# MINUTES REGULAR MEETING BOROUGH OF SEA BRIGHT

#### **DECEMBER 20, 2022**

#### **SEA BRIGHT, NEW JERSEY**

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**Mayor Kelly** called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and requested those present to join in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Mayor Kelly** read the following Compliance Statement:

Good Evening Ladies and Gentlemen. This Meeting Is Now Called To Order: In Line with The Borough of Sea Bright's Longstanding Policy of Open Government, and in Compliance with the "Open Public Meetings Act" I Wish to Advise You That Adequate Notice of This Regularly Scheduled Meeting Was Sent to the Asbury Park Press and other local newspapers on January 10, 2022. In each instance, the Date, Time, And Location of This Meeting Were Provided in The Notice. This Meeting Is Open To The Public."

**PRESENT:** Mayor Brian P. Kelly

Councilmembers, Erwin Bieber, Kevin Birdsall, Jefferey M. Booker,

Samuel A. Catalano, Sr., William J. Keeler, John M. Lamia, Jr.

**OTHERS:** Attorney Roger McLaughlin, Administrator Joseph Verruni,

Borough Clerk Christine Pfeiffer

# **REMARKS FROM THE AUDIENCE** (limited to 3 minutes)

The Public Comment portion of this meeting allows members of the audience to bring their concerns or comments to the Mayor and Council's attention. Pursuant to Borough Ordinance 3-2011, a member of the public who wishes to speak shall give his/her name and address for the record and may have up to three minutes to state his/her comments to the Mayor and Council as a Body. If additional time or information is requested, an appointment can be made with the Administrator's office during regular business hours.

Gareth Middleton, 22 Surf Street, commented on the redevelopment project and stated he stands behind both the private and public benefits including the waterfront access and resiliency. He is a licensed engineer and has worked years in construction, so he has knowledge and a lot of experience when it comes to developer's agreements. He believes what the developer has put forward is a beautiful plan and encourages the Council to look closely and stay strong when considering the infrastructure improvements as we had a failed pump station during last week's flood. He also explained that he has footage of a truck driving through the flood waters on his street causing damage to many of his neighbor's property and asked if the Police Department could put barricades up to restrict cars from driving down streets during flood events. Mayor Kelly explained that we did have issues with the Beach Street pump station and the redevelopment project will include a new bulkhead and pump station which should significantly improve the flooding in the downtown. Councilman Birdsall added that we are installing more resilient and functional inline check valves throughout the downtown as well. Our Engineer is also working with the State to install check valves in the North end of town on Ocean Avenue.

Mayor Kelly presented Councilman Birdsall with a gift from the Governing Body and acknowledged that this is his last council meeting after serving on the council for six years. The Mayor thanked him for all his dedication and hard work and for always speaking his mind – we appreciate all your efforts. Councilman Birdsall thanked everyone for their guidance and support over the years – and said he will be around!

### **CONSENT AGENDA**

Councilmember Birdsall offered a motion to approve the items that are considered routine in nature under the consent agenda; seconded by Councilmember Keeler:

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Roll Call: Bieber, Birdsall, Booker, Catalano, Keeler, Lamia Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

#### **Resolutions:**

No. 185-2022 2022 Budget Authorizing the Transfer of Funds in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:5-58

Councilmember Birsdall offered the following resolution and moved its adoption; seconded by Councilmember Keeler:

**WHEREAS,** there exists a need to transfer budget balances in certain line item appropriations of the 2022 budget; and

**WHEREAS**, N.J.S.A. 40A:5-58 authorizes the transfer of appropriations, during the last two (2) months of the calendar year, to said budget where adopted heretofore by the governing body by two-thirds vote thereof.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright, County of Monmouth, (not less than 2/3 of all members of the Governing Body concurring) that the Borough Administrator and Chief Financial Officer are hereby authorized to make the following transfers in accordance with the annexed schedule for the Current Fund:

# Schedule of Budget Transfers - December 20, 2022

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to the following:

