition to our testing of Branchport Creek to document the activity of the race track, we also did at least 3-4 times during the summer, we tested Parker's Creek 2-3 times during the summer of 1991 and we went all the way up to the railroad bridge and the numbers were never higher than 150-175 as far as the coliform count was concerned.

Mr. Schneider asked if there was any testing done in 1992, to which Councilman Miller stated they did not test there during 92 and continued that we have received from the Shrewsbury Yacht Club another pontoon boat in addition to the Litterbug and hopefully when we have this new floating laboratory in action, it will cut the time of taking the samples probably in half.

Councilman Miller stated one of the reasons we submitted the application for a State award is to make them aware of what we are doing here and hopefully receive some type of financing to continue and improve this testing, since we are only really a civic type organization and we are basically doing our work with very little money. He continued that if we had \$5,000-\$7,000 we would be able to outfit the boat and get some instrumentation that would allow us to do everything that we do now, except the fecal coliform, on the river, on site and do it relatively quickly.

Mr. Schneider encouraged Councilman Miller and his Committee to consider testing on both Oceanport and Parker's Creeks to which Councilman Miller stated we will more than likely be able to do that next summer.

Mr. Schneider stated in closing he just wanted to thank everyone who helped and assisted in any way during the storm and especially wanted to thank the Police Chief who monitored their lack of electricity for almost four days and they were all very grateful for his efforts especially in trying to get information from Jersey Central Power & Light Co.

Mayor Cavanagh advised Mr. Schneider at the next meeting of the Two Rivers Council of Mayors, we are expecting a return visit from the President of Jersey Central Power & Light Co. because we have given him a directive that when he does return, we expect to have a phone number that each of the Mayors and/or Police Chiefs can have in order to get some type of accurate information in order to relay this on to the residents during a power outage.

Walter Prang, 91 Bridgewater Drive asked if there was any type of a list being compiled of found docks and one of owners who have lost floats, since he has one in his yard.

Councilman Terra thought of putting an article in the Bulletin to establish some type of a clearing house for people who have floats and can advise him and those people who are missing them, can perhaps get everyone together.

As no one else from the public wished to be heard, Councilman Wolfe moved to approve the bills as listed on the Voucher Register dated January 21, 1993. It was seconded by Councilman Miller and unanimously approved by Council. TOTAL 1992 VOUCHERS \$1,013.36. TOTAL 1992 VOUCHERS PAID THIS MEETING \$61,948.24. TOTAL 1992 OPERATING FUND \$62,961.60. TOTAL 1993 VOUCHERS \$208,617.12. TOTAL 1993 VOUCHERS PAID THIS MEETING \$20,138.43. TOTAL 1993 OPERATING FUND \$228,755.55. TOTAL DOG REGISTRY ACCOUNT \$307.05. TOTAL TRUST ACCOUNT \$5,339.65. TOTAL MONEY MARKET ACCOUNT \$50,000.00. TOTAL PUBLIC ASSISTANCE II ACCOUNT \$210.00. TOTAL RECREATION TRUST ACCOUNT \$350.00. TOTAL GENERAL LEDGER-SHORE REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL \$145,544.60. TOTAL GENERAL REDEMPTION-THIRD PARTY REDEMPTION \$11,465.40. (SEE VOUCHER REGISTER)

At 9:15 P.M. Councilwoman Filippone moved to adjourn this meeting until the next regular meeting scheduled to be held on February 4, 1993 at 8:00 P.M. It was seconded by Councilman Terra and unanimously approved by Council.

Respectfully submitted,

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