Sea Bright, New Jersey Council Meeting Minutes September 20, 2011 7:30 P.M.

Mayor Fernandes called the meeting to order and requested those present to join her in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Mayor Fernandes read the following statement:

THIS MEETING IS CALLED PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE OPEN PUBLIC MEETING LAW. NOTICE OF THIS MEETING WAS INCLUDED IN A LIST OF MEETINGS SENT TO THE ASBURY PARK PRESS, POSTED ON THE BULLETIN BOARD IN THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING AND ON THE BOROUGH WEBSITE.

PRESENT: Bills, Keeler, Kelly, Long, Murphy, Mayor Fernandes, Attorney
Oxley, Engineer Flor, Police Chief Sorrentino, Administrator Kachmar.
ABSENT: LoBiondo, , Chief Financial Officer Bascom

4. Councilwoman Bills introduced a motion adopting the September 6, 2011 Council Meeting Minutes. Second by Councilwoman Long and approved upon the following roll call vote: Ayes: Bills, Keeler, Kelly, Long, Murphy Nays: None Abstain: None Abstain: LoBiondo

5. Councilwoman Bills introduced a motion adopting the following resolution:

Resolution 178-2011 Borough of Sea Bright Authorizing the Completion of Architectural Drawing Trade Winds

Whereas, there was a review of the proposed Trade wind Stairs by the Borough Engineer, and

Whereas recommendations were made to improve the Design as to Engineering, and

Whereas a Proposal was solicited from the Architect to incorporate the Engineer recommendations into the original design plan, and

Whereas the fee for the changes will be in the amount of \$1,500, and;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Mayor and Borough Council that it here by authorizes and accepts the proposal from Jose A Reis, RA in the amount of \$1500 to further the drafting of final construction plans for the Trade Winds Stairs.

CERTIFICATION OF FUNDS

I, Michael J. Bascom, Chief Financial Officer, of the Borough of Sea Bright, do hereby certify that funds are available in Beach Utility the purpose stated herein.

MICHAEL J. BASCOM, CFO

Second by Councilwoman Long and adopted upon the following roll call vote: Ayes: Bills, Keeler, Kelly, Long, Murphy Nays: None Abstain: None Absent: LoBiondo

6. DISCUSSION ITEMS:

Bulkhead Ordinance - Councilman Kelly said that Councilman LoBiondo would review the bulkhead ordinance at a Public Works committee meeting.

Dilapidated Buildings - Administrator Kachmar said that the dilapidated building records prepared by both Code Enforcement Officer Haege and Chief Sorrentino are available to the public. They contacted the property owners and if necessary issued summons.

Fire Department Ordinance - Councilman Keeler said that after the Public Safety committee reviews the ordinance it will be listed on the agenda for adoption in October.

7. COUNCIL COMMITTEE REPORTS

Councilwoman Bills reported progress.

Councilman Keeler received a commendation letter from Fire Chief Murphy about an incident that occurred on August 31, 2011. Lt. David Estelle, Ex-Fire Chiefs Peter Lang, C.Read Murphy, Joe Eskridge, along with Firefighters Daniel Drogin, Walter Olenhaurs, Kevin Covert, Zachary Cover, and Jacob Simon rescued three children from a sinking boat 100 yards off shore by the Ship Ahoy Beach Club.

The fire department manned the fire house for over 40 hours for the duration of Hurricane Irene. In addition, an ex-army truck received from Long Branch was used during the storm. A, pump will be installed on the army truck and removed if necessary. Discussion continues as to whether a consultant or the fire truck committee will be chosen to review the assembly of the new fire apparatus.

Councilman Kelly said that the Smart Growth meeting is this Thursday, September 22nd. The Beautification Committee continues planting in downtown.

Councilman LoBiondo was absent.

Councilwoman Long reported that beach revenue was ahead by 2% prior to Hurricane Irene After the hurricane, beach revenues decreased by 6% compared to 2010. Pre-season beach badge sales increased 40% over last year. Borough Hall sold 1170 pre-season badges.

Twelve 30-yard dumpsters filled with debris left behind by Hurricane Irene were carted away. Monmouth County Corrections sent inmates to assist with post-hurricane beach cleanup. Debris continues in with every tide.. We are hoping to receive FEMA assistance for beach replenishment.

Councilman Murphy reported progress.