- 1. Director of Finance
- 2. Borough Auditor
- 3. Fiscal Officer

**Roll Call:** Bieber, Birdsall, Booker, Catalano, Keeler, Lamia Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

#### No. 186-2022

Resolution Confirming the Sale of \$2,550,000 General Obligation Bonds, Series 2022 of The Borough of Sea Bright, In the County of Monmouth, New Jersey To the Monmouth County Improvement Authority

Councilmember Birdsall introduced and offered the following resolution for approval; seconded by Councilmember Keeler:

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Local Bond Law of the State of New Jersey, constituting Chapter 2 of Title 40A of the New Jersey Statutes, the Borough adopted a resolution on November 14, 2022 (the "Authorization Resolution"), providing for the issuance and sale of bonds to The Monmouth County Improvement Authority (the "Authority") in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$2,841,329 to be issued as one series designated as General Obligation Bonds, Series 2022 (collectively, the "Bonds"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Authorization Resolution, the terms of the Bonds shall be confirmed by the provisions set forth herein (the "Confirming Resolution").

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOROUGH OF SEA BRIGHT, IN THE COUNTY OF MONMOUTH, NEW JERSEY (not less than two-thirds of all members thereof affirmatively concurring) that:

SECTION 1. <u>Ordinances</u>. There shall be issued bonds of the Borough in the following principal amounts pursuant to the following bond ordinances:

A. \$2,307,011 bonds, being a portion of the bonds authorized by an ordinance entitled: (Ord. No. 16-2016):

"BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING AN APPROPRIATION OF \$7,900,000 FOR CONSTRUCTION OF MUNICIPAL COMPLEX FOR AND BY THE BOROUGH OF SEA BRIGHT IN THE COUNTY OF MONMOUTH, NEW JERSEY AND, AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$3,942,500 BONDS OR NOTES OF THE BOROUGH FOR FINANCING PART OF THE APPROPRIATION."

heretofore finally adopted. The average period of usefulness is 30 years.

B. \$136,415 bonds, being a portion of the bonds authorized by an ordinance entitled: (Ord. No. 12-2021):

"BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING AN APPROPRIATION OF \$160,000 FOR ACQUISITION OF EQUIPMENT FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR AND BY THE BOROUGH OF SEA BRIGHT IN THE COUNTY OF MONMOUTH, NEW JERSEY AND, AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$152,000 BONDS OR NOTES OF THE BOROUGH FOR FINANCING PART OF THE APPROPRIATION."

heretofore finally adopted. The average period of usefulness is 5 years.

C. \$106,574 bonds, being a portion of the bonds authorized by an ordinance entitled: (Ord. No. 14-2021):

"BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING AN APPROPRIATION OF \$125,000 FOR CONSTRUCTION OF ACCESSIBLE VIEWING PLATFORMS ALONG THE BULKHEAD AT CENTER STREET AND BEACH STREET FOR AND BY THE BOROUGH OF SEA BRIGHT IN THE COUNTY OF MONMOUTH, NEW JERSEY AND, AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$118,750 BONDS OR NOTES OF THE BOROUGH FOR FINANCING PART OF THE APPROPRIATION."

heretofore finally adopted. The average period of usefulness is 15 years.

SECTION 2. <u>Amount of Bonds</u>. The Bonds in the principal amount of \$2,550,000 are hereby issued and sold in accordance with the provisions of the Authorization Resolution and the provisions of this Confirming Resolution. The Bonds shall constitute and shall be designated "General Obligation Bonds, Series 2022".

SECTION 3. Average Useful Life. It is hereby found, determined and declared that the average period of usefulness of the improvements or purposes for which the said General Obligation Bonds, Series 2022 are to be issued, taking into consideration the amount of such General Obligation Bonds, Series 2022 to be issued for said improvements or purposes, is 28.03 years.

