AGENDA LIBERTY TOWNSHIP WORKSHOP

25 October 2018 7:00 PM

Municipal Building 349 Mountain Lake Road Great Meadows, NJ 07838

Sunshine Notice Flag Salute Roll Call

Approval of Agenda

Unfinished Business

New Business

Resolutions

Notice of Lakeside Drive West Road Closure

Public Comment Executive Session

Adjournment

A regularly scheduled workshop of the Township of Liberty was held in the Municipal Building, 349 Mountain Lake Road, Great Meadows on 25 October 2018. The meeting was opened by Mayor John Inscho with Adequate Notice of Meeting and the Pledge of Allegiance at 7:08 p.m.

Present: Mayor John Inscho; Deputy Mayor Daniel Grover; Carl Cummins; and, Mike Beyer

Absent: Peter Karcher

Also, Present: Roger Skoog, Municipal Attorney; and, Jennifer Breslin, Deputy Municipal Clerk

REPORTS

COMMITTEEPERSON GROVER

Mr. Grover presented information on the Great Meadows Regional Board of Education regarding the proposal on closing the Liberty School due to reduction of state aid from 8.7 million to 4.2 million. He stated that the Board of Education is projecting a savings of less than one-half million with the school closing. Previously the Mayors of Liberty and Independence Township had been invited to participate in the decision of school closure. The Mayors have now been removed from that decision making process. Mr. Grover stated that the GMRBOE student population has greatly reduced in the past five years.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The agenda was approved as distributed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

RESOLUTIONS

Attorney Skoog explained the rational for the need to adopt the following Notice of Road Closure Resolution during the period of construction along Lakeside Drive West.

A motion by Dan Grover to adopt the following Resolution carried.

RESOLUTION #2018.065 NOTICE OF ROAD CLOSURE All residents and visitors to the Mountain Lake area of Liberty Township should take notice that the portion of Lakeside Drive West from Block 52, Lot 39.04 (95 Lakeside Drive West) and Block 61, Lot 33 (144 Lakeside Drive West) shall be closed to access by all persons by any and all means, including but not limited to, by foot, bicycle, motor vehicle, or any other mode of transportation, except that those persons who reside in the closed area, along with their invitees, for the limited purpose of ingress and egress to their residence; those providing emergency services, or governmental services, be it a local, county, state and or federal entity, and all of those persons or entities who are actually working or providing services to the construction site.

This road closure shall remain in effect until rescinded by subsequent resolution of the Township of Liberty.

Vote: absent - Karcher aye - Cummins aye - Grover aye - Beyer aye - Inscho

John Inscho, Mayor

PUBLIC COMMENT was opened at 7:24 pm.

Alice Bechok – Ms. Bechok inquired as to the start date of the Lakeside Drive West construction and advised that a recent 911 phone call response was delayed due to emergency personal driving into a dead-end barricade on lakeside drive west.

Lynn Gilmore – Ms. Gilmore inquired if the paper shredding event information could be posted on the sign in the municipal building front lawn

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, a motion by Mayor Inscho to adjourn the meeting carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:27 p.m.

Diane M Pflugfelder RMC/MMC Municipal Clerk/Administrator Minutes Approved 1 November 2018