

**TOWNSHIP OF OXFORD  
TOWNSHIP MEETING  
NOVEMBER 9, 2005**

The regular scheduled Township Meeting of the Mayor and Committee of the Township of Oxford was held on November 9, 2005 in the Oxford Township Municipal Building, 11 Green Street, Oxford, New Jersey.

In attendance were Alex Lazorisak, Phil Rosenberg, and Angelo Accetturo.

Mayor Lazorisak called the meeting to order at 7:35 PM and announced that the meeting had been properly advertised in compliance with the OPMA of 1975.

Everyone stood and recited the flag salute.

On motion by Mr. Accetturo, seconded by Mr. Rosenberg and passed unanimously on roll call vote, the meeting minutes of October 18 and October 19, 2005 were approved.

The mayor announced that the Township changed the meeting date to a week earlier because of the New Jersey League of Municipalities Conference next week in Atlantic City. The workshop meeting in November was cancelled because of Election Day.

**ORDINANCE 2005-12 The Sum of \$12,500 Appropriated from the Capital Improvement Fund** was read by title only and opened for public hearing. Bill Bray stated that the old Breathalyzer machines are outdated and this purchase was mandated by the state. There being no more questions or public comment, the Mayor closed the public hearing. On motion by Mr. Rosenberg, seconded by Mr. Accetturo and passed unanimously on roll call vote **Ordinance 2005-12** was adopted.

**RESOLUTION 2005-68 Approving Liquor License for Kathryn Occhipinti License # 2117-33-003-004 Plenary Retail Consumption** was approved on motion by Mr. Accetturo, seconded by Mr. Lazorisak and passed unanimously on roll call vote.

**RESOLUTION 2005-69 Redeem Lien on Block 35 Lot 1 to Lien Holder Crusader Service Corp. in the Amount of \$22,898.87** was approved on motion by Mr. Rosenberg, seconded by Mr. Lazorisak and passed unanimously on roll call vote.

**RESOLUTION 2005-70 Budget Transfer of \$39,701.00** was approved on motion by Mr. Rosenberg, seconded by Mr. Lazorisak and passed unanimously on roll call vote.

Mr. Accetturo made a motion to authorize Mr. Lazorisak, Michael Finelli, and Kupper Associates to hold a meeting and review the Significant Indirect User (SIU) Permit Renewal for the Warren County Pollution Control Financing Authority Landfill. Kupper Associates will also review the report from Arthur Groves, of Global Environmental Services. On motion by Mr. Accetturo, seconded by Mr. Rosenberg, the Committee authorized the Mayor to sign the SIU permit after this meeting.

On November 21, 2005, the Oxford Committee, Robert Benbrook, Mayor and Township Attorney of Belvidere will have a meeting to discuss equal representation for both Townships on the Pequest River Municipal Utility Authority Board.

Joan Mulligan asked about Oxford Township's clean up and how the township could save money. The Committee will ask John Carlton, of PCFA how White Township administers their clean up and the cost. Bill Bray suggested that Oxford should sponsor a day at the Landfill just for Oxford's residents and have a Department of Public Works Employee supervise the drop-off. Mr. Bray stated that the expense would be put on the person dropping the garbage off and not on all the taxpayers. Mr. Lazorisak stated that this would take away the benefit of clean up for the taxpayers.

The Committee received a letter from the Oxford Postmaster stating that the vehicles delivering mail are requiring repairs and asking the Township to maintain Bush Street. The Township does not have title to Bush Street but have been maintaining it to allow the garbage truck to collect garbage. Mr. Lazorisak will talk to the owner of the private lane off Bush Street and maybe the solution would be to move the mailboxes to the end of the road.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

Arlene Sillett asked about Ordinance 2005-12 and if the Breathalyzer would be carried in the car or if the police had to bring the person to the station. Mayor Lazorisak answered and said the police will bring them to the station to administer the test.

Joan Mulligan inquired who has access to gas credit cards that was distributed for the purchase of gasoline and diesel fuel for Township usage. Mr. Rosenberg explained that each card is assigned to a vehicle and not each person. All bills that are approved and paid by Township money is always available to all residents for review at the Municipal Building.

Mayor Lazorisak declared the public hearing was closed at 8:30 PM.

The Committee reviewed the Bill and Voucher List for November 2005. The following bills were held for payment.

Cingular Wireless	\$ 243.28
Finelli Consulting	867.88
Maser Consulting	5,000.00
S&L Equipment	3,056.80
TE Computers	1,260.00

The balance of the bills as listed in the November, 2005 Bill and Voucher List were approved by the Committee on motion by Mr. Lazorisak, seconded by Mr. Accetturo and passed unanimously in roll call vote.

Mr. Rosenberg left the meeting at 8:40 PM.

Mr. Lazorisak asked Diane Hooper if she would be interested in being the publisher for an Oxford Township newsletter to be distributed quarterly to all residents. She said she would be interested and will discuss it further with the Committee.

Mayor Lazorisak authorized Mr. Accetturo to look into having an Employee Appreciation dinner on December 19, 2005 at Good Times. The Clerk will forward to him the information she has on file from last year.

On motion by Mr. Lazorisak and seconded by Mr. Accetturo, the meeting was adjourned at 9:00 PM.

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Sheila L. Oberly, Acting Clerk