

**TOWNSHIP OF COLTS NECK  
COMMITTEE MEETING  
AUGUST 9, 7:30 P.M.  
TOWN HALL**

The meeting of the Colts Neck Township Committee was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mayor Macnow followed by a salute to the flag. The following statement was read by Municipal Clerk, Ms. Kara: "The notice requirements of the New Jersey Public Meetings Law have been satisfied by noticing the News Transcript on January 12, 2017 stating that a regular meeting of the Colts Neck Township Committee would be held August 9, 2017 at 7:30 p.m., Colts Neck Town Hall, 124 Cedar Drive, Colts Neck, New Jersey. The notice requirements have been posted on the Township website and a copy is on file in the Office of the Township Clerk."

Roll call by Ms. Kara indicated the following:

**Present:** Mayor Russell Macnow, Deputy Mayor J.P. Bartolomeo, Committeemen Edward Eastman, Jr., Thomas Orgo and Frank Rizzuto

**Also Present:** Kathleen Capristo, Administrator/Deputy Clerk; Beth Kara, Municipal Clerk; and Meghan Bennet Clark, Esq. (arriving late)/David Clark, Esq., Township Counsel

**Absent:** None

- 1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** MEETING OF JULY 12, 2017. Mr. Orgo commented his vote for the first reading of Ordinance 2017-17 to abstain. Ms. Kara stated the minutes correctly reflect Mr. Orgo's abstention at introduction, and Ordinance 2017-17 was corrected prior to tonight's meeting to reflect Mr. Orgo's abstention at introduction. Mr. Orgo made a motion to approve, seconded by Mr. Bartolomeo and unanimously carried.

<b>RECORD OF VOTE</b>						
Committeeman	M	S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Macnow			X			
Deputy Mayor Bartolomeo		S	X			
Eastman			X			
Orgo		M	X			
Rizzuto			X			
M - Moved S - Seconded X - indicates vote NV - Not Voting Ab - Absent						

- 2. PRESENTATION:** PROPOSAL TO INSTALL DUGOUT OVERHANGS, LAIRD 1 AND 3 FIELDS, JOSE HENRIQUES, COLTS NECK LITTLE LEAGUE PRESIDENT. Mr. Henriques discussed the need for the overhangs, noting it is very sunny in the dugouts on these fields. Mr. Henriques advised tarps were used, but they quickly ripped. The proposed slanted roofs would protect the players from sun and heat. Mr. Henriques commented plans are to install the roofs at Laird 1 this year and Laird 3 next year. Mr. Bartolomeo expressed concern that whatever is installed needs to be structurally sound and pass Township inspections. The Township Committee unanimously approved by voice vote the proposal to install dugout overhangs at Laird 1 and Laird 3 Fields.
- 3. DISCUSSION:** EMERALD ASH BORER – OPTIONS FOR ACTION, COMMITTEEMAN RIZZUTO AND MR. MICHAEL VIOLA, SHADE TREE COMMISSION. Mr. Viola advised the Shade Tree Commission recommends treating the high value trees. Mr. Viola provided the following information. Soil treatment is not an option. The three options would be 1) Take no action; 2) Treat in fall (September); or 3) Defer action until spring. Mr. Viola noted in the mid-West, one treatment was sufficient and it is uncertain if delaying action would have adverse results. The price to treat was quoted by two arborists, \$6,500 and \$8,000. Another option would be to remove all trees and replace them with several species

of trees. Mayor Macnow opened the discussion to all Committee members. Mr. Rizzuto noted treatment should occur in the fall or spring; however, the risk is minimal to wait until spring. Mr. Rizzuto advised trees along one side of Heritage Way may need to be replaced as they are too close to the road. Mr. Viola commented by waiting until spring, more treatment options may be available. Mr. Viola noted the Monmouth County Parks System is just treating specimen trees and removing other trees once impacted. Ms. Capristo advised there would be economies of scale with bulk removal by the County under a shared services agreement as opposed to a piecemeal approach, which would be more costly. Mr. Eastman stated he heartedly agrees with the Shade Tree Commission to treat now. Ms. Capristo noted the treatment kills infestation. Mr. Orgo is in favor of treating in late March/early April; however, he does not believe the trees will die quickly. Mr. Orgo commented the new sidewalk for the Core Site running trail will require several trees taken down. Mr. Bartolomeo stated he agrees with Mr. Orgo and is in favor of letting nature take its course. Mr. Bartolomeo commented if the infestation is devastating the entire Country, will the treatments now available stop the Emerald Ash Borer found in Colts Neck? Mr. Viola noted there is a very short window for effective treatment in the spring. Mayor Macnow commented if the trees are removed and replaced, it will take many years for the replacement trees to mature. Mayor Macnow is in favor of treating the trees once to see if they can be saved. Mayor Macnow noted there may be additional treatment information available in the spring and he is in favor of waiting until spring. Ms. Capristo stated she will ask the Shade Tree Commission to continue to keep this on their agendas and track this issue for further Township Committee consideration. Mayor Macnow stated treatment costs should be included in the 2018 budget. The Township Committee will address this issue again prior to the spring of 2018.

