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A Tribute to Councilman Harry Vincent...

Councilman Harry Vincent passed away on January 21 at the age of 78. Harry served the residents of Barrington for the past ten years as Councilman. He oversaw several departments including Public Safety, Finance, Health & Senior Services and the Judiciary. He was a life member of Barrington VFW Post 7247 and was a Korean War veteran. He served in the U.S. Navy aboard the USS Mellette and was very proud of his military service. Harry was also a member of the Barrington Seniors, Young at Heart Club, Democrat Club and was an active member of Ascension Lutheran Church in Haddon Heights where he was a member and past president of the Church Council. He retired after 26 years of employment from Johns Manville. Before moving to Barrington, Harry lived in Clementon where he also served on borough council. Harry has had a long history of public service and gave of himself freely. He loved life and enjoyed going to various events with the Seniors and always reported on the quality of the food. Harry was a great man and we were honored to have known him. Our deepest sympathies go



Councilman Harry Vincent

out to his wife Joyce, his children Susan, Harry, Grace and Patrick, his mother-in-law, Charlotte Blizzard, his step-children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Thanks for everything Harry. We will miss you.

Walt Uron, Sr., received the "Home-town Hero" award for his years of public service. Walt served as Police Chief from 1943-1951. His son Walt, Jr., was a former Barrington Police Captain and his grandsons, Dave and Bob, are both Barrington police officers. Walt got his pilot's license at the former Barrington Airport. He used to fly over the girls' softball field and drop peanuts from his plane for the July 4th peanut scramble.



Outgoing Mayor, John Rink, was presented with the Barrington's Best award for his twelve years of service to the Borough. Mayor Klaus made the presentation and thanked John on behalf of all the residents for his many years of service to the community.

Residents Recognized at 2012 Reorganization



Penny Teter and her daughter, Beth Griffith, received a special award on behalf of the Barrington Band. They are celebrating their 100th anniversary this year! The Barrington Band has been performing at Borough events for many years and always makes our Annual Reorganization meeting one of the most memorable in the State. Congratulations on 100 years of great music!



Sylvia Hearne was the recipient of the Volunteer of the Year award for her many years of volunteer service to various organizations. The award was presented by Mayor Klaus and Councilwoman Bergeron. Sylvia's son Robert and her daughter Nancy and granddaughter Courtney (who came down from Maine for the event) were with her as she received the honor.

More Reorganization photos on page 11

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MAYOR'S MESSAGE

Greetings Residents, Neighbors and Friends.

It is with great sadness that we ask you to remember in your thoughts and Prayers our long time Friend and Council Member Harry Vincent.

Our friend went Home to be with the Lord on January 21st, We will miss Him very Much

This is my first opportunity to introduce myself, My Name is Robert Klaus, I have been fortunate enough to be elected and sworn in as Mayor of the Great Borough of Barrington. I want to thank and wish the best to my friend and predecessor Hon. John D. Rink. John was Mayor of Barrington for more than 8 years and was on Council prior to His Terms as Mayor. He was very dedicated and worked hard for the town He loves. His legacy has and, will leave the Borough of Barrington a much better place. My Hope is to continue with His dedication and Love for this Borough. There is still great deal of work before us, and this administration will be equal to the task.

We will continue with a number of priority projects, one in particular

is New Development along the White Horse Pike. Although we have had a few setbacks, we are "more than encouraged" with the recent progress, and will keep you updated as the events and opportunities arise.

Improving our aging infrastructure and Borough Roads, most of which were installed or constructed more than 70 years ago, are also a priority for this Administration. There are several trouble spots throughout the Borough and we have prioritized them in order to develop a Capital Improvement Plan. This will aid the Borough in applying for Grants, developing the manpower, and scheduling of funding and payments to accomplish this daunting task. We have a great team and are looking forward to taking on these projects.

