



They were extremely happy with the National Night Out Walk and would like to see this type of community activities continue.

Karen Ventura stated we will be installing two “Slow Children at Play” signs in the A section.

Councilman Swindle stated Saturday was one of the most successful events that we put on this year. Thanks to Democratic club, PBA, CERT and all the organizations for the backpack give away to the children.

Councilman Cannon stated he is attending the PBA Wine Tasting on September 10<sup>th</sup> at Addison Park 6 – 10 p.m. to benefit the PBA.

Mayor Tagliarini stated he received from the Monmouth County Park’s System a resolution accepting our offer to transfer title of land to the county for the Freneau Woods Park.

There were no further reports.

Presentation: Kieran Tintle, Jersey Central Power & Light – came before Council to check in and see if there are any issues. There are tours at the JCP& L facility that is extremely interesting with a lot of information. Unless an entire substation goes down, which is rare, everyone should call the electric company if their electricity goes out. Street lights are also very important to call in.

Mayor Tagliarini asked if they made any progress on fixture changes on light poles to bring down cost.

Mr. Tintle stated all the operating companies in New Jersey have been talking to the BPU about. They submitted a formal plan to the BPU, there is no specific time at this point.

Councilman Cannon stated Aberdeen is very green, on green initiative is to put LED Street lights on JCP&L poles.

Mr. Tintle stated would it be LED street light fixture the town would pay for and put on the poles and JCP&L would meter them.

Councilman Cannon stated the idea is it cost \$293,000 to keep the street lights on at night and our electric bill for the buildings is \$95,000, we put the solar panels on and it is \$25,000. It seems LED lights are an upfront investment for a savings.

Mr. Tintle stated we are a distribution company; he would have to go back to his joint user group and look into this and get back to Council.

Mayor Tagliarini thank Mr. Tintle for coming to tonight’s meeting.

## **HEARING OF THE CITIZENS - Agenda Items only**

Mayor Tagliarini asked anyone wishing to be heard on agenda items to come forward and state their name and address. There being no one wishing to be heard Mayor Tagliarini declared the Hearing of the Citizens closed.

## **PROCLAMATION**

Mayor Tagliarini read the following:

### **TOWNSHIP OF ABERDEEN PROCLAMATION NATIONAL CHILDHOOD CANCER AWARENESS MONTH**

WHEREAS, 46 children in the United States will be diagnosed with cancer each day; and  
WHEREAS, 1 out of 5 children diagnosed with cancer will not survive the disease; and  
WHEREAS, the types of cancers that affect children are most often very different from those that affect adults; and

WHEREAS, childhood cancer is not just one disease but is made up of a dozen types and countless subtypes of cancer; and

WHEREAS, childhood cancer spares no socioeconomic, ethnic, racial or geographic class; and

WHEREAS, pediatric cancer is the leading cause of death by disease in United States children under 19 years of age; and

WHEREAS, the causes of most pediatric cancers are largely unknown and not strongly linked to lifestyle, unlike adult cancers; and

WHEREAS, two-thirds of childhood cancer patients will develop long-lasting chronic conditions as a result from treatment that prevent them from fully participating in school, social activities and work; and

WHEREAS, childhood cancer rates have been rising for the past few decades, and approximately 15,780 children were diagnosed in 2014, and the incidence of invasive pediatric cancer is up to 29% in the past 20 years; and

WHEREAS, cancer kills more children than AIDS, asthma, cystic fibrosis, diabetes, and muscular dystrophy combined; and

WHEREAS, in the last 25 years, only two drugs have been specifically developed for children's cancer and in the last 20 years the FDA initially approved only one drug for any childhood cancer; and

WHEREAS, less than 5 percent of the federal government's total funding for cancer research is dedicated to childhood cancers, and only about 3 percent of funds raised for the National Cancer Institute go directly to pediatric cancer research; and

WHEREAS, the funding for pediatric cancer research has gone down steadily since 2003; and

WHEREAS, despite the facts, childhood cancer research is vastly and consistently underfunded; and

WHEREAS, despite the major advances in treatment, it is still critically important to conduct research and increase awareness regarding pediatric cancer.