4. **DISCUSSION:** MUNICIPAL CODE CHAPTER 222, VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC, §222-4. PARKING PROHIBITED DURING CERTAIN HOURS ON CERTAIN STREETS (POSSIBLE ORDINANCE INTRODUCTION) Mayor Macnow stated the current ordinance was enacted prior to 1984 and prohibits overnight parking on Township streets except Saturday night into Sunday and holidays. The Police recently enforced this ordinance, and the Township Attorney has prepared a draft ordinance with the thought of making it less onerous for residents, as the Township is not encouraging guests to drive home or punishing those that leave a car parked and Uber home, and perhaps not requiring a court appearance. Mayor Macnow stated this relates to private vehicles; not commercial vehicles or other items (dumpsters, etc.) on a Township street. The draft incorporates Chief Sauter's recommendation and includes establishing fire zones at Huddy's and the former Atlantic School. Streets at the reservoir and in close proximity of the High School would remain restricted. Discussion ensued regarding the targeting of streets as no parking streets and a mandatory court appearance.

At 8:09 p.m., Counsel Meghan Bennett Clark arrived and Counsel David Clark departed.

Counsel Bennett Clark commented the only revision to the current ordinance was in changing the name of the Atlantic Elementary School to American Heritage Properties and adding a fire zone at Huddy's. Mayor Macnow noted The Grande has its own parking ordinance. Discussion ensued. Mayor Macnow charged Messrs. Orgo and Rizzuto with the responsibility of reviewing the proposed ordinance and reporting back to the Township Committee with recommendations at the next Township Committee meeting.

5. **DISCUSSION:** RESOLUTION 2017-100, RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PLACEMENT OF A REFERENDUM ON THE OFFICIAL BALLOT. Mayor Macnow advised Resolution 2017-100 to place a referendum on the November ballot to increase the Open Space Tax for Municipal properties was passed by the Township Committee at the July 12th meeting. The Township Committee has

since learned that the County is also placing a referendum on the November ballot to increase the Open Space Tax for County properties. While the referenda are for two different purposes, the question tonight is whether the Township Committee should proceed. Discussion ensued. Mr. Orgo commented the tax increase would result in an increase of \$104 per year (\$96 to \$200 per year) for a property valued at \$800,000. With additional open space funds, the Township could purchase more land designated as open space and not developable. Mr. Orgo reported a 65 acre parcel is in the process of becoming open space. Mayor Macnow stated the benefits are significant and the open space money is well spent, as every time a property is designated open space, there are less services the Township has to provide, and less tax increase than if the property were left on the market and developed. Mr. Eastman agreed with Mr. Orgo and Mayor Macnow noting increasing the open space fund to purchase open space property within the Township, residents will save down the road. Mr. Bartolomeo agreed with all comments again stating for a home valued at \$800,000, the Municipal Open Space Tax would rise from \$96 per year to \$200 per year, an increase of \$104, and the benefits from that small increase are substantial. Mr. Orgo commented the more the Township develops, the more schools and Emergency Services (Police, Fire, First Aid) are needed. By voice vote, the Township Committee unanimously agreed to place the referendum included in Resolution 2017-100 on the November ballot.