#### SECTION 4. <u>Description of the Bonds</u>.

(a) <u>Terms of the Bonds</u>. The Bonds shall be dated and shall bear interest from the date of delivery at the rates, and shall mature, subject to prepayment as herein provided, on December 1 in the year and in the principal amount set opposite such year in the following table:

# **General Obligation Bonds, Series 2022**

<u>Year</u>	Principal Amount	<u>Interest</u>
2023	\$ 95,000	5.00%
2024	95,000	5.00
2025	95,000	5.00
2026	95,000	5.00
2027	95,000	5.00
2028	100,000	5.00
2029	105,000	5.00
2030	105,000	3.00
2031	110,000	5.00
2032	115,000	5.00
2033	125,000	5.00
2034	130,000	5.00
2035	135,000	5.00
2036	140,000	5.00
2037	150,000	5.00
2038	155,000	5.00
2039	165,000	5.00
2040	170,000	5.00
2041	180,000	5.00
2042	190,000	5.00

(b) <u>Form of the Bonds</u>. The Bonds shall be in substantially the form set forth in the Authorization Resolution, which form is by this reference incorporated in full as if set forth herein, with such omissions, insertions and variations as are properly required and which are not contrary to any of the provisions of the Authorization Resolution or any of the provisions of this Confirming Resolution.

# SECTION 5. Redemption of the Bonds.

The Bonds maturing on or before December 1, 2032 shall not be subject to redemption prior to their respective maturity dates. The Bonds maturing on or after December 1, 2033 shall be subject to redemption prior to their respective maturity dates, on or after December 1, 2032 at the option of the Borough, upon notice as described in a bond resolution adopted by the Monmouth County Improvement Authority on November 10, 2022, either in whole or in part by lot within a single maturity from maturities selected by the Borough, on any date, at a redemption

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price equal to 100% of the principal amount thereof (the "Redemption Price") and accrued interest thereon to the date of redemption.

If notice of redemption has been given as provided herein, the Bonds or the portion thereof called for redemption shall be due and payable on the date fixed for redemption at the Redemption Price, together with accrued interest to the date fixed for redemption.

SECTION 6. <u>Award of the Bonds</u>. The Bonds are authorized to be sold and awarded to The Monmouth County Improvement Authority (the "Authority") at a purchase price of \$2,901,453.85 for the Bonds. The terms and conditions of such offer are set forth in a bond purchase agreement, dated December 8, 2022 (the "Bond Purchase Agreement"), a copy of which is attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u> and which by this reference is made a part hereof as if set forth in full herein. Settlement for the Bonds is expected to be made in immediately available funds on December 22, 2022.

SECTION 7. <u>Additional Acts</u>. On behalf of the Borough, the appropriate representatives of the Borough are authorized and directed to take all steps which are necessary or convenient to effectuate the terms of the Authorization Resolution and the terms of this Confirming Resolution with respect to the issuance, sale and delivery of the Bonds.

SECTION 8. <u>Effective Date</u>. This Confirming Resolution shall take effect upon adoption hereof.

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Roll Call: Bieber, Birdsall, Booker, Catalano, Keeler, Lamia Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

# No. 187-2022 2023 Software Support and License Agreement with Edmunds & Associates, Inc.

Councilmember Birdsall offered the following resolution and moved its adoption; seconded by Councilmember Keeler:

**WHEREAS,** the Borough of Sea Bright wishes to maintain a software support and license agreement for the Sea Bright Administrative Offices from Edmunds & Associates, Inc. for CY2023 as follows:

### **2023 SOFTWARE MAINTENANCE FEES:**

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Tax Collections		\$2,460.41
Financial Accounting		\$3,687.92
Utility Billing		\$2,584.79
MCSJ WIPP Tax Annual Fee		\$1,341.06
MCSJ WIPP Utility Annual Fee	2	\$1,341.06
SS Escrow Accounting		\$1,054.46
WIPP Misc. Annual Fee		\$ 335.27
SS Electronic Requisitions		\$1.023.75
•	TOTAL:	\$13,828.72

**WHEREAS,** the purchase of goods and services by local contracting units is authorized by Local Public Contracts Laws, N.J.S.40A:11-12; and

**WHEREAS,** the actual cost for the support agreements listed herein shall be \$13,828.72 for calendar year 2023.

#### **CERTIFICATION OF FUNDS**

I, Michael J. Bascom, Chief Financial Officer of the Borough of Sea Bright do hereby certify that funds will be available in the 2023 Temporary Budget and funds for the balance of 2023 will be provided in the Budget for the year 2023, when finally adopted, in the appropriations entitled Tax Collector 7-01-20-145-220, Finance 7-01-20-130-220, Sewer 7-07-55-502-220, for the purpose stated in this resolution.

