

MARCH 16, 2020

Mayor Susan R. Marshall called the regular meeting of the Tuckerton Borough Council to order on March 16, 2020 at 7:00 pm in the Borough Complex.

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, John Schwartz Sam Colangelo, Frank D'Amore, Mike Santo, Ron Peterson, and Mayor Marshall.

Mayor Marshall led the salute to the flag and then asked for a moment of silence for the passing of Jane Moeller.

ORDINANCE NO. 4 OF 2020

ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF TUCKERTON, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, READOPTING AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A TAX ABATEMENT PROGRAM WITHIN THE BOROUGH OF TUCKERTON IN ACCORDANCE WITH N.J.S.A. 40A:21-4 AND AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING CHAPTER 235 OF THE BOROUGH CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF TUCKERTON ENTITLED "TAXATION"

Mr. Vreeland moved, second by Mr. Colangelo that the meeting be opened for public comment on Ordinance #4 of 2020. It was so moved.

Pat Johnson, The Sandpaper/Leader asked if there was any changes to this abatement ordinance or is it the same as the ordinance that has been on the books.

There is nothing new in the ordinance it is just a renewal of the previous abatement ordinance.

Mr. Vreeland moved, second by Mr. D'Amore that the public portion of the meeting be closed. So moved.

Mr. Vreeland moved, second by Mr. Colangelo that Ordinance #4 of 2020 be adopted on second and final reading. It was so moved by the following vote: Yes – Vreeland, Schwartz, Colangelo, D'Amore, Santo, Peterson; No – none; Abstain – none; Absent – none.

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RESOLUTION #90-20

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

Mr. Schwartz moved, second by Mr. Vreeland that Resolution #90-20 be approved authorizing payment of claims in the amount of \$648,471.93. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of Council.

Mr. Santo moved, second by Mr. D'Amore that the minutes of the meetings of March 2, 2020 be approved as presented. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of Council.

RESOLUTION #91-20

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF
TUCKERTON, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF
NEW JERSEY, AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION
OF A SHARED SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH
THE COUNTY OF OCEAN FOR FATAL ACCIDENT
SUPPORT TEAM, F.A.S.T.**

Mr. Peterson moved, second by Mr. Vreeland that Resolution #91-20 be approved authorizing payment of claims in the amount of \$648,471.93. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of Council.

RESOLUTION #92-20

**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**

Mr. Santo moved, second by Mr. Vreeland that Resolution #89-20, to discuss Reilly & Reilly, Cherry V. Borough of Tuckerton, be approved as read. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of Council.

Mr. Santo moved, second by Mr. Peterson that the governing body authorize Gerard Guthlein to be a member of the Tuckerton Volunteer Fire Company. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of Council.

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

Pat Johnson, The Sandpaper/Leader asked if Court will be canceled and she feels that closing South Green Street park should be thought through as a lot of residents drive down there to calm their nerves, she understands the playground but cant the Borough put caution tape around the equipment and let the rest of the park be opened.

Mayor Marshall stated court has not been canceled yet and the park is being closed based on the governor's recommendations.

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, second by Mr. Vreeland that the meeting be adjourned. The motion was unanimously approved at 7:25 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

**JENNY GLEGHORN, RMC
BOROUGH CLERK**

Approved:

**SUSAN R. MARSHALL
MAYOR**