6. **ORDINANCE 2017-17:** AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF COLTS NECK IN THE COUNTY OF MONMOUTH, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, CONSENTING TO THE RECORDING OF A NEW CONSERVATION, OPEN SPACE, DRAINAGE AND UTILITY EASEMENT BETWEEN FSP, LLC T/A JTS LAND TRUST AND HOCKHOCKSON FARM AND THE TOWNSHIP OF COLTS NECK GOVERNING BLOCK 51, LOT 1.01 was read by title at second reading by Mayor Macnow. Mr. John Anderson, Esq., advised as part of the Planning Board's preliminary site plan approval, the applicant is required to widen the existing ingress and egress driveways to County Route 537 to a minimum of 12 feet, and no clear-cutting will be undertaken. The Planning Board's special condition required the applicant to apply to the Township Committee for permission to widen the driveway within the existing easement. Hearing no comment from the Township Committee, Mayor Macnow called for a motion to open the public hearing. Mr. Bartolomeo made a motion, seconded by Mr. Rizzuto and unanimously carried by voice vote. Hearing no comments, Mayor Macnow called for a motion to close the public hearing. Mr. Bartolomeo made a motion, seconded by Mr. Rizzuto and unanimously carried by voice vote. Hearing no comments, Mayor Macnow called for a motion. Mr. Bartolomeo made a motion to approve, seconded by Mr. Rizzuto and carried by Messrs. Macnow, Bartolomeo, Eastman and Rizzuto; Mr. Orgo abstained.

RECORD OF VOTE						
Committeeman	M	S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Macnow			X			
Deputy Mayor Bartolomeo	M		X			
Eastman			X			
Orgo					X	
Rizzuto		S	X			
M - Moved S - Seconded X - indicates vote NV - Not Voting Ab - Absent						

7. **RESOLUTION 2017-108:** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AWARD OF BID, FY 2017 CAPITAL ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM, PHASE I was read by title by Mayor Macnow. Five bids were received. This resolution authorizes the award of bid to Earle Asphalt Company, Wall, New Jersey for the bid amount of \$697,913.13. Roads to be paved are Rivers Edge Drive, Montana Drive, Raven Road, Fox Hedge Road and Laredo Drive, and work is anticipated to commence in mid to late September. Mr. Orgo made a motion to approve, seconded by Mr. Bartolomeo and unanimously carried.

RECORD OF VOTE					
Committeeman	M S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Macnow		X			
Deputy Mayor Bartolomeo	S	X			
Eastman		X			
Orgo	M	X			
Rizzuto		X			
M - Moved S - Seconded X - indicates vote NV - Not Voting Ab - Absent					

8. **RESOLUTION 2017-109:** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AWARD OF BID, NJDOT 2016 MUNICIPAL AID PROGRAM, PHASE I, IMPROVEMENTS TO FIVE POINT ROAD (COLT-00732) was read by title by Mayor Macnow. Three bids were received. This resolution authorizes the award of bid to Earle Asphalt Company, Wall, New Jersey for the bid amount of \$419,913.13. Work will begin in mid to late September to pave Five Point Road from Route 18 to the Howell Township border. Mr. Bartolomeo made a motion to approve, seconded by Mr. Orgo and unanimously carried.

RECORD OF VOTE					
Committeeman	M S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Macnow		X			
Deputy Mayor Bartolomeo	M	X			
Eastman		X			
Orgo	S	X			
Rizzuto		X			
M - Moved S - Seconded X - indicates vote NV - Not Voting Ab - Absent					

9. **RESOLUTION 2017-110:** RESOLUTION CONFIRMING APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER, ROBERT J. SHAFER was read by title by Mayor Macnow. This resolution confirms Mr. Shafer's part-time appointment for a targeted weekly work schedule not to exceed 16 hours per week at an hourly rate of \$21, effective July 27, 2017. Mayor Macnow stated this additional position supplements Code Enforcement and will be addressing brush, leaves, and other quality of life issues. Mr. Shafer is a Police Officer in Monmouth County. Mr. Bartolomeo made a motion to approve, seconded by Mr. Orgo and unanimously carried.

RECORD OF VOTE					
Committeeman	M S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Macnow		X			
Deputy Mayor Bartolomeo	M	X			
Eastman		X			
Orgo	S	X			
Rizzuto		X			
M - Moved S - Seconded X - indicates vote NV - Not Voting Ab - Absent					

10. **RESOLUTION 2017-111:** RESOLUTION APPROPRIATING EXCESS BOND PROCEEDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$8,549.36 TO FINANCE A PORTION OF THE COST OF THE ACQUISITION OF A FIRE TRUCK was read by title by Mayor Macnow. This resolution re-appropriates funds to be applied toward the purchase price of a new fire truck for Fire Company 1. Mr. Orgo made a motion to approve, seconded by Mr. Bartolomeo and carried by Messrs. Macnow, Bartolomeo, Eastman and Orgo, Mr. Rizzuto abstained.