Some of the hardest decisions this administration will have to make are predicated on the Spending Cap established by the State of New Jersey. Each Entity, our County Tax, School Tax and General Purpose Tax have been leveled with a 2% cap for this Budget Year. With the continued increase (without a cap) of maintenance to the existing buildings and equipment, costs for goods and services, and union negotiations, all while

attempting to maintain the current Excellent Level of Services that the Borough currently provides. This will take a great deal of patience and cooperation from everyone involved. The Residents, the Borough Employees, we all need to work together to keep Barrington the Great Place it is to live.

We have many services in this Borough, besides the everyday Borough work of our Police, Courts, Fire, EMS, Public Works and Borough Staff, and this administration has challenged its residents. We offer our residents the opportunity to get involved; in fact we have encouraged it. All of our residents are invited to attend our Council Meetings, Our Planning/Zoning and Construction Team Meetings, Our Green Team Meetings, A.B.L.E. Group Meetings. All of these meetings and group events afford the public the opportunity to see the borough departments and civil volunteers in action. You will come to understand the amount of work required to run a Borough. These measures give the residents the opportunity to get first hand information on town events, or, be a part of turning Barrington Green, or, to be a good fellow citizen, and attend to the special needs of your friends and



neighbors.

Because, that's what a tight knit Borough and its Residents can do for their friends and neighbors.

We are involved, How About You! This is an invitation to meet us and join us as we move Barrington into the future. Let's do it together.

If you have questions or comments the Borough Hall is open during the week from 8:00am to 5:00pm and 8:00am to 7:00pm on Wednesdays. The Mayor has office hours; they are Monday and Thursday 3:00pm to 5:00pm and Wednesday 4:00pm to 7:00pm. Come in and join us as we run the day to day and plan the future of our Barrington.

Robert Klaus
Mayor

Do You Need the Spring "Function Better Program"?

As the weather warms and the flowers bloom, there is an increasing desire to spend time outdoors. Gardening activities, walks in the park, outdoor grilling and playing games with young children are some of the activities that many people enjoy each spring. If you are having trouble with pain, endurance, bending, reaching, squatting and other movements that these activities may require, the "**Function Better Program**" at WORK-UP PHYSICAL THERAPY may be just what you need in order to have a fantastic spring season!

The "**Function Better Program**" at WORK-UP PHYSICAL THERAPY emphasizes muscle strengthening and stretching exercises, activities to decrease pain, conditioning exercises on equipment as well as personalized instruction to promote safe and independent function. After completion of the "**Function Better Program**", many people report that they are pain free and able to lead a more active and independent lifestyle.

WORK-UP PHYSICAL THERAPY is conveniently located at 135 East Atlantic Avenue in Haddon Heights (just off Station Avenue). Due to high demand, slots for the upcoming spring session of the "**Function Better Program**" are limited and filling quickly.

To reserve a slot for the program, call **(856) 546-0377**.

At WORK-UP PHYSICAL THERAPY, you will find that:

- Individual attention is provided by a licensed physical therapist during the entire treatment session.
- The treatment sessions are provided in a friendly and professional environment.
- Individuals of all ages and fitness levels are welcome.
- **Free transportation is provided for local seniors.**
- Medical monitoring is provided during treatment to ensure patient safety.

TREATING

- **Low Endurance**
 - **Knee Replacements**
 - **Balance Problems**
 - **Walking Problems**
 - **Pain Problems**
 - **Arthritis Issues**

Jim Clements, PT, DPT, MS is the Director of WORK-UP PHYSICAL THERAPY in Haddon Heights. Dr. Clements completed his physical therapy training at Thomas Jefferson University and went on to receive a Doctoral degree from Boston University as well as a Master of Science degree from the University of Pennsylvania.

