BOROUGH OF BARRINGTON
MINUTES OF MONTHLY COUNCIL MEETING
OCTOBER 9, 2018 at 6:00 PM
COUNCIL ROOM AT MUNICIPAL BUILDING

A regular monthly Council Meeting of the Borough of Barrington was held with Councilwoman Harris presiding.

<u>CALL TO ORDER</u>: Councilwoman Harris called the meeting to order with the reading of the Sunshine Statement. She then led all present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**ROLL CALL**: The Municipal Clerk called roll of Council and with the following in attendance: Councilwoman Harris, Councilman Robenolt, Councilwoman Fawley and Councilman Beach. Mayor Klaus, Council President Ludwig and Councilman Popiolek were absent. Also on dais: Municipal Clerk Terry Shannon and Timothy Higgins, Esq.

<u>APPROVAL OF MINUTES</u>: Councilwoman Harris reported that council was provided with the minutes of the September 4, 2018, caucus and the September 11, 2018, council meetings and asked if there were any corrections. Seeing none, on a motion by Beach, second by Fawley, the caucus and council minutes were approved by all members of Council present with Councilman Robenolt abstaining on the caucus minutes as he was not present.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:** The Municipal Clerk read a summary of the September 2018, monthly reports from the following departments: Police, Fire, EMS, Regional Fire Alliance, Construction, Tax & Sewer Collector, Court for the month of August and DPW Recycling. On a motion by Robenolt, second by Beach, the monthly reports were approved as submitted by all members of Council present.

**ORDINANCES FOR PUBLIC HEARING AND ADOPTION:** The Clerk read the following ordinances by title.

Ord. 1097 Vacating a Portion of a Certain Right-of-Way within the Borough (Avon Road)

Ord. 1098 Amending Chapter 93, Peddling and Soliciting, in the Borough Code

Ord. 1099 Adding Chapter 96, Public Health Nuisance Code, to the Borough Code

On a motion by Fawley, second by Robenolt, the second reading of the ordinances was approved with the following poll vote: Harris-yes, Robenolt-yes, Beach-yes, Fawley-yes.

On a motion by Robenolt, second by Fawley the public hearing was opened.

DIANE SHRYER, 212 Nassau - how does the peddler know that a person is on the "do not knock" list? (ORD 1098). Clerk Shannon advised that the list will be maintained and will be distributed to the Police Department. Whenever someone comes in for a solicitor permit they will be given a copy of that list.

Seeing no further comments from the public, on a motion by Beach, second by Robenolt, the public hearing was closed.

On a motion by Fawley, second by Robenolt, the ordinances were adopted with the following poll vote: Harris-yes, Robenolt-yes, Beach-yes, Fawley-yes.

**RESOLUTIONS FOR APPROVAL:** The Clerk read the following resolutions for approval by consent agenda.

10-2018-109 Approving a Sewer Connection Agreement with NJAW for 204 Oak Avenue 10-2018-110 Amending the Borough Personnel Policy Handbook Regarding Anti-Discrimination, the Americans with Disabilities/New Jersey Pregnant Worker's Fairness Act and the Communication and Social Media Policy 10-2018-111 Allowing Retail Liquor Consumption Licensees (Bars) in Barrington to Open at 8am on Sunday, October 28 10-2018-112 Authorizing Execution of a Shared Service Agreement with Camden County Relative to **Project Save** 10-2018-113 Authorizing a Shared Service Agreement with the Barrington Board of Education 10-2018-114 Authorizing a Shared Service Agreement with the Borough of Lawnside for a Construction Official 10-2018-115 Setting the Hours for Trick or Treating on Halloween 10-2018-116 Authorizing an Agreement with Gloucester City for Provision of Brine 10-2018-117 Authorizing Temporary Stipends for Tax & Finance Office Staff 10-2018-118 Affirming the Borough's Civil Rights Policy with Respect to all Officials, Appointees, Employees, Contractors and Members of the Public that Come into Contact with Municipal Employees, Officials and Volunteers 10-2018-119 Authorizing a Chapter 159 for the Open Space Grant Received 10-2018-120 Authorizing a Shared Service Agreement with Haddon Heights Relative to Ambulance Services 10-2018-121 Authorizing a Refund of a Homestead Benefit 10-2018-122 Amending the Shared Service with Runnemede for Construction Office Services 10-2018-123 Approving the October Bill List in the Total Amount of \$1,167,260.12

On a motion by Beach, second by Robenolt, the resolution consent agenda as read was approved with the following poll vote: Harris-yes, Robenolt-yes, Beach-yes, Fawley-yes.

## **COMMENTS FROM MEMBERS OF THE GOVERNING BODY:**

COUNCILWOMAN FAWLEY – nothing to report but Happy Fall. Looking forward to all the fall events in Town and will try to participate in all of them!

COUNCILMAN BEACH – nothing to report. Be careful of all the kids out on Halloween because the kids don't always pay attention.

COUNCILMAN ROBENOLT – thanks for coming out tonight. Recognized Chief Barbara Willson for her work with Haddon Heights for the Ambulance Contract--joint service for the next five years, a great extension to what has become a very good joint venture.

COUNCILWOMAN HARRIS – Harvest Fest is this Saturday and expecting nice weather. Scarecrow contest registration is October 20 with a rain date of October 21. Bring your pre-made scarecrow to the Borough Hall parking lot between 10am-12 pm. We will give out ties for you to put your scarecrow on the telephone pole you will be assigned. Judging is October 22 when winners will be announced. Scarecrows will remain on the telephone poles until the weekend of November 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> when

participants will be required to remove their own scarecrow. October 26 is the schools Trunk or Treat for pre-school through 8<sup>th</sup> grade and it is at Woodland School from 7-9 pm. Prior to that there will be "Pumpkin Pickin' with the Police" from 4-6 p, details will be out shortly. Trick or Treat is on October 31 from 3-8 pm and as Councilman Beach said please watch out for the running kids. The TNR town wide yard sale is October 20, proceeds benefit the TNR program. We are one of the best TNR Programs in the country. If you want to donate you can get in touch with Terry and she will point you in the right direction.

<u>PUBLIC PORTION:</u> On a motion by Fawley, second by Beach, the public portion of the meeting was opened. Councilwoman Harris advised that if you have comments or questions to come forward and state your name and address for the record. Public comment is limited to five minutes per person.

Seeing no comments from the public, on a motion by Robenolt, second by Beach, the public portion of the meeting was closed.

With no further business to be transacted, on a motion by Beach, second by Fawley, the meeting was adjourned at 6:14 pm.

APPROVED:

<u>Terry Shannon</u>
Terry Shannon, Municipal Clerk