RECORD OF VOTE					
Committeeman	M S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Macnow		X			
Deputy Mayor Bartolomeo	S	X			
Eastman		X			
Orgo	M	X			
Rizzuto				X	
M - Moved S - Seconded X - indicates vote NV - Not Voting Ab - Absent					

- 11. RESOLUTION 2017-112:** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PURCHASE OF SUTPEN COMMERCIAL KENWORTH T800 4,000 GALLON WET-SIDE MID-SHIP PUMP TENDER THROUGH STATE CONTRACT A86453 (\$408,549.36) was read by title by Mayor Macnow. This resolution authorizes the purchase of a fire truck for Fire Company 1. Mr. Orgo made a motion to approve, seconded by Mr. Bartolomeo and carried by Messrs. Macnow, Bartolomeo, Eastman and Orgo, Mr. Rizzuto abstained.

RECORD OF VOTE					
Committeeman	M S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Macnow		X			
Deputy Mayor Bartolomeo	S	X			
Eastman		X			
Orgo	M	X			
Rizzuto				X	
M - Moved S - Seconded X - indicates vote NV - Not Voting Ab - Absent					

- 12. RESOLUTION 2017-112A:** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TOWNSHIP OF COLTS NECK TO ENTER INTO A COOPERATIVE PRICING AGREEMENT was read by title by Mayor Macnow. This resolution authorizes the Township to enter into a Cooperative Pricing Agreement with the Cranford Police Cooperative Pricing System (47-CPCPS) with the intent of purchasing a Fire Department command vehicle at a more competitive price. There is no cost to join the Cooperative Pricing System. Mr. Bartolomeo made a motion to approve, seconded by Mr. Orgo and carried by Messrs. Macnow, Bartolomeo, Eastman and Orgo, Mr. Rizzuto abstained.

RECORD OF VOTE					
Committeeman	M S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Macnow		X			
Deputy Mayor Bartolomeo	M	X			
Eastman		X			
Orgo	S	X			
Rizzuto				X	
M - Moved S - Seconded X - indicates vote NV - Not Voting Ab - Absent					

- 13. RESOLUTION 2017-113:** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF A-1 CONSENT FORM FOR NJDEP TREATMENT WORKS PERMIT FOR FSP, LLC/HOCKHOCKSON FARM (PLANNING BOARD APPLICATION NO. PB721) was read by title by Mayor Macnow. Mr. John Anderson provided information related to plans to increase the flow of the existing system noting neither animal waste nor wash water will be passed through this system. Manure will be collected daily and brought to a central site and turned into the ground. The plan does not call for raised beds; they are not being rounded up. Because the treatment plant will handle over 200,000 gallons per day, the DEP, not the Township's Health Officer, reviews the plans once the Governing Body approves. The Township Planner has reviewed the NJDEP Treatment Works Permit Application and recommends Township Committee approval to authorize the Mayor to sign the Certification of Consent by the Governing Body. Mr.

Bartolomeo made a motion to approve, seconded by Mr. Rizzuto and carried by Messrs. Macnow, Bartolomeo, Eastman and Rizzuto; Mr. Orgo abstained.

RECORD OF VOTE					
Committeeman	M S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Macnow		X			
Deputy Mayor Bartolomeo	M	X			
Eastman		X			
Orgo				X	
Rizzuto	S	X			
M - Moved S - Seconded X - indicates vote NV - Not Voting Ab - Absent					

**14. MOTION TO ADOPT A CONSENT AGENDA:**

All items listed on the "Consent Agenda" are considered routine by the Township and are adopted or approved collectively by a single motion and roll-call vote of a majority of the Township Committee. If discussion is desired on any item, it is considered separately.

Mayor Macnow read the previous paragraph, then read the following resolutions by title:

**\*RESOLUTION 2017-114:** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF SPECIAL PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE, STREET OPENING PERMIT, BLOCK 21, LOT 21 (521 MARL ROAD)

**\*RESOLUTION 2017-115:** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE REDUCTION OF PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE, PLANNING BOARD APPLICATION 665, BLOCK 29, LOT 9 (1A BLUEBELL ROAD)

**\*RESOLUTION 2017-116:** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE REFUND OF CONSTRUCTION PERMIT FEE NO. 20170365, 37 PHALANX ROAD (\$153.00)

**\*RESOLUTION 2017-117:** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE RELEASE OF SPECIAL PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE, HOUSE DEMOLITION, BLOCK 13, LOT 6, 70 PROTHERO ROAD (\$25,000.00)

Mr. Bartolomeo made a motion to approve, seconded by Mr. Rizzuto and unanimously carried.

