Council President, Sam Colangelo called the regular meeting of the Tuckerton Borough Council to order on September 18, 2023 at 7:00 pm.

Provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act were complied with as notice was published to the *Beacon* and the *Asbury Park Press* stating the time, date and place of this meeting.

The following members of Council were in attendance: Keith Vreeland, Brian Martin, Sam Colangelo, Frank D'Amore, Mike Dupuis, and Ron Peterson. Mayor Marshall was absent

Mr. Colangelo led the salute to the flag.

ORDINANCE #8 OF 2023

ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF TUCKERTON COUNTY OF OCEAN STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING CHPATER 253 OF THE BOROUGH CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF TUCKERTON ENTITLED "WILDLIFE FEDDING" SO AS TO REVISE THE REGULATIONS PERTAINING TO THE FEEDING OF WILDLIFE WITHIN THE BOROUGH OG TUCKERTON

Mr. Vreeland moved, second by Mr. Martin that Ordinance #8 of 2023 be approved on first reading. The second reading and public hearing will be on October 2, 2023. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of Council.

Mr. Martin stated that there will be a town meeting on October 7th, 2023 at 10am to discuss Borough finances and what the community is looking for. He stated that he has invited the Mayor of Medford to come discuss how they revamped their Main Street and is hoping to hear his ideas how we can do the same.

Mr. Martin also stated that the Landyard Lagoon project is scheduled to start before the next council meeting if people start to see things getting staged that is what is going on.

RESOLUTION #143-23

RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF TUCKERTON, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF CLAIMS

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Mr. Martin moved, second by Mr. Vreeland that Resolution #143-23 be approved authorizing payment of claims in the amount of \$71,334.27. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of Council.

Mr. Colangelo stated that there will be a boat flare disposal on September 23rd of this month through the Ocean County Fire Academy.

RESOLUTION #144-23

RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF TUCKERTON, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AWARDING A CONTRACT FOR A FLYGT SUBMERSIBLE PUMP FOR THE KELLY AVENUE SEWAGE PUMP STATION

Mr. Colangelo moved, second by Mr. Vreeland that Resolution #144-23 be approved as read. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of Council.

RESOLUTION #145-23

RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF TUCKERTON, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, TO CANCEL EXCESS WATER & SEWER CHARGES FOR THE YEAR 2023

- Mr. Colangelo moved, second by Mr. Vreeland that Resolution #145-23 be approved as read. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of Council.
- Mr. Dupuis stated that he is working on getting "No Turn on Red" signs from the county and is waiting for confirmation for that.
- Mr. Dupuis moved, second by Mr. Peterson that the minutes of the meetings of September 5, 2023 be approved. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of Council.
- Mr. Peterson stated that the Economic Development Committee is having a hard time getting quorum and if anyone is interested in being part of the committee they should write a letter of interest to the Mayor.

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RESOLUTION #146-23

RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF TUCKERTON, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, PROVIDING FOR AN EXECUTIVE SESSION IN ACCORDANCE WITH PROVISIONS OF THE OPEN POUBLIC MEETINGS ACT

- Mr. Colangelo moved, second by Mr. Vreeland that Resolution #146-23 be approved as read. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of Council.
- Mr. Dupuis stated that the Environmental Commission is also having a hard time getting quorum if anyone is interested.
- Mr. Vreeland moved, second by Mr. Martin that the meeting be opened to the public.
- Lee Eggert, 121 Willow Landing Terr., asked if the Borough had any interest in getting insurance for the Fire Company to help them start training again.
 - Mr. Colangelo stated that their attorney can discuss this with our attorney.
- Mr. Eggert also asked about an email that was sent from Don Nelson to Maple Shade.
- Sen. Connors stated that Mr. Eggert would have to ask Mr. Nelson that not the Borough of Tuckerton.
- Mr. Eggert expressed his ongoing concern with the governing body and stated that something really needs to change.
- Doug Venturo, 91 Dolphin Road, Paul Suvoy, 92 Dolphin Road, and Gary George, 93 Dolphin Road, all spoke about how bad the bird feeding has gotten at specific residences down at the Beach.
- Deborah McMunn, 83 Dolphin Road, stated that the bird feeding has never been a problem until now and she has been here for 60 years.
- There being no further comments or questions, Mr. Vreeland moved, second by Mr. Martin that the public portion of the meeting be closed. It was so moved.
- Mr. Martin moved, second by Mr. Mike Dupuis that the meeting be adjourned. The motion was unanimously approved at 7:39pm.

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Respectfully submitted,	Approved:
JENNY GLEGHORN, RMC	SUSAN R. MARSHALL
BOROUGH CLERK	MAYOR