

A Regular Meeting of The Mayor And Borough Council of The Borough Of Glen Ridge was held on Monday, July 11<sup>th</sup>, 2011 in the Council Chamber of The Municipal Building, Glen Ridge, New Jersey at 7:30 p m.

Council President Dawson led The Council and the citizens in attendance in a Salute to the Flag.

Council President Dawson read a prepared statement that adequate notice of this meeting had been provided to the public as required by statutes.

Present: Council President Dawson, Councilpersons Patrick, Lisovicz, Lefkovits, Theodorou and Baker.

Absent: Mayor Dawson.

The following Borough Officers were in attendance: Borough Attorney Malyska and Police Chief Byron - Lagatutta.

The Minutes of the Regular Meeting that was held on June 27<sup>th</sup>, 2011 were approved as submitted.

The Minutes of the Workshop Meeting that was held on June 27<sup>th</sup>, 2011 were approved as submitted.

Municipal Clerk Rohal presented the following written communications:

A letter to Municipal Clerk Rohal from Michael Krawiec of 20 Astor Place, Glen Ridge requesting permission to close Astor Place on July 16<sup>th</sup> for the purpose of conducting their annual neighborhood block party. Mayor Hughes referred the correspondence to the Public Safety Committee.

A letter to Mayor Hughes from Kimberly Cicala, Essex County Ombudsman, advising of a Foreclosure seminar on July 22<sup>nd</sup> at the Essex County Court House in Newark. Mayor Hughes ordered that the correspondence be filed.

Mr. Patrick Pignatello of 277 Baldwin Street, Glen Ridge,

Council President Dawson expressed his sincere thanks to Fitzgeralds 1927 and Dan Murphy for the very successful Lager Run that occurred a couple of weeks and he congratulated the many service organizations of the races proceeds.

Councilman Patrick, Chairman of The Finance And Administrative Committee, reported that the Finance Committee met earlier this evening and that a review of the 2011 budget revealed that the budget is on target.

The following was introduced by Councilperson Patrick, seconded by Councilperson Lisovicz and adopted by an aye and no vote; Councilpersons Patrick, Lisovicz, Lefkovits, Theodorou, Baker and Council President Dawson voting aye and noes none:

**CLAIMS - APPROVAL OF**

Ordinance No. 1563 entitled:

**AN ORDINANCE TO APPROPRIATE  
GRANTS FUNDS FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL  
IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPMENT**

was presented for final reading. The Ordinance title was read by Councilperson Lisovicz. Municipal Clerk Rohal reported that the Ordinance had been published and posted as required by statutes. Council President Dawson declared the meeting open for a public hearing on the Ordinance. No one wished to be heard on the Ordinance. Council President Dawson declared the public hearing closed. It was moved by Councilperson Lisovicz, seconded by Councilperson Patrick that Ordinance No. 1563 be finally adopted. The Motion was adopted by an aye and no vote; Councilpersons Patrick, Lisovicz, Lefkovits, Theodorou, Baker and Council President Dawson voting aye and noes none. Council President Dawson declared that this Ordinance is finally adopted.

It was moved by Councilperson Lisovicz, seconded by Councilperson Lefkovits that permission be granted to the residents of Astor Place to close their street on July 16<sup>th</sup>, 2011 for the purpose of conducting their annual neighborhood block party. The Motion was adopted by an aye and no vote; Councilpersons Patrick, Lisovicz, Lefkovits, Theodorou, Baker and Council President Dawson voting aye and noes none.

Councilman Dawson, Chairman of The Public Works Committee, reported that the recent heavy rain storms have been successfully handled by the Public Works Department. Councilman Dawson extended his appreciation to the crews for all their efforts.

Councilman Dawson reported that he has Ordinance No. 1564 entitled:

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for introduction. The Ordinance title was read by Councilperson Dawson. It was moved by Councilperson Dawson, seconded by Councilperson Lisovicz that Ordinance No. 1564 be passed on first reading. The Motion was adopted by an aye and no vote; Councilpersons Patrick, Lisovicz, Lefkovits, Theodorou, Baker and Council President Dawson voting aye and noes none. Council President Dawson referred the Ordinance to Municipal Clerk Rohal for the purposes of statutory publication and posting.

Councilman Theodorou, Chairman of The Parks And Recreation Committee, thanked DeMilia, Inc. for all their work at the Freeman Tennis Courts thus far this season. The Courts and the Borough's fields are, at this point in the year, in great shape. Councilman Theodorou attributes the field conditions to the aggressive field maintenance program. Councilman Theodorou reported that there will be some sod replacement work at Forest Avenue in anticipation of the upcoming field hockey season.

Administrator Rohal updated the Council on the impending sewer / sanitary relining project on Glen Park Road and Chestnut Hill Place and the water project that will replace 44 hydrants in the Borough.

Administrator Rohal also announced that the Montclair Board Of Health will be conducting several vaccine clinics in July and August and information on these clinics can be found on the Borough's website.

Police Chief Byron - Lagatutta that there has been a series of recent burglaries north of Bloomfield Avenue and on weekends. Chief Byron encouraged everyone that if they see something suspicious to contact the Police and to contact the Crime Prevention Bureau if they are interested in having a crime prevention survey done at their residence.

The following was introduced by Councilperson Baker, seconded by Councilperson Lisovicz and adopted by an aye and no vote;  
Councilpersons Patrick, Lisovicz, Lefkovits, Theodorou, Baker and Council President Dawson voting aye and noes none:  
( Resolution No. 115 - 11 )

**ADJOURNMENT** -

( See Resolution Book No. 18 - Page No. 18 - 1 )

Council President Dawson declared that this meeting is hereby adjourned.

The Council adjourned at 7:56 p. m.

*Michael J. Rohal*

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Municipal Clerk