8. COMMENTS FROM THE AUDIENCE (limited to 3 minutes per person) Suzanne Markson of 1187 Ocean Avenue commented that the proposed FEMA bulkhead project would cause water to travel around the bulkheads and flood other areas.

Janet Henshel of 7 East Church Street said that parked cars without residential permits is becoming an issue on East Church Street.

9. CONSENT AGENDA

A. Councilman Murphy introduced and approved for adoption the following:

RESOLUTION NO.175-2011

PAYMENT OF BILLS 09-20-2011

 $\tt WHEREAS,$ the following listed vouchers have been audited and found to be correct.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that these vouchers totaling \$586,018.98 are to be paid; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that proper Officers are hereby authorized to execute and issue warrants for payments of said vouchers, but only if and when conditions of the Borough Treasury shall permit, and the said vouchers be approved by the proper Committees.		
00120 7-ELEVEN OF SEA BRIGHT 11-01031 09/12/11 POLICE-9/4/11 PRISONER FOOD	Open	5.37
01786 ALVA PLASTIC PRINTING 11-00895 07/28/11 BEACH-2012 SEASON BADGES 00003 ASBURY PARK PRESS	Open	1,168.48
11-00002 01/21/11 MUNI CLERK-BLANKET:NOTICES 00167 AUTONOMY, INC.	Open	854.02
11-00789 07/01/11 A&E-VAULT:2011 SERVER BACKUPS 02036 BAHRLE, DAVID	Open	157.68
11-01038 09/14/11 DPW-REIMB:C-4 LICENSE RNWL FEE 01957 BENEMAX BENEFIT MANAGEMENT CO.	Open	50.00
11-01018 09/02/11 09/11 DENTAL PLAN MANAGEMENT 01925 BORO OF SEA BRIGHT/EE' HEALTH	Open	324.00
11-01020 09/06/11 REPLENISH HEALTH INS FUND 01565 BOROUGH OF SEA BRIGHT	Open	10,000.00
11-01051 09/14/11 T/F ADMIN FEE:09/15/11 PAYROLL 11-01053 09/15/11 T/F ADMIN FEE:09/15/11 PAYROLL	—	2.50 1,668.00
II 01055 09/15/11 1/F ADMIN FEE-09/19/11 FAIROLD		
01974 BOROUGH OF SEA BRIGHT COURT		1,670.50
	Open	405.42
11-00970 08/17/11 POLICE DEPT-CALIBRATE VEHICLES 00198 COMCAST	Open	180.00
11-01028 09/12/11 A&E-INTERNET:SEP 2011 00241 DEFINED CONTRIB RETIREMENT PRG	Open	95.17
11-01026 09/08/11 2011 DCRP ER' CONTRIBUTION 01320 DEMAIO, R.N.	Open	5.89
11-00961 08/15/11 BEACH-BLANKET: JANITORIAL SUPPL 00077 FLEET SERVICES	Open	391.45
11-01054 09/15/11 GASOLINE - SEP 2011 00333 GARAVENTA, DEBORAH	Open	6,585.57
11-00993 08/30/11 IT SERVICES:7/6-8/23/11 02181 GATEWAY PRESS	Open	499.95
11-00979 08/22/11 POLICE DEPT-PRISONER ENVELOPES 01457 GEMINI AUTOMOTIVE CARE	Open	195.00
11-00794 07/06/11 OEM-4 TIRES 00895 JOHNNY ON THE SPOT, INC.	Open	551.72
11-00681 06/13/11 PORTO-POTS - SEP 2011 00015 LANIGAN ASSOCIATES, INC.	Open	663.00
11-00980 08/22/11 POLICE DEPT-TRAINING GUN/KNIFE 00275 M & S WASTE SERVICES, INC.	Open	56.00
11-00897 07/28/11 (2) 6-YARD REAR LOAD DUMPSTERS 01985 MOBILE MINI, INC.	Open	1,700.00
11-00731 06/20/11 POLICE-TRAILER 2011 PYMT 10/13 00340 MORRIS, KATHLEEN	Open	278.00
11-01036 09/13/11 BEAUTIFICATION:REIMB:PLANTS 00339 NAPA AUTO PARTS	Open	275.66
11-00070 01/25/11 DPW-BLANKET:VEHICLE MAINT 00019 NJ AMERICAN WATER	Open	17.29
11-01016 09/02/11 AUG 2011 HYDRANTS 00163 OSWALD ENTERPRISES, INC.	Open	2,201.67
11-01006 09/01/11 SEWER-CLEAN OUT WET WELL 00158 PITNEY BOWES CREDIT CORP.	Open	3,100.00
11-00064 01/21/11 POLICE DEPT-2011 METER RENTAL 11-00356 03/17/11 A&E-2011 METER RENTAL + MAINT		48.00 384.00
		432.00
00025 REALTY APPRAISAL CO. 10-01511 12/20/10 TAX ASSESSOR-DEFEND APPEALS	Open	600.00
00208 SEA BRIGHT SUPER MARKET 11-00995 08/30/11 BEACH MAINT-PRISONER FOOD	Open	417.55
00027 SEABOARD WELDING SUPPLY, INC.		

