Liberty Township 18 July 2023

# AGENDA LIBERTY TOWNSHIP EMERGENCY MEETING

18 July 2023 12:00 PM

Municipal Building 349 Mountain Lake Road Great Meadows, NJ 07838

Sunshine Notice
Flag Salute
Roll Call
Adoption of Agenda
Unfinished Business

New Business DPW Staffing

**Public Comment** 

Adjournment

An Emergency Meeting of the Township of Liberty was held in the Municipal Building, 349 Mountain Lake Road, Great Meadows on 18 July 2023. The meeting was opened by Mayor John Inscho with Adequate Notice of Meeting and the Pledge of Allegiance at 12:15 p.m.

Present: Mayor John Inscho; David Rogers; and, Wayne Spangenberg

Absent: Deputy Mayor Daniel Grover; Peter Karcher

Also, Present: Richard Wenner, Municipal Attorney; and, Diane M Pflugfelder, Municipal

Clerk/Administrator

A motion by Mayor Inscho to adopt the following Resolution carried.

#### RESOLUTION #2023.063 EMERGENCY MEETING

WHEREAS, This Emergency Meeting has been called for the following purpose: DPW Staffing; and,

WHEREAS, The normal requirement of the law regarding 48 notice have not been met due to lack of time and subject matter, however notices of this Emergency Meeting were emailed to the Express Times and Daily Record newspapers; and,

WHEREAS, The nature of urgency and importance are based on a lack of employed DPW staff resulting from two recent resignations; and,

WHEREAS, Liberty Township could not reasonably have foreseen this Emergency and the need for immediate staffing

WHEREAS, Liberty Township has an immediate need for manpower to work/remediate aftermath of the recent weather event on 14-17 July 2023 to clear municipal road ways of debris/material; repair municipal road erosion; barricade and monitor safe road passage; clear roadway basins; and communicate with Warren County Emergency Services/ Municipal OEM Coordinator.

*NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED* that there should be a vote on this Emergency Meeting of a majority of the members of the Liberty Township Governing Body.

Vote: absent - Karcher		
aye - Rogers	John Inscho,	
aye - Spangenberg	Mayor	
absent - Grover		
aye - Insch		

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## **NEW BUSINESS**

Following discussion, a motion by Wayne Spangenberg to adopt the following Resolution carried.

#### RESOLUTION #2023.064 SALARY

 $\it WHEREAS$ , Salary Ordinance #2022.002 established the salaries/wages, and compensation for certain employees of the Township of Liberty, Warren County.

*BE IT RESOLVED*, By the Governing Body of the Township of Liberty, Warren County that the following named employee(s) shall be compensated for the year 2023 in the amounts designated below. All salaries are retroactive to 1 January 2023 unless otherwise noted:

John Inscho,

<u>NAME</u> <u>POSITION</u> <u>SALARY</u>

Public Works

Daniel Drennon Laborer \$24.00/hour,

Effective 19 July 2023

Joel James Meixsell Mechanic \$26.00/hour

Effective 19 July 2023

Vote: absent - Grover

aye - Rogers aye - Spangenberg

Mayor

absent - Karcher aye - Inscho

## **PUBLIC COMMENT**

No public present

### **ADJOURNMENT**

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

Meeting adjourned at 12:20 p.m.

Diane M Pflugfelder RMC/MMC Municipal Clerk/Administrator Minutes Approved 3 August 2023