Lic. # 40QA00472300

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(856) 546-0377

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Borough Brief

This is a new feature that will be in every issue of "Barrington on Track" where we will inform you about upcoming meetings as well as recap business that has transpired at prior meetings. The goal is to keep our residents as informed as possible about borough business. You can also visit our website at www.barringtonboro.com for full copies of meeting minutes, resolutions and ordinances. Also, we post public hearing notices on ordinances that are being considered for adoption in the Retrospect and on Channels 19 (Comcast) and 33 (Verizon). The channel postings can also be viewed on the website. For full copies of any ordinance you can e-mail the borough clerk at tshannon@barringtonboro.com. Also, be sure to sign-up

for the e-mail blast which is featured in this issue.

Upcoming meetings

Caucus meetings: March 8, April 5, May 3, June 7. Caucus meetings begin at 7:30pm

Council meetings: March 13, April 10, May 8, June 12. Council meetings begin at 8:00pm

Recently adopted ordinances:

•**Ord. 978, Adding Chapter 55, Donation Clothing Bins, to the Borough code.** This ordinance establishes rules and regulations for placement and maintenance of donation bins.

•**Ord. 979, Adding Chapter 47, Precious Metals, Gems & Jewelry, to the Borough Code.** This or-



dinance establishes rules and regulations for "cash to gold" businesses.

Just a reminder to be sure to obtain a new license for your dog or cat for 2012. We need current rabies information before we can issue a license. Any pet not licensed by April 30 will be charged a \$10.00 late fee.

Sewer bills will be mailed out in March and the first half payment is due April 1. There is a 30-day grace period. The second half payments will be due October 1.

The next tax payments are due May 1.

IN THE ZONE

George W. Jones, Zoning Administrator

To: All Property Owners and Residents

If you have any Zoning or proposed construction questions contact George Jones, Zoning Administrator at 856-547-4040. Zoning Application has a fee of \$40.00. There is no fee for handicap ramps, but a Zoning Application must be made before you build. Ramps are temporary in nature and shall be removed when no longer required.

Important Information for 2012

1. That you must complete a Zoning Application along with a copy of your plot plan (survey) to secure authorization and/or permits to: (applies to all commercial & residential districts) (prior to any construction projects)

- ~A. Erect a fence on your property; to include new or replacement of old fencing.
- ~B. Construct or erect a swimming pool {pools must be in a fenced yard, fence height four (4) feet (minimum) with self closing, self latching, lockable gates. **Pools must be ten [10] feet from any property line or any structure**
- ~C. To build an addition to your home. ***All construction may require a drainage/grading engineer's plan & escrow.**
- ~D. To add a deck to your home. ***All construction may require a drainage/grading engineer's plan & escrow.**
- ~E. Build, replace or rebuild your front porch,

patios or steps, **or add a handicap ramp.**

- ~F. Erect a shed in your rear yard. Includes new or replacement. **Must be five [5] feet from property lines**
- ~G. Build a garage or accessory building or structure. ***All construction may require a drainage/grading engineer's plan & escrow**
- ~H. Erect signs in a commercial zoning district (include color drawings). This includes replacing old signs. (Contractors signs must be removed as soon as work is completed.)
- ~I. Construct open or covered patios
- ~J. Construct driveways and aprons
- ~K. Operate a business in your home
- ~L. All Businesses must register at Municipal Building. For info call 856-547-0706
- ~M. Lot coverage is limited to 40% of the lot, includes all structures, pools, sheds, driveways & walk ways

2. That the following are not permitted in any Barrington Zoning District,

- ~A. The parking of vehicles on front, side or rear yards on unpaved impervious surfaces (Chapter 85)
- ~B. Keeping unlicensed or unregistered vehicles on your property in any residential or commercial

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district (Chapter 95)

- ~C. Signs of any commercial venture or business in a residential zoning district (except for a real estate sign on the premises, the maximum size is six [6] square feet
- ~D. Duplex or two family homes in a residential district
- ~E. Off premises directional signs for a commercial business
- ~F. Business or commercial equipment parked or stored on streets in any district, must be behind the front corner of the building or house
- ~G. Operating a business in a residential district that has signs, more than one employee (this means property owner) and traffic to the property
- ~H. Sheds garages or other structures in the front or side yards
- ~I. Boats, trucks, trailers can be parked on driveway, past front corner of the house, into front yard area

4. Under 128-13. Definitions. Family; Five (5) or more persons related by blood, marriage or adoption, occupying a dwelling unit, living together and maintaining a common household, including not more than one (1) boarder, roomer or lodger. Not more than five (3) unrelated persons are permitted to occupy a dwelling unit; living together and maintaining a common household.