11-00197 02/10/11 DPW - 2011 CYLINDER RENTAL 13.50 Open 00031 SORRENTINO, JOHN 11-01030 09/12/11 POLICE-REIMB:UPS POSTAGE FEE Open 55.42 00214 STAVOLA COMPANIES 11-00632 05/31/11 DPW-BLANKET:ASPHALT MATERIALS Open 128.59 01285 THE HOME DEPOT 11-00750 06/27/11 BEACH MAINT-BLANKET:MISC SUPPL Open 42.02 01960 VERIZON 11-01055 09/15/11 LOCAL/LONG DISTANCE:AUG 2011 Open 1,842.74 02061 VERIZON WIRELESS 11-01034 09/12/11 FIRE DEPT-MDT:SEP 2011 Open 40.01 11-01035 09/12/11 BLDG/FIRE/COURT:SEP 2011 BILL Open 80.68 _____ 120.69 W.W. GRAINGER, INC. 01150 11-00988 08/26/11 SEWER-SIGNS Open 64.80 02177 WALSH, JOAN 11-01017 09/02/11 LIBRARY-REIMB:9/1 MISC 83.22 Open 130.62 11-01052 09/15/11 LIBRARY-REIMB:9/13 MISC Open _____ 213.84 01164 WATCHUNG SPRING WATER CO, INC. Open 11-01021 09/06/11 AUG 2011 SPRING WATER 410.36 98,329.15 BOROOFSEABRIGHTPAYROLLA/C(8/30/11PAYROLL) MCKENNA, DUPONT, HIGGINS, STONE (ESCROW) 70.00 MONMOUTH COUNTY SPCA (AUG 2011 BOARDING) 140.00 NJSHBP (AUG 2011) 26,089.68 NJSHBP (AUG 2011) 10,284.38 197.20 U.S. POSTAL SERVICE (POSTAGE:SEWER BILLING) 170,883.76 TOTAL Second by Councilwoman Bills and approved upon the following roll call vote: Ayes: Bills, Keeler, Kelly, Long, Murphy Nays: None Abstain: None Absent: LoBiondo

B. Councilman Murphy introduced and offered for adoption the following Resolution:

RESOLUTION NO. 176-2011 HALLOWEEN CURFEW BOROUGH OF SEA BRIGHT

WHEREAS, a request has been received from Chief Sorrentino for a Halloween Curfew in the Borough of Sea Bright.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Sea Bright, New Jersey that a curfew be imposed between the hours of 9:00 P.M. and 6:00 A.M. for those under the age of eighteen, except those accompanied by an adult or on their way to or from work for the dates of October, 30 and 31, 2011. Second by Councilman Bills and adopted upon the following roll call vote: Ayes: Bills, Keeler, Kelly, Long, Murphy Nays: None Abstain: None Absent: LoBiondo

C. Councilman Murphy introduced and offered for adoption the following Resolution:

RESOLUTION NO. 179-2011 PRE-SEASON 2012 BEACH BADGE SALE

WHEREAS, the Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright have recommended PRE-SEASON 2012 BEACH BADGE SALE effective October 1, 2011 through December 31, 2011 at a price of \$50.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the pre-season 2012 beach badge sale be authorized as indicated above. Second by Councilwoman Bills and adopted upon the following roll call vote: Ayes: Bills, Keeler, Kelly, Long, Murphy Nays: None Abstain: None Abstain: LoBiondo

Mayor Fernandes said that Firemen's Field Day is Sunday, September 25. The Taste of Sea Bright is Saturday, October 1, 2011. Participating stores and restaurants may purchase tickets. The next council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, October 4th at 7:30 p.m.