MICHAEL J. BASCOM, CFO

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey, hereby authorize the Borough Clerk to execute the support agreements for computer software and maintenance as described herein for the calendar year 2023.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the following:

- 1. Edmunds & Associates, Inc.
- 2. Chief Financial Officer
- 3. Tax Collector
- 4. Finance Manager

Roll Call: Bieber, Birdsall, Booker, Catalano, Keeler, Lamia Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

# No. 188-2022 Authorizing a One-Year Renewal of The Shared Services Agreement with The Borough of Oceanport for Municipal Court Facilities

Councilmember Birdsall introduced and offered the following resolution for its adoption; seconded by Councilmember Keeler:

**WHEREAS**, the "Shared Services and Consolidation Act" at N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1 et. seq. allows a local unit to enter into an agreement with any other local unit or units to provide or receive any service that each local unit participating in the agreement is empowered to provide or receive within its own jurisdiction, including services incidental to the primary purposes of any of the participating local units; and

**WHEREAS**, N.J.S.A. 2B:12-1 allows two or more municipalities to provide jointly for courtrooms, chambers, equipment, supplies and employees for their municipal courts and to agree to appoint the same persons as certified court administrator without establishing a joint municipal court; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Sea Bright entered into a shared services agreement dated November 16, 2009 with the Borough of Oceanport for municipal court services commencing on March 1, 2010 which was extended by parties until February 28, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the termination date of the Agreement is February 28, 2023; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Sea Bright is desirous of renewing the existing shared services agreement with the Borough of Oceanport for an additional one (1) year term for an amount not to exceed \$78,000.00; and

#### **CERTIFICATION OF FUNDS:**

I, Michael J. Bascom, CFO, hereby certify that funds not to exceed \$78,000.00 will be provided for this purpose in the 2023 Budget appropriation entitled Court #9-01-42-490-235.

MICHAEL J. BASCOM, CFO

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright hereby authorize the Mayor and Borough Clerk to execute a one-year extension to the Shared Services Agreement ("agreement") for Municipal Court services between the Borough of Oceanport and the Borough of Sea Bright that incorporates the following additional terms and conditions:

- 1. The agreement dated November 16, 2009, is hereby extended for a period of one additional year from the date of termination. The new termination date will be February 28, 2024.
- 2. The annual rate for the services shall be \$78,000.00.
- 3. All other terms and conditions contained in the original Shared Services Agreement or any prior extensions thereto not modified by this Amendment shall remain in full force and effect.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that the Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey, hereby authorize and agree to the above referenced terms and conditions of this Amendment by and between the Borough of Oceanport located at 910 Oceanport Way, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey and authorize the Mayor and Borough Clerk to sign said Amendment.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to the following:

- 1. Borough of Oceanport
- 2. Borough of Sea Bright CFO
- 3. Sea Bright Municipal Court
- 4. Sea Bright Police Department

**Roll Call:** Bieber, Birdsall, Booker, Catalano, Keeler, Lamia Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

# No. 189-2022 Authorize the Release of Various Closed Session Minutes for Years 2017-2019

Councilmember Birdsall introduced and offered for adoption the following Resolution; seconded by Councilmember Keeler:

**WHEREAS,** pursuant to the Open Public Meeting Act, NJSA 10:4-12, certain issues may be discussed by the Borough Council in a session which excludes the public; and

**WHEREAS,** the aforementioned law requires that the minutes of said closed sessions be released as soon as practicable after the meeting and so long as the release of the minutes will not be adverse to the interests of the public and/or the Borough; and

**WHEREAS,** the Borough Attorney has reviewed the closed session minutes for the years 2017 through 2019 and authorizes the release of same, recognizing that certain matters continue to remain confidential and are subject to being redacted due to the fact that the matter has not been concluded, and therefore, not subject to release.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** by the Governing Body of the Borough of Sea Bright, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey that authorization is hereby given to release the following closed session minutes, and subject to any appropriate redactions:

# See Attached List of Closed Session Minutes for the years 2017-2019

Roll Call: Bieber, Birdsall, Booker, Catalano, Keeler, Lamia Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