RECORD OF VOTE					
Committeeman	M S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Macnow		X			
Deputy Mayor Bartolomeo	M	X			
Eastman		X			
Orgo		X			
Rizzuto	S	X			
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**15. ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT**

Ms. Capristo reported 2017 County Road resurfacing projects would be commencing in Colts Neck in the upcoming months, which include CR4 (South Holmdel Road) from CR520 (Newman Springs Road) to SH Route 34; and CR 50 (Swimming River Road) from CR 537 to Grant Court. The County has awarded a contract to Black Rock Enterprises, LLC, and once known, information on paving timelines will be placed on the Township's website.

Ms. Capristo advised a request to temporarily close Timber Lane to through traffic for a block party September 10 with a rain date of September 17, from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. was received. The Police Chief had no issue with this as long as

emergency vehicles were able to access the area. The Township Committee unanimously approved this request via voice vote.

Ms. Capristo advised Rockfest is scheduled for September 22-23, 2017 at Bucks Mill Park. A request was received for a maximum of three individuals (one being the Rockfest organizer) to stay overnight in Bucks Mill Park from September 22 to September 23, 2017 to watch the equipment. Mayor Macnow stated this was done last year with no incidents. Township Committee unanimously approved by voice vote a maximum of three individuals to remain overnight in Bucks Mill Park from September 22 to September 23, 2017 to watch the equipment. Ms. Capristo advised a request was received for of age attendees at the Rockfest event to be able to consume beer and wine at the event. A certificate of insurance has been provided by the event organizer with the required coverage. The Township Committee unanimously approved this request by voice vote.

Ms. Capristo advised the Township received a request for attendees of legal age to consume alcohol (beer and wine) at the Colts Neck Business Association (CNBA) pig roast scheduled for September 26, 2017 in Bucks Mill Park. The Township Committee unanimously approved this request by voice vote contingent upon receipt of the required certificate of insurance.

**16. MOTION TO APPROVE VOUCHERS:** Mr. Bartolomeo noted he reviewed the vouchers and recommended the following be approved:

Animal Control	\$169.16
Capital Fund	\$37,556.01
COAH	\$1,077.10
Construction Trust	\$28,862.06
Current Fund	\$13,170,995.10
Escrow	\$9,455.65
Grant Fund	\$2,357.47
Trust Fund	\$17,170.16
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b><u>\$13,267,642.71</u></b>

Mr. Rizzuto made a motion to approve, seconded by Mr. Orgo and unanimously carried with the exception of Mayor Macnow abstaining from approving bills payable to Sakoutis Brothers Disposal, Inc.<sup>1</sup>; Mr. Eastman abstaining from approving bills to Newfields Princeton, LLC and Chiesa Shahinian & Giantomasi<sup>2</sup>; and Mr. Rizzuto abstaining from approving bills for Fire Department expenditures<sup>3</sup>.

RECORD OF VOTE						
Committeeman	M	S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Macnow			X <sup>1</sup>		X <sup>1</sup>	
Deputy Mayor Bartolomeo			X			
Eastman			X <sup>2</sup>		X <sup>2</sup>	
Orgo		S	X			
Rizzuto		M	X <sup>3</sup>		X <sup>3</sup>	
M - Moved S - Seconded X - indicates vote NV - Not Voting Ab - Absent						

**17. TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Mr. Rizzuto reported the Architectural Review Committee is seeking nominations for three Architectural Excellence Awards.

Mr. Eastman had no report this evening.

Mr. Orgo had no report this evening.

Mr. Bartolomeo advised he learned of a tour of Bell Labs, Holmdel in one of the local publications (The Journal or Community magazine), and he attended. Mr. Bartolomeo noted this was a great tour, and although it was geared towards Holmdel residents, it was an example of creating housing and employment opportunities within the community that will have a positive impact on surrounding communities. Mr. Bartolomeo highly recommended this tour and will be exploring the possibility of a group tour.

Mayor Macnow spoke of the significant event impacting the Township recently, that of losing resident Cpl. Dan Baldassare of the USMC. Mayor Macnow stated he was honored to help coordinate the funeral service held at Colts Neck High School for Cpl. Baldassare and thanked all who worked within a very short window of time, including Freehold Regional High School Superintendent Sampson, CNHS Principal Dr. Donohue, the CNHS staff and teachers, DPW Director Bader and the DPW staff, Chief Sauter and the Police Department, the Fire Department and First Aid Squad volunteer members, and all those who came out to show their respect to this fallen serviceman. Mayor Macnow then read a letter of appreciation received from the Baldassare Family. Mayor Macnow expressed his gratitude to all lining the route of travel that day, and he thanked Spring Lake for donating a great number of flags.