NOW, THEREFORE, ON BEHALF OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL, I, FRED TAGLIARINI, MAYOR OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ABERDEEN do hereby proclaim

September 2015 CHILDHOOD CANCER AWARENESS MONTH in the Township of Aberdeen in order to help raise awareness of pediatric cancer and its victims.

TOWNSHIP OF ABERDEEN PROCLAMATION  
NATIONAL SICKLE CELL AWARENESS MONTH  
SEPTEMBER 2015

WHEREAS, Sickle Cell Disease is the most common genetic disorder in the United States; and

WHEREAS, an estimated 100,000 people live with Sickle Cell Disease in the United States. Up to 80% are African-American but many different races are affected. Millions are affected globally; and

WHEREAS, Sickle Cell Disease occurs among about 1 out of every 500 African-American births; and

WHEREAS, Sickle Cell Disease is a group of inherited red blood cell disorders that is present at birth. To have the disease, both sets of parents must pass down sickle cell genes. There is a 25% chance if both parents carry the Sickle Cell Trait. People who have SCT inherit one sickle cell gene from one parent and one normal gene from the other parent. People with SCT usually do not have any signs of the disease and live a normal life, but they can pass the trait on to their children; and

WHEREAS, Sickle Cell Trait occurs among about 1 in 12 African-Americans; and

WHEREAS, Sickle Cell Disease is diagnosed with a simple blood test. It most often is found at birth during routine newborn screening tests at the hospital. Because children with SCD are at an increased risk of infection and other health problems, early diagnosis and treatment are important; and

WHEREAS, Sickle Cell Disease is chronic but treatable although there is no single best treatment for all people with SCD. Treatment options are different for each person depending on the symptoms which can range from mild to severe; and

WHEREAS, there is no universal cure for Sickle Cell Disease and the average life expectancy is now in the mid-forties years of age.

NOW, THEREFORE, ON BEHALF OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL, I, FRED TAGLIARINI, MAYOR OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ABERDEEN do hereby proclaim September 2015 SICKLE CELL AWARENESS MONTH in the Township of Aberdeen in order to help raise awareness of Sickle Cell Disease and its victims.

**MINUTES**

Councilman Swindle made a motion to adopt the Workshop, Regular and Executive Session Meeting Minutes of June 23, 2015 and July 7, 2015. Seconded by Councilwoman Kelley

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Ayes: Councilmember Cannon, Kelley, Martucci, Montone, Swindle, Deputy Mayor Brenner and Mayor Tagliarini

Nays: None

Abstain: None

## **NEW BUSINESS**

### **ORDINANCE NO. 13-2015 – INTRODUCTION**

Deputy Mayor Brenner made a motion to introduce Ordinance No. 13-2015 on first reading by title and to order the same to be published by summary in the September 4, 2015 issue of the Asbury Park Press, together with notice of its introduction and passage on first reading by title, and that it will be further considered for final passage after a public hearing at a meeting of the Township Council to be held on September 15, 2015 at 7:30 p.m. in the Municipal Building of the Township of Aberdeen at One Aberdeen Square.

Seconded by Councilman Swindle

The Clerk read Ordinance No. 13-2015 – AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ABERDEEN TO REDUCE SPEED LIMIT ON COUNTY ROAD

#### **ROLL CALL VOTE:**

Ayes: Councilmember Cannon, Kelley, Martucci, Montone, Swindle, Deputy Mayor Brenner and Mayor Tagliarini

Nays: None

Abstain: None

### **CONSENT AGENDA**

Councilwoman Cannon made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda; all items listed under 8B. Seconded by Councilman Swindle.