Spring Countdown - 35 Days



FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS



RECYCLING - Businesses and residents are required by State law, County and Local regulations to recycle. Recycling is good for our environment and saves tax dollars. It is much more cost effective and GREEN to recycle as opposed to putting in the trash. If you need a recycling container they are available at the Borough Hall. Copies of Trash and Recycling Collection Schedule and Regulations are also available at the Borough Hall and on the Boroughs website.

HAZARDOUS WASTE - Items such as propane tanks, car batteries, oil based paints, etc. are considered hazardous and cannot be disposed of in the trash. The Camden County Department of Environmental Affairs sponsors household collection disposal drop off sites throughout the County during the year. For more information please contact the CCDEA at 858-5241.

SPRING LEAF PICK UP - The week of April 2nd there will be a loose-leaf pick up for the whole town, leaf signs will be posted one week prior to the posted pickup week. Please keep your leaves at least 10' from any stormwater inlet, this is a Borough stormwater ordinance requirement. Place leaves on the grass parkstrip between the curb and sidewalk as opposed to the street if at all possible. Do not place any foreign debris in piles such as sticks, rocks, trash etc. as these items can cause damage to the machines and present a safety issue for our employees. Any leaf piles containing in excess amounts of sticks, rocks, trash, etc. will not be picked up.

VEGETATIVE WASTE & BAGGED LEAF PICK UP - Starting April 2nd thru October 1st regularly scheduled pickups will resume on Mondays. Bags and /or containers must not be any heavier than 50 lbs. You can leave bags untied. Vegetative waste containers are available at the Borough Hall. The DPW is providing courtesy pickups of the above on Thursdays weather and manpower permitting until the regularly scheduled pickup schedule resumes.

WASTE OIL - May be brought to the Public Works Yard Monday thru Friday, 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Please stop at the office to be checked in and provide proof of residency. Please do not drop off and leave at gate after hours.

STREET SWEEPER - The goal of the Dept. is to sweep the whole town two to three times a year. Once in the Spring, once in the early part of Summer and once in the latter part of Summer. We will advertise on channel 19 the week prior and post signs in your district. In order to provide a more efficient job residents will need to move their cars off the street on your scheduled week. Every effort will be made to stay on schedule but delays can happen due to manpower, breakdowns, weather, etc.

SINGLE STREAM RECYCLING: Since December 2007 our Recycling Contractor South Jersey Sanitation has been picking up your mixed paper and commingle and disposing of the two together in one truck as opposed to two separate trucks for each item. This is possible due to new technology at the recycling plant that allows the processing of both items mixed together. The benefits of this technology is in most cases, dramatic savings occur because one truck can now collect both fibers and containers on the same

pass. This reduces collection and labor costs, minimizes impact on neighborhoods and residents, reduces air pollution and noise, etc. Another important benefit is that history has demonstrated that convenience to residents in a single stream program increases recycle tonnage by as much as 15% to 30%. Residents can now mix their newsprint, junk mail, corrugated, bottles and cans together in the same container for storage and collection. This increased diversion from the waste stream will assist in meeting the State of New Jersey's recycling goal of 50%. The Borough of Barrington pays for trash pickup and disposal at a per ton fee and these fees increase every year, so the less trash and the more recycling equals saved tax dollars. Also, the Borough recycling contract with Camden County allows for revenue sharing with the Counties Recycling Contractor. This revenue sharing is based on tonnage, so the more we recycle equals more money that comes back to tax payers to assist in keeping down the costs of operating expenses associated with trash and recycling. There are no disposal fees for recycling which is the biggest cost savings benefit of recycling as compared to trash. **PLEASE RECYCLE!**

SCRAP METAL - Over the past few years the Borough has seen a steady decline in our recycling rate for scrap metal due to scavengers. In an effort to curb scavengers residents are asked to wait until the morning of pick up to put your items to the curb, you can also bring your scrap metal items to the DPW yard Monday thru Friday during normal business hours, 7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., for disposal in our scrap metal dumpster or if you can contact the DPW ahead of time we may be able to make arrangements for pick up prior to your regularly scheduled pick up date if our schedule and manpower allows.

