

CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION
June 23, 2015

ATTENDANCE:

Councilman Edwards
Councilwoman Lugardo-Hemple
Pres. Surrency
Mayor Kelly
Municipal Solicitor Bertram

CALLED TO ORDER: Pres. Surrency

STATEMENT OF MEETING NOTICE: Clerk read statement of meeting notice, Adequate notice of this meeting pursuant to N.J.S.A.10:4-6 giving the time, date, location and agenda to the extent known has been given in the following manner:

1. By posting notice of said meeting on the bulletin board at City Hall Annex, 181 East Commerce Street, Bridgeton, New Jersey on June 19, 2015 at 4:30 p.m.
2. By mailing such notice to the South Jersey Times and the Press on June 19, 2015 at
3. By advertising in South Jersey times on June 12, 2015 4:30 pm.

PRESENTATION/S: None

AGENDA REVIEW

C- Invocation/Flag Salute- Councilman Edwards

G-1 Ordinance Special Assistant to Mayor Councilwoman inquired about duties and responsibilities and was informed they were listed in Ordinance and that there has been no questions regarding same.

H-7 Bond Ordinance removed due to lack of membership attendance, need four only three present.

J-15 Resolution Main Street Agreement Councilwoman Lugardo-Hemple inquired concerning amount and time which was stated in agreement.

Mayor explained they have two years to become self sufficient. This year they will receive \$60,000 and next year \$40,000.

J-17 Resolution modification Dean Dellaquila explained the process of preventing leakage along the dam by a substance used by South State

J-20 Resolution stale dated checks explained by Comptroller as checks that have not been cashed.

J-21 Resolution for discretionary aid funding, Director Public Works Dean Dellaquila explained use of funding for the replacement of brick downtown sidewalks that are hazardous.

J-22 Resolution for transfers, Comptroller stated was revised today due to the trees by the splash park

ADDITIONS

Resolution authorizing performance bond release to Ardagh Glass, Inc.

Resolution awarding environmental testing to Eurofins QC, Inc.

COMMITTEE LIASION REPORTS:

Councilwoman Lugardo-Hemple reported on Bridgeton Library and Historic Commission activities.

OTHER BUSINESS:

Clerk reported on Alcoholic Beverage Licenses being handled electronically thru the State and time extended for renewal being September 18, 2015 and also informed Council that their reports will be in their mail slots hopefully by the end of next week, after which Resolution would be needed for renewal.

Chief Gaimari also informed Council that it is a possibility one license may not be approved for renewal but status may change by September 18.

Public Works Director Dean Dellaquila reported that this morning Century Savings Bank had representatives from their Bank come out clean-up all of Mayor Aitken Drive.

Mayor Kelly distributed a picture of the signage for the Park that was donated by Century Bank for the entrance to the Park over arching at Washington and Mayor Aiken Drive. He farther reported that they are planning on doing 150 things to commemorate the 150 Anniversary.

Mayor also reported that we are waiting hear the status of the landfill so that we can go to the next phase in our Park and hopefully making bike trails and path walks which will add another dimension to our Park.

Clerk suggested the Bond Ordinance be placed on the agenda for the Public Hearing only as it has been advertised for tonight and will save the cost of re-adverting the public hearing again. Council agreed to place on agenda for public hearing only, vote will take place next meeting when there is a quorum.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Upon motion by Mrs. Lugardo-Hemple and second by Mr. Edwards that

RESOLUTION NO. 186-15 to enter into executive session to discuss: Litigation; Port Authority, was adopted by unanimous roll call vote with Mr. Spence and Mr. Zapolski being absent. The original resolution may be found in the Resolution Book.

PUBLIC PORTION: None

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further items of discussion, it was moved by Ms. Lugardo-Hemple and seconded by Mr. EdwardsZapolski that the Work Session be adjourned which motion was carried.

Pres. Surrency adjourned the Work Session.

Respectfully submitted,

Approved:

Darlene J. Richmond, RMC
Municipal Clerk

Jack Surrency, Council President

Date: _____