

DECEMBER 19, 2022

Mayor Susan R. Marshall called the regular meeting of the Tuckerton Borough Council to order on December 5 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, Suzanne Taylor, Mayor Marshall and Ron Peterson. Frank D'Amore was absent.

Mayor Marshall led the salute to the flag.

RESOLUTION #167-22

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF
TUCKERTON, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF
NEW JERSEY, AUTHORIZING TRANSFERS
BETWEEN THE 2022 BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS**

Mr. Martin moved, seconded by Mr. Vreeland that resolution #167-22 be approved as read. It was so moved by unanimous consent of council.

RESOLUTION #168-22

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

Mr. Martin moved, second by Mr. Vreeland that Resolution #168-22 be approved authorizing payment of claims in the amount of \$507,001.31. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of Council.

RESOLUTION #169-22

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF
TUCKERTON, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF
NEW JERSEY, AUTHORIZING THE TAX
COLLECTOR TO REFUND**

Mr. Martin moved, seconded by Mr. Vreeland that resolution #169-22 be approved as read. It was so moved by unanimous consent of council.

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RESOLUTION #170-22

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF
TUCKERTON, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF
NEW JERSEY, AUTHORIZING THE TAX
COLLECTOR TO REFUND**

Mr. Martin moved, seconded by Mr. Vreeland that resolution #170-22 be approved as read. It was so moved by unanimous consent of council.

RESOLUTION #171-22

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF
TUCKERTON, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF
NEW JERSEY, TO CLEAR WATER AND SEWER
OVERPAYMENTS BY REFUND**

Mr. Martin moved, seconded by Mr. Vreeland that resolution #171-22 be approved as read. It was so moved by unanimous consent of council.

Mr. Martin wished everyone a Merry Christmas, Happy New Year, and healthy 2023.

Mr. Colangelo reminded the public not to pour grease down the sink during the holiday season and wish everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year as well.

RESOLUTION #172-22

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF
TUCKERTON, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF
NEW JERSEY, TO CANCEL EXCESS WATER &
SEWER CHARGES FOR THE YEAR 2021 & 2022**

Mr. Colangelo moved, seconded by Mr. Vreeland that resolution #172-22 be approved as read. It was so moved by unanimous consent of council.

RESOLUTION #173-22

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF
TUCKERTON, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF
NEW JERSEY, AWARDED A CONTRACT TO
FURNISH AND INSTALL A HVAC SYSTEM AT
THE TUCKERTON FOOD PANTRY TO LANEY'S
HEATING AND COOLING**

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Mr. Vreeland moved, seconded by Mr. Colangelo that resolution #173-22 be approved as read. It was so moved by unanimous consent of council.

Mrs. Taylor moved, second by Mr. Peterson that the minutes of the meetings of December 5, 2022 be approved. It was so moved by unanimous consent of council.

Mrs. Taylor wished the public a Merry Christmas and a happy and healthy New Year.

Mr. Peterson thanked West Tuckerton for coming around with Santa in the fire trucks and stated that the trucks were very well decorated and looked really good. He also wished everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

RESOLUTION #174-22

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF
TUCKERTON, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF
NEW JERSEY, APPOINTING MARK A.
SCHNEIDER, ESQUIRE AS MUNICIPAL COURT
JUDGE**

Mr. Colangelo moved, seconded by Mr. Peterson that resolution #174-22 be approved as read. It was so moved by unanimous consent of council.

RESOLUTION #175-22

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF
TUCKERTON, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF
NEW JERSEY, APPOINTING SAM COLANGELO
AS EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COORDINATOR
FOR THE BOROUGH OF TUCKERTON**

Mr. Vreeland moved, seconded by Mr. Martin that resolution #175-22 be approved as read. It was so moved by majority consent of council. Mr. Colangelo abstained.

RESOLUTION #176-22

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

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Mr. Colangelo moved, seconded by Mr. Vreeland that resolution #176-22 be approved as read. It was so moved by unanimous consent of council.

Mr. Vreeland moved, second by Mr. Martin that the governing body authorize a raffle application and waiver of application fee for the Cervetto's Craftsman Club for 2023.

Mr. Colangelo moved, second by Mr. Vreeland that the meeting be opened to the public.

Paul Solimani, 20 Edgewater Drive, stated that he has started an HOA for Paradise Cove and the ideas he wants to focus on are getting a light at the intersection of RT. 9 and the entrance of Paradise Cove, getting a bus stop, adding a new street, working on ways to get dredged, and fixing the pot holes. He stated that he is having some trouble getting people involved, so at the moment the committee for this is himself, Kaylyn Ullman, and Doris Mathisen. Continually, he stated that about 25% of the residence in Paradise Cove are interested and that he is just trying to help the town.

Kaylyn Ullman, 239 South Green Street, stated that recently there was an otter found dead on the side of the road and she wanted to inform the town that there is a lot of wildlife in this town that people may not know about. She also wanted to remind residents that the speed limit going down South Green Street is 30 mph and wants to know if it would be possible to get two signs to try and protect the wildlife in town.

Peter Gioiello, 354 Kingfisher Road, wants to know if there are any updates on Landyard Lagoon, Dredging, and the Spit of Land.

Mr. Martin stated that we got the extension for the bids for Landyard Lagoon and it is currently being reviewed by the County to see if we can get more funding. He continued that he does not believe we will hear back from them before the New Year though.

Mrs. Gleghorn and Mr. Martin stated that they have already started the dredging and they are moving pretty quickly. Mrs. Gleghorn stated that she believes they will be done in about 3 months. Continually, she does not know specifically what has been done so far but will ask the Borough Engineer, Greg Kuri.

Mr. Gioiello invited Sen. Connors to come down and look at what is going on with the Spit of Land. He stated that VanDrew is also receptive to having a meeting about what we can do if he would like to be involved.

Sen. Connors stated that we would love to come down and look into it after the New Year as well as be a part of the meeting with VanDrew.

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Candice Johnson, Jersey Shore Extracts, LLC., stated that she is a cannabis retailer and believes that this industry could really help the town and is interesting and helping the town.

Jim McAndrew, 118 Marshall Ave, stated that he also wanted to reiterate how awesome West Tuckerton's fire trucks looked when they came around with Santa.

There being no further comments or questions, Mr. Colangelo moved, second by Mr. Vreeland that the public portion of the meeting be closed. It was so moved.

Mr. Colangelo moved, seconded by Mr. Vreeland that the meeting be adjourned it was unanimously approved at 7:26pm

Respectfully submitted,

**JENNY GLEGHORN, RMC
BOROUGH CLERK**

Approved:

**SUSAN R. MARSHALL
MAYOR**