ELECTRONICS RECYCLING - effective immediately residents can begin to bring there E-waste to the DPW yard for disposal. Hours for drop off will be Monday thru Friday, 7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The following items can be disposed of as E-waste:

15, 17, 19, 21 Inch Monitors, Flat Screens And All-In-Ones, Towers, Desktops And Laptops, Uninterrupted Power Supply, Keyboards, Mouse And Speakers, All Type Of Wire, Gold Clip Ends, Printers, Fax Machines, Scanners, Modems, Copy Machines, All Type Of Memory, Any Hard Drives, Fans And Power Supplies, Mother, B, C, Tweener And Finger Boards, AC Adaptors, Yokes And Motors, Plastic, Baled Or Loose, Aluminum, Brass, Light Iron And Copper Metals, Baled Or Loose, Any And All Related Computer Parts, Phones, Cell Phones, Cell Phone And Laptop Batteries, PC Scrap And Stereos (No Wood) VCR's, DVD's, CD Players, Boom Boxes, Any Audio And Visual Equipment, Scanners And Pagers Cash Registers And Scales (Electronic OR Mechanical), Rechargeable Batteries, Household Appliances Not Containing Compressors, Televisions

As of January 1, 2011 it is now mandatory to recycle covered electronic devices according to State law entitled "The Electronic Waste Management Act." The Borough of Barrington DPW began accepting electronics in 2010 and recycled 3.30 tons for the year and in 2011 recycled 13.65 tons for a 313.64% increase. If residents have electronic items such as televisions that are to heavy or burdensome to drop off to the DPW

please call and we will make arrangements to pick up. Please be advised that any electronic items put to the curb for trash will not be picked up. For more information on electronic recycling you can go to the NJDEP website at: <http://www.state.nj.us/dep/dshw/recycling/electronicwaste/index.html> or the Borough electronic waste vendors website at www.thanksforbeinggreen.com.

BARRINGTON 2011 RESIDENTIAL RECYCLE STATISTICS

Aluminum Containers - 14.45 tons
Brush/Tree Parts - 271.75 tons
Concrete - 24.59 tons
Glass Containers - 202.24 tons
Grass Clippings - 737.77 tons
Leaves - 961.87 tons
Used Motor Oil - 2.98 tons
Street Sweepings - 76.60 tons
Mixed Paper - 435.35 tons
Plastic Containers - 8.67 tons
Steel Containers - 63.56 tons
Stumps - 28.22 tons
Textiles - 26.35 tons
Scrap Metal - 6.28 tons
Electronics - 13.65 tons
Total - 2,875.79 tons

BARRINGTON 2011 RESIDENTIAL WASTE MANAGEMENT STATISTICS

Recycle Rate - 56.47%
Tons Recycled - 2,875.79
Tons Disposed - 2,216.73 (trash)
Tons Generated - 5,092.52 (trash/recycling combined)
Population - 7,084 per 2000 census
Per capita Recycled - .395 tons
Per capita Disposed (trash) - .313 tons
Per capita Generated - .708 tons (trash/recycling combined)

Trash Disposal cost avoidance through recycling = \$309,245.41

STREETLIGHTS - If you should notice a light out, always on, flickering, broken or missing parts you can report to PSE&G customer service at 1-800-436-7734. You will need to obtain the pole # which is usually located at about eye level on a metal label attached to the wooden poles or at the base of the black metal streetscape poles. You will also need to provide street address and nearest cross street. If you prefer you can always call DPW to report and we will contact PSE&G.

