

## **MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF JANUARY 30, 2014**

The budget meeting of the Frelinghuysen Township was held in the Municipal Building, 210 Main Street, Johnsonburg, New Jersey on Thursday, January 30, 2014 and was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Mayor Boynton.

### **SUNSHINE LAW STATEMENT:**

Under the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act, adequate notice of this meeting was provided by posting notice on the Township bulletin board and by e mailing notice to the New Jersey Herald and The Express Times.

### **ROLL CALL:**

Those present were: Mayor David Boynton, Deputy Mayor Christopher Kuhn, Committeeman Frank Desiderio, Committeeman Alan DeCarolis, Committeeman Christopher Stracco, CFO Amy Maronpot and Clerk Brenda Kleber.

### **BUDGET:**

Paul McNamara of the Blairstown Ambulance Corp came before the Committee requesting the same amount of donations as the past. The amount of calls more than doubled from 2012. New equipment and a new ambulance for \$200,000.00 have been ordered. The Committee will put in the budget the same amount as last year.

Frelinghuysen Township Building Official, Richard O'Connor came before the Committee asking for an increase in the hours for the TACO along with putting her on salary. Motion was made by Mr. Kuhn, seconded by Mr. Desiderio to increase the salary of the TACO to \$16,640.00 for a 20 hour week. All were in favor. A motion was made by Mr. Kuhn, seconded by Mr. Desiderio to accept the building department's proposal. All were in favor.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

Mayor Boynton advised that three complaints had been received by the Zoning Officer of which one is against a committee member; therefore, an outside official is needed. Motion was made by Mr. Kuhn, seconded by Mr. Desiderio to appoint Maser Consulting as a special official zoning officer for purposes of complaints against Mr. DeCarolis. Roll call vote: Mr. Desiderio-yes, Mr. Boynton-yes, Mr. Stracco-yes, Mr. DeCarolis-abstain, Mr. Kuhn-yes.

### **ADJOURNMENT:**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:58 pm on motion made by Mr. Stracco, seconded by Mr. Desiderio. All were in favor.

Respectfully Submitted,

Brenda J. Kleber, RMC