Mayor Macnow announced the Colts Neck Historical Committee would be commemorating the September 11, 2001 tragedy with a program on September 10th, 6:00 p.m., Town Hall pond-side lawn. Freeholder Director Burry has arranged a well-represented program, including a member of one of the five 9/11 families within the Township.

Mayor Macnow advised the Monmouth County Board of Freeholders would be meeting in the Township's Courthouse on August 24, 6:00 p.m. During this meeting, there would be big news for the Township as the Routes 537 and 34 intersection realignment project contract will be awarded. This project is anticipated to take 27 months for completion. Mayor Macnow urged all to attend.

Hearing no further comments from the Township Committee, Mayor Macnow called for a motion to open the meeting to public comments. Mr. Rizzuto made a motion, seconded by Mr. Orgo and unanimously carried by voice vote.

#### **18. PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

Mr. Chuck Camarata, resident, questioned what the Monmouth County Shade Tree Commission's position is relating to the emerald ash borer. Mr. Camarata was advised they do not have a position. He then asked if the State has a position and was advised there was none in writing. Mr. Camarata questioned why the June 28 audit summary was advertised in the News Transcript. Mayor Macnow responded.

Mr. Dino Nicoletta, resident and CNBA representative, advised of a card exchange planned at Trump National on August 16 and a Pig Roast planned in September at Bucks Mill Park.

Mr. Michael Viola, resident, stated he attended the funeral service held at Colts Neck High School for Cpl. Daniel Baldassare and thanked Mayor Macnow for all he did. Mr. Viola advised the deer rut season begins soon and this should yield a plentiful birthing season. Mr. Viola urged residents to attend the upcoming Wildlife Committee meeting on August 21 at Town Hall, 7:00 p.m., when the impact of the revised ordinance for hunting on contiguous 3 acre parcels will be discussed. Mr. Viola advised plans are underway to publish in The Journal about the deer issue. Mr. Orgo questioned if hunting will be permitted in municipal parks. Mr. Viola responded that every municipality handles things differently, and he would need guidance if this path is to be pursued. Mayor Macnow commented the State of New Jersey should be addressing this issue State-wide.

Mr. Michael Vodarsik, resident, commented he grew up here and has lived in Town for 35 years and expressed his interest in working on a subcommittee to address overnight parking on Township streets. Mr. Vodarsik is not in favor of having cars on the streets all the time; weekends are fine, but not during the week. Mr. Vodarsik commented communication to residents is key, and he wants to keep the rural character of the Town. Mr. Vodarsik stated people and demographics change; however, it does not make it right to change things for a vocal group against something. Mayor Macnow commented there may be a hybrid solution on this issue, and he hopes Committeemen Orgo and Rizzuto explore the options.

Hearing no further comments, Mayor Macnow called for a motion to close the meeting to public comments. Mr. Bartolomeo made a motion, seconded by Mr. Orgo and unanimously carried by voice vote.

- 19. RESOLUTION 2017-118:** EXECUTIVE SESSION was read by title by Mayor Macnow. Mr. Bartolomeo made a motion, seconded by Mr. Rizzuto and unanimously carried by voice vote. Mayor Macnow stated the Township Committee would not be returning to open meeting this evening.

RECORD OF VOTE					
Committeeman	M S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Macnow		X			
Deputy Mayor Bartolomeo	M	X			
Eastman		X			
Orgo		X			
Rizzuto	S	X			
M - Moved S - Seconded X - indicates vote NV - Not Voting Ab - Absent					

Meeting adjourned at 9:27 p.m.

Motion by Mr. Bartolomeo, seconded by Mr. Rizzuto and unanimously carried by voice vote to adjourn Executive Session and return to Regular meeting to adjourn.

RECORD OF VOTE					
Committeeman	M S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Macnow		X			
Deputy Mayor Bartolomeo	M	X			
Eastman		X			
Orgo		X			
Rizzuto	S	X			
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Motion by Mr. Orgo, seconded by Mr. Bartolomeo to adjourn meeting.

RECORD OF VOTE					
Committeeman	M S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Macnow		X			
Deputy Mayor Bartolomeo	S	X			
Eastman		X			
Orgo	M	X			
Rizzuto		X			
M - Moved S - Seconded X - indicates vote NV - Not Voting Ab - Absent					

Meeting adjourned at 9:47 p.m.

  
 Beth Kara, RMC, CMC  
 Municipal Clerk