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE THRU MAY

PRESIDENT'S DAY- Feb. 20 (Monday) - DPW closed.

MEMORIAL DAY-May 28 (Monday) - DPW closed.

All services will resume the following day.

If anyone should have any questions in regards to this article or any other Public Works related issues please call Mike Ciocco, Supt. of Public Works at 547-2486 ext.10.

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WHEN: April 28, 2012
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From the Desk of Chief of Police,
Joseph H. Eisenhardt, Jr.



At the annual Reorganization Meeting held in January, newly appointed Lt. Dave Roberts was sworn into office. Dave is home grown here in Barrington and has been with the department since 1994. Previously functioning as a patrol sergeant, Dave has served us with pride and distinction and I know he will do a great job.

In other news, we ask that you continue to be mindful of your surroundings. Instances of alert residents calling in suspicious activity have led to arrests on multiple occasions. Please keep up the good work as we rely heavily on your assistance.

Spring will be here before we know it which brings all of us out after being cooped up during the cold weather. Please remember that the speed limit is 25 MPH on all of our streets except for the White Horse Pike which is 35 MPH.

Recently legislation was passed requiring vehicles to either move over or exercise due caution when passing an emergency vehicle that is stopped on the side of the road for a motor vehicle accident, disabled motor vehicle, etc. Please

be aware of the dangerous conditions that exist when motorists are careless and the terrible tragedies that have resulted.

Previously, Mike DePierri our Emergency Management Coordinator has reported that there is an Emergency Warning Siren located at the International Paper plant on E. Gloucester Pike. This siren is tested on the first Saturday of each month. The sound pattern you will hear is called “High-Low” and it continues for three minutes. Should you hear this siren any other time, we would ask that you tune in channel 19 or 33 and check our website for information.

Lastly, please remember that the non-emergency phone number for the Barrington Police Department is 547-4333. This will be answered by a dispatcher at Camden County Communications who will relay information to one of the duty officers.

Thank you.
Joseph H. Eisenhardt, Jr.
Chief of Police

CAMDEN COUNTY HOUSEHOLD RECYCLING EVENTS

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTIONS (Hours: 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.)	
MARCH 17	CHERRY HILL PUBLIC WORKS COMPLEX 1 Perina Boulevard, Cherry Hill
APRIL 21	COLLINGSWOOD PUBLIC WORKS COMPLEX 713 N. Atlantic Avenue, Collingswood
MAY 19	ATCO PARKING AREA AT ATCO & RARITAN AVES.
JUNE 23	GLOUCESTER TWP. – CAMDEN COUNTY COLLEGE. at PARKING AREA behind “CIM” BUILDING Peter Cheeseman Road, Gloucester Twp.
SEPTEMBER 15	PENNSAUKEN SANITARY LANDFILL 9600 River Road, Pennsauken
OCTOBER 20	LINDENWOLD - CAMDEN COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS COMPLEX 2311 Egg Harbor Road, Lindenwold

ELECTRONICS RECYCLING EVENTS (Hours VARY --- please take note)	
APRIL 14	LINDENWOLD - CAMDEN COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS COMPLEX 8:30 a.m to 12:30 p.m. 2311 Egg Harbor Road, Lindenwold
JUNE 23	GLOUCESTER TWP. – CAMDEN COUNTY COLLEGE 8:30 a.m to 3:00 p.m. at PARKING AREA behind “CIM” BUILDING Peter Cheeseman Road, Gloucester Twp.
OCTOBER 27	LINDENWOLD - CAMDEN COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS COMPLEX 8:30 a.m to 12:30 p.m. 2311 Egg Harbor Road, Lindenwold

Camden County - Making it Better Together

Department of Parks
Jeffrey L. Nash - Freeholder Liaison
Dominic Vesper - Acting Director
John C. Sworaski - Division Director

Division of Environmental Affairs
520 North Newton Lake Drive
Collingswood, NJ 08108
856-858-5241

ATTENTION ALL
RESIDENTS!

