## BUDGET WORKSESSION MEETING MINUTES OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE

MARCH 27, 2017 \* 7:00 P.M.

**Mayor Lewis called the meeting to order** followed by the Pledge Allegiance to the Flag The Sunshine Notice Statement was read as follows below:

Sunshine Notice: This meeting is called pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Law. 1. Posting a copy of the Annual Meeting Schedule on the bulletin board in the Municipal Complex and emailing a copy to the Atlantic City Press and Burlington County Times and all those requesting copies on January 13, 2017. 2. Posting a copy of the agenda on the bulletin board at the Municipal Complex. 3. Filing a copy of the agenda in the office of the Township Clerk at the Municipal Complex. 4. Forwarding a copy of the agenda to the Atlantic City Press and the Burlington County Times. 5. Forwarding a copy of the agenda to each person who has requested copies of the regular meeting schedule. All of the above posting, filing and mailing have taken place on the 24th day of March, 2017.

At the call of the roll the following were present Committeeman Cavileer, Deputy Mayor James and Mayor Lewis, Township Clerk Kathleen D. Hoffman, Deputy Township Clerk Karen A. Bacon, CFO Kristen Manning.

## 2017 BUDGET WORKSESSION

Mayor, Committee and CFO discussed the 2017 Municipal Budget.

**PUBLIC COMMENT** (Please state your name & address for the record)

Mayor Lewis asked if there was any Public Comments.

Mike Alexander – Lower Bank Fire Company – Thank you for your consideration for the increase to the Fire Companies, any increase would be greatly appreciated.

Barbara Cavileer – Green Bank Ambulance Squad – The squad really appreciates the increase because, as you know, we're getting a new rig in May. That is really depleting our funds.

Leonard Forand – Green Bank Fire Company – Anything extra would be helpful.

Matthew Rubsam – What is happening with the school?

Mayor Lewis – The school is trying to sell the building, but nothing so far. The Township is looking into purchasing it.

Nick DelNero – The Township can use the proceeds for anything, while the school can't.

Committeeman Cavileer – If we obtain the property, we can redo the lot lines for a playground.

Nick DelNero – Voice your opinion at the next school board meeting, which is April 24, 2017.

## **ADJOURNMENT at 7:45 PM**

Motion made by Cavileer, seconded by James.

Roll Call: Cavileer, James, Lewis Ayes: 3 Nays: 0

Respectfully submitted,

Kathleen D. Hoffman, RMC Township Clerk