10. COMMENTS FROM THE AUDIENCE (limited to 3 minutes per person) No one wished to be heard.

A. Councilman Murphy introduced a motion closing the public meeting for a closed executive session. Second by Councilman Keeler and approved upon unanimous voice vote.

B. Councilwoman Long introduced a motion approving the following resolution:

Borough of Sea Bright Resolution No. 181-2011 Authorizing Filling of Finance Clerk Vacancy

Whereas, there is a need to fill a vacancy in the Finance Office, and

Whereas, the Borough has advertized in the newspaper and on- line for applications for the position of Finance Clerk, and

Whereas, the Borough Administrator selected 13 applicants from among 45 received and interviewed three, and

Whereas, the Borough Administrator finalized it to one candidate, and

Whereas, the Chief Financial Officer as Department head also interviewed said Candidate, and

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, by the Mayor and Borough Council of Sea Bright, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey that they here by authorize the hiring of said Candidate after the approval of Council Personnel Committee interview with the candidate, and

Be It further Resolved that the position shall be Part- time with an hourly rate of \$17.00. Second by Councilman Kelly and approved upon the following roll call vote: Ayes Bills, Keeler, Kelly, Long, Murphy Nays: None Abstain: None Absent: LoBiondo

C. Councilwoman Bills introduced a motion approving the following resolution:

Borough of Sea Bright Resolution No. 180-2011 Authorizing Representatives to the Two Rivers Water Reclamation Review Coalition

Whereas, there is a coalition of Municipalities reviewing the customer service of the Two Rivers Water Reclamation Authority, and

Whereas, the Borough of Sea Bright would like to have a representatives to said coalition to represent the Borough of Sea Bright interest, and

Whereas, Councilman C. Read Murphy and Councilman J. Keeler attended the preliminary meeting, and

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Mayor and Borough Council of Sea Bright, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey that it hereby authorizes Councilman C. Reed Murphy and Councilman Jack Keeler to represent the Borough of Sea Bright to the Two Rivers Water Reclamation Authority Customer Service Review Coalition.

Be, It Further Resolved, that a certified true copy of this resolution be forwarded to Councilman C. Reed Murphy and Councilman Jack Keeler and a copy forwarded to the Borough of Rumson. Second by Councilman Kelly and approved upon the following roll call vote; Ayes Bills; Keeler; Kelly; Long; Murphy Nays: None Abstain: None Absent LoBiondo

D. Councilman Murphy introduced and approved for adoption the following:

Borough of Sea Bright Resolution No. 182-2011 Authorizing Borough Administrator to Obtain Proposals for Review of the Sewer Billing Rates

Whereas, the Borough of Sea Bright is interested in determining the expenses and cost and economics of being a "Customer Town" in the Two River Sewer Authority, and

Whereas, in order to ensure fair, equitable, efficient cost controls, and

Now, Therefore Be It Resolved that the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey that it here by authorize the Borough Administrator to seek a proposal from the Borough's Auditors Hutchins, Farrell, Meyers & Allison, P.A. to review said cost and billing and allocation of cost charged to the Sea Bright and if satisfactory in scope and cost to sign an agreement with the firm to perform said work.

Be It Further Resolved, this contract shall not exceed \$ 7,500.00 and should it be necessary to exceed that amount the Borough Council would review the request at that time, and

Be It Further Resolved that a certified true copy of this resolution be forward to the Borough Administrator and Hutchins, Farrell, Meyers & Allison.

CERTIFICATION OF FUNDS

I, Michael J. Bascom, Chief Financial Officer, of the Borough of Sea Bright, do hereby certify that funds are available in Sewer O/E for the purpose stated herein.

MICHAEL J. BASCOM, CFO

Second by Councilwoman Bills and approved upon the following roll call vote: Ayes: Bills, Keeler, Kelly, Long, Murphy Nays: Absent: LoBiondo Abstain: None

12. ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business before the Governing Body. Councilman Murphy made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:00 P.M. Second by Councilman Kelly and approved upon unanimous voice vote.

Respectfully Submitted,

RICHARD M. KACHMAR MUNICIPAL CLERK