Would you like to receive town notifications via e-mail? We are developing a database of resident e-mail addresses so we can send out e-mail blasts about things going on in town. If you would like to receive town-wide notifications, send an e-mail to the following address: residentinfo@barringtonboro.com. Include your name, address and e-mail address and we will add you to the list!

FROM THE TAX OFFICE

Sewer bill payments are due April 1st with a 30-day grace period.

Taxes are due May 1st
with a 10-day grace period.

The tax office is open until 7pm on
Wednesday evenings.

There is a drop box located in the parking
lot behind Borough Hall.

Council Corner

A MESSAGE FROM MAYOR ROBERT KLAUS: NO Interest NO Monthly Payment Rehabilitation Loan

Mayor and Council of the Borough of Barrington, in conjunction with **CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS** and their "Community Development Program" would like to offer Barrington Residents a Home Improvement Program with a "Deferred Payment Loan" to assist homeowners with Home Rehabilitation and Repairs. The Program addresses such items as leaking roofs, faulty plumbing, heat, electrical, and Construction Code Items affecting the safety of the Home.

A homeowner must be income eligible (this varies according to household size, number of people currently residing in the home) all must have resided in the property at least one year.

Also, the property taxes, homeowner's insurance and mortgage must be current. Right now there is a waiting list for applicants, and we an-

ticipate you would receive an application in approximately 4 to 5 months.

If you would like to add your name to the list please call Camden County Community Development (HIP) at 856-374-2578.

Sponsored By: CAMDEN COUNTY Board of Chosen Freeholders along with Mayor and Council of the BOROUGH OF BARRINGTON

Louis Capelli - Freeholder Director

Robert Klaus - Mayor- Borough of Barrington

Gino A. Lewis- Program Director (HIP)



A Message from Your Neighbor and Barrington's Newest Councilman - Shawn Ludwig

Hello friends. I hope everyone had a wonderful holiday season and enjoyed spending time with friends and family. As I begin this important responsibility as your councilman, I want you to know that I look forward to serving you and our community. I have years of experience working with towns managing costs while still providing excellent public services. I will bring these skills to Barrington as your councilman. Barrington has a rich history of providing residents with quality public services. Since being sworn in on January 19, I have begun meeting with Council and Borough Workers. I am proud to report that the Borough workers I met take great pride in doing their jobs and serving our community. With great public workers and great leadership from Mayor Klaus and Council, all I see is a bright and prosperous road ahead for Barrington Residents.

As many of you are aware, my wife Rachel and I have two wonderful daughters: Keely and Ryan. Our daughter Keely is 8 years old and is a second grader at Avon School. Our youngest daughter Ryan is 4 years old and is very excited about attending Avon this fall. My wife Rachel, who grew up in Barrington, has spent most of her career working with special needs children at Bancroft School, Kingsway Learning Center and New Dominion School. She now works with abused and neglected children for the State of New Jersey. After graduating from Stockton State College, I myself spent the majority of my career working with at risk youth, families in need, and abused women and children. I currently am employed as a Union Representative with the Communications Workers of America where I fight for working families everyday.

Since joining Council, Mayor Klaus has as-



signed me to the Public Safety Committee, Judicial Committee and Planning and Zoning Boards which I have been a member of since January 2011. Recently, on January 27, Mayor Klaus, Councilwoman Pawling, Councilman Del Vecchio, myself and many wonderful Barrington volunteers helped with creating food baskets for Barrington residents in need. I would like to give a special shout out to Mrs. Joanne Beebe who not only volunteered her time but had her daughter participate in this event. Great job Joanne!

In closing, I am really looking forward to serving you and our community. If you have any questions or concerns please feel to contact the Borough Hall or e-mail me at sludwig@barringtonboro.com.

*Sincerely,
Councilman Ludwig*

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