

**LOGAN TOWNSHIP
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES**

January 16, 2018
(minutes approved 2/6/2018)

The Regular Meeting of the Logan Township Council was called to order at 7:00pm by Mayor Frank W. Minor on the above date. The Regular Meeting was held at the Municipal Building, 125 Main Street, Bridgeport, New Jersey.

Mayor Minor led the flag salute and a moment of silence. He thanked those serving in the military for their daily sacrifice. He then read the Open Public Meeting Act.

Roll Call showed the following in attendance: Council: Bernadine Jackson, Christopher Morris, Arthur Smith and Mayor Frank W. Minor. Others in attendance were: Solicitor Brian Duffield, Engineer Annina Hogan, Police Captain Joseph Lombardo, CFO Margaret Smith, Administrator Lyman Barnes and Municipal Clerk Linda Oswald. *Councilwoman Hall absent due to illness.*

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:
January 2, 2018 Reorganization Meeting**

Motion by Jackson, second Smith, to approve minutes from the January 2, 2018 Reorganization Meeting. Roll Call: Ayes: Jackson, Morris, Smith, Mayor Minor. Nays: None. **MOTION CARRIED.**

ORDINANCE #1-2018: First Reading/Introduction

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LOGAN, COUNTY OF GLOUCESTER, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING CHAPTER 152 ENTITLED "VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC" OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LOGAN
(Prohibited Parking)

Short discussion; required by the county for a county road. Needed for DP Partners new building A2. From railroad tracks to Progress Court.

Motion by Morris, second Jackson, to introduce Ordinance #1-2018 on first reading and set a public hearing for 2/6/18. Roll Call: Ayes: Jackson, Morris, Smith, Mayor Minor. Nays: None. **MOTION CARRIED.**

PAYMENT OF BILLS:

Motion by Jackson, second Smith, to pay all duly authorized bills. Roll Call: Ayes: Jackson, Morris, Smith, Mayor Minor. Nays: None. **MOTION CARRIED.**

RESOLUTION #52-2018:

RESOLUTION APPOINTING MEMBERS TO THE YOUTH SPORTS COORDINATING COMMITTEE FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF LOGAN, COUNTY OF GLOUCESTER, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

RESOLUTION #53-2018:

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF LOGAN TOWNSHIP APPOINTING MEMBER TO THE MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY IN THE TOWNSHIP OF LOGAN, COUNTY OF GLOUCESTER, STATE OF NEW JERSEY (*Edward Hill*)

RESOLUTION #54-2018:

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF LOGAN TOWNSHIP AUTHORIZING A CONTRACT WITH THE SOCIETY TO PROTECT ANIMALS TO CONDUCT A DOG CENSUS FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF LOGAN, COUNTY OF GLOUCESTER, STATE OF NEW JERSEY (\$6000.00)

RESOLUTION #55-2018:

RESOLUTION APPOINTING MEMBERS TO THE YOUTH, PARKS & RECREATION COMMITTEE FOR TOWNSHIP OF LOGAN, COUNTY OF GLOUCESTER, STATE OF NEW JERSEY (*Amanda Smedley from Alt. A to Committee Member filling vacancy of Kara Monahan; David White III, Alt. A, Jeanette Thomas Alt. B, Fernette Thomas Alt. C*)

RESOLUTION #56-2018:

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LOGAN AUTHORIZING MARIO'S AUTO & TRUCK REPAIR AND RIEHL'S TOWING & MAINTENANCE, INC. AS APPROVED TOW OPERATORS FOR THE LOGAN TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEARS 2018 AND 2019

Motion by Jackson, second Smith, to adopt Resolutions #52 thru #56-2018. Roll Call: Ayes: Jackson, Morris, Smith, Mayor Minor. Nays: None. **MOTION CARRIED.**

COUNCIL UPDATES:

Hall –

Jackson – no update

Morris – no update

Smith – no update

Mayor Minor – no update

REPORTS/CORRESPONDENCE:

Administrator – discussion of Cooper Lake and sale of the property consisting of approximately 60 acres. Need a minimum of two (2) appraisals to determine Fair Market Value. Update on abandoned/vacant homes in the township. Some have been sold and two (2) have been demolished (Arrowwood and Main Street).

Engineer – report attached. Update on Township Line Park sports lights; poles are up, lighting fixtures are on the poles, most of the conduit has been run underground, shed is being relocated to the park by end of the week, waiting on panels from the manufacturer, can power up when panels installed.

JIF Safety Coordinator – no report.

Municipal Fire Chief – no report.

Police – report attached.

Public Works – contractor will do restoration work at the soccer fields when the weather improves; ground frozen.

Solicitor – no report.

Zoning Officer – no report.

No Old Business.

No New Business.

Motion by Morris, second Jackson, to open to the public. All were in favor.

Meeting opened to the public 7:16pm.

No public discussion.


Motion by Morris, second Jackson, to close to the public. All were in favor.

Meeting closed to the public 7:16pm.

Motion by Morris, second Jackson, to adjourn meeting. All were in favor.

Meeting adjourned 7:16pm.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Linda L. Oswald".

Linda L. Oswald, RMC, CMR
Municipal Clerk