#### **ROLL CALL VOTE:**

Ayes: Councilmember Cannon, Kelley, Martucci, Montone, Swindle, Deputy Mayor Brenner and Mayor Tagliarini

Nays: None

Abstain: None

1. RESOLUTION NO. 2015-99 – BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council that it hereby grants permission for Keyport Bayfront Business Cooperative to launch fireworks display from Matawan/Cliffwood Point.
2. RESOLUTION NO. 2015-100 – BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council that it hereby authorizes settlement of tax appeal litigation for Future Land Investment, 189 Highway 35.
3. RESOLUTION NO. 2015-101 – BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council that it hereby authorizes settlement of tax appeal litigation for 369 Highway 35, LLC.
4. RA: 1086 - Raffle License for Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, Parsippany, NJ.
5. RA: 1087 - Raffle License for Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, Parsippany, NJ.

## **HEARING OF THE CITIZENS/CORRESPONDENCE AND PETITIONS**

Mayor Tagliarini asked any member of the public wishing to be heard to come forward and to state their name and address.

Ben Defenbaugh  
June Place

Mr. Defenbaugh stated he received a letter from the Township Manager with his tax bill. Upon reading the letter several words caught his eye, stable, affordable, proud to report, stabilized, optimism. His taxes went up 5% in one year. I know there has been a Hurricane Irene and Superstorm Sandy. I don't want to talk about the schools.

Julanne Schmidt  
Fordham Drive

Mrs. Schmidt asked if there is a recycling committee.

Mayor Tagliarini thanks Mrs. Schmidt for meeting with him and Councilman Swindle and enlightening them on a couple of things. At this point Councilman Swindle and himself will be on the committee and will let her know on the third person. We agree that single stream recycling is coming to an end.

Mrs. Schmidt stated there are so many problems with recycling we need to work hard and get the word out. We can't wait for the calendar.

Mayor Tagliarini stated clear bags aren't going to be accepted soon.

There being no one else wishing to be heard Mayor Tagliarini declared the Hearing of the Citizens closed.

Mr. Gordon, Township Attorney read the following:

### **RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING TOWNSHIP COUNCIL TO ENTER INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION**

**WHEREAS**, the Township Council are mindful of the right of the public to attend and witness meetings of Governmental Bodies at which public business is discussed, and to be involved in all phases of governmental action; and

**WHEREAS**, the Open Public Meetings Act nonetheless recognizes the authority of a public body to exclude the public from meetings in certain enumerated instances in which disclosure of matters discussed could endanger public safety, property or other public interest, or invade individual privacy; and

**WHEREAS**, as authorized by the Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A 10:4-12(b), the Township Council have a need to meet in private session to discuss:

- \_\_\_\_\_ (1) Matters expressly rendered confidential by law;
- \_\_\_\_\_ (2) Matters, the disclosure of which would jeopardize the receipt of federal funds;
- \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Matters threatening unwarranted invasion of individual privacy;
- \_\_\_\_\_ (4) Matters affecting collective bargaining of public employees
- \_\_\_\_\_ (5) Matters involving acquisition of real property with public funds, or investment of public funds, where disclosures would jeopardize such acquisition or investments;
- \_\_\_\_\_ (6) Tactics and techniques utilizing in protection of public safety or property; matters concerning investigations of violations or possible violations of the law;
- \_\_\_\_\_ (7) Matters affecting pending or anticipated litigation to which the public body may be party; matters within the attorney-client privilege;
- \_\_\_\_\_ (8) Personnel matters concerning the employment, appointment evaluation, promotion or termination of a public officer or employee;
- \_\_\_\_\_ (9) Deliberations which may result in the imposition of civil penalty or the Suspension or loss of license or permit.

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the Township Council will meet in private session at 8:16 P.M. on September 1, 2015, to discuss the following specific items:

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**REDEVELOPMENT – TRAIN STATION, SRM, ANCHOR GLASS**

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the matters so discussed will be disclosed to the public when the need for confidentiality no longer exists.

Councilwoman Montone made a motion, seconded by Councilman Swindle

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Ayes: Councilmember Cannon, Kelley, Martucci, Montone, Swindle, Deputy Mayor Brenner and Mayor Tagliarini

Nays: None

Abstain: None

**ADJOURNMENT**

Councilman Martucci made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Councilman Cannon and unanimously concurred by Council.

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Fred Tagliarini, Mayor

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Karen Ventura, Municipal Clerk