# No. 190-2022 Consideration of Award 1 Year Lease Agreement for Skim Board Camp

Councilmember Birdsall introduced and offered the following resolution for approval; seconded by Councilmember Keeler:

**WHEREAS,** the Borough Council authorized by resolution for the Borough Clerk to duly advertise for vendors to conduct a skim board camp with the option of a one to five-year lease agreement for the use of a portion of property on the Sea Bright Municipal Beach during the summer season; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough Clerk did duly advertise on November 3, 2022 to receive bids no later than 12 noon on December 2, 2022, for vendors to conduct a skim board camp on the Sea Bright Municipal Beach for a minimum bid amount of \$1,000.00 for the first year; and

**WHEREAS**, in connection therewith one (1) bid was received by the Borough Clerk from Jersey Shore Skim Camp, Felecia Stratton, Sea Bright, NJ for a one-year lease in the amount of \$1,000.00; and

**WHEREAS,** after reviewing the bid documents, the Borough Administrator recommends a one-year lease agreement be awarded to Jersey Shore Skim Camp, Felecia Stratton of Sea Bright, New Jersey as per the bid proposal.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey does hereby authorize the Mayor and Borough Clerk to execute a one-year lease agreement with Jersey Shore Skim Camp, Felecia Stratton of Sea Bright, New Jersey to operate a skim board camp on the Sea Bright Municipal Beach commencing in the summer of 2023 according to the terms and conditions outlined in the bid proposal which is on file in the office of the Borough Clerk; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to the following:

- 1. Finance Manager
- 2. Police Department
- 3. Beach Manager
- 4. Borough Attorney
- 5. Jersey Shore Skim Camp

**Roll Call:** Bieber, Birdsall, Booker, Catalano, Keeler, Lamia Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

# No. 191-2022 Consideration of Award 5 Year Lease Agreement for The Rental of Umbrellas and Beach Chairs

Councilmember Birdsall introduced and offered the following resolution for approval; seconded by Councilmember Keeler:

**WHEREAS,** the Borough Council authorized by resolution for the Borough Clerk to duly advertise for vendors to rent umbrellas and beach chairs with the option of a one to five-year lease agreement for the use of a portion of property on the Sea Bright Municipal Beach during the summer season; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough Clerk did duly advertise on November 3, 2022 to receive bids no later than 12 noon on December 2, 2022, for vendors to rent umbrellas and beach chairs on the Sea Bright Municipal Beach for a minimum bid amount of \$1,000.00 for the first year; and

**WHEREAS**, in connection therewith one (1) bid was received from Spahr Brothers LLC, Eatontown, NJ for a five-year lease in the amount of \$1,000.00; and

**WHEREAS,** after reviewing the bid documents, the Borough Administrator recommends a five-year lease agreement be awarded to Spahr Brothers LLC, Eatontown, NJ as per the bid proposal.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey does hereby authorize the Mayor and Borough Clerk to execute a five-year lease agreement with Spahr Brothers LLC, Eatontown, NJ to operate a beach umbrella and chair rental business on the beachfront between Center Street and Chapel Beach Club commencing in summer 2023 according to the terms and conditions outlined in the bid proposal which is on file in the office of the Borough Clerk; and

**BE IT RESOLVED,** that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to the following:

- 1. Finance Manager
- 2. Police Department
- 3. Beach Manager
- 4. Borough Attorney
- 5. Spahr Brothers LLC

Roll Call: Bieber, Birdsall, Booker, Catalano, Keeler, Lamia Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

No. 192-2022 Resolution of The Borough Council of The Borough of Sea Bright
Authorizing Payment Of \$43,617.51 Special Assessment
To The Middlesex County Joint Insurance Fund

Councilmember Birdsall introduced and offered the following resolution for its adoption; seconded by Councilmember Keeler:

**WHEREAS,** the Borough of Sea Bright (the Borough) was previously a member of the Middlesex County Joint Insurance Fund (the JIF); and

**WHEREAS,** the JIF has levied a special assessment on members as a result of a certified audit of the years 2001-2020 and have determine cumulative deficits; and

**WHEREAS,** the New Jersey Department of Banking and Insurance conducted a Statutory Examination of the audit; and,

**WHEREAS,** the Borough may satisfy this special assessment of \$43, 617.51 by acknowledging same and stating that it intends to make payments as follows: (a) ten percent before December 30, 2022; (b) fifteen percent on or before March 31, 2023, and (c) the remaining balance in seven (7) equal annual installments without interest starting in the first guarter of 2024.

### NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

- 1. The Chief Financial Officer and all necessary Borough officers and employees are authorized to make payments to the JIF in accordance with the foregoing.
- 2. All necessary Borough officers and employees are authorized to execute documents to effectuate the foregoing subject to attorney review.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to the following:

- 1. Borough Attorney
- 2. Borough CFO
- 3. Middlesex JIF
- 4. Monmouth JIF

Roll Call: Bieber, Birdsall, Booker, Catalano, Keeler, Lamia Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

### ORDINANCE(s):

<u>Public Hearing:</u> Mayor Kelly to read the ordinance by title:

#### ORDINANCE NO. 13-2022 BOROUGH OF SEA BRIGHT

AMENDING THE SEA BRIGHT RIVER PROPERTIES REDEVELOPMENT PLAN TO INCLUDE ADDITIONAL BOROUGH-OWNED PARCELS, BLOCK 13, LOT 17 AND BLOCK 15, LOT 9.

Monmouth County Planning Board Acknowledgement Received 12/16/22 Borough of Sea Bright Planning Board Acknowledgement Received 12/16/22

Councilmember Keeler offered a motion to open the public hearing on Ordinance No. 13-2022; seconded by Councilmember Birdsall:

Roll Call: Bieber, Birdsall, Booker, Catalano, Keeler, Lamia Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

# **Public Hearing (Ord. No. 13-2022)**No one wished to be heard.

Councilmember Keeler offered a motion to close the public hearing on Ordinance No. 13-2022; seconded by Councilmember Birdsall:

**Roll Call:** Bieber, Birdsall, Booker, Catalano, Keeler, Lamia Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

Councilmember Birdsall offered a motion to adopt Ordinance No. 13-2022 and advertise according to law; seconded by Councilmember Keeler:

Roll Call: Bieber, Birdsall, Booker, Catalano, Keeler, Lamia Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

**WHEREAS,** on April 19, 2016, the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Sea Bright adopted Resolution No. 80-2016. Pursuant to Resolution No. 80-2016, the Mayor and Council asked the Unified Planning Board (the "Planning Board") to evaluate whether the area of the following tax lots should be determined to be an area in need of redevelopment, pursuant to the Local Redevelopment and Housing Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-1, et seq. (the "Redevelopment Law"); and

WHEREAS, the property that was part of that area was identified as:

Block 13 Lot(s) 13, 14, 15, 18, 20, 21, 22 Block 14 Lot(s) 12, 14 Block 15 Lot(s) 5, 8, 10, 11, 12

(collectively the "River Properties"); and

**WHEREAS,** subsequently, following the recommendation of the Planning Board, on May 21, 2019, the River Properties were deemed to be an area in need of redevelopment, by adoption of Council Resolution No. 102-2019, in compliance with the requirements of the Redevelopment Law; and

**WHEREAS,** on October 20, 2020, the Mayor and Council adopted Ordinance No. 10-2020, approving the *Sea Bright River Properties Redevelopment Plan* (the "Redevelopment Plan"), which amended and supplemented the Code of the Borough of Sea Bright, Part II "General Legislation" so that the River Properties would be developed in compliance with the Redevelopment Plan; and

**WHEREAS,** in the Redevelopment Plan, the redevelopment area was described as the "Shrewsbury River Properties Redevelopment Area, a/k/a "River Properties" Block 13, Lots 13, 14, 15, 18, 20, 21 and 22; Block 14, Lots 12 and 14; and Block 15, Lots 5, 8, 10, 11 and 12 (hereinafter, the "Redevelopment Area"); and

**WHEREAS**, the Redevelopment goals and objectives include providing "for public access to the Shrewsbury River and public amenities, including but not limited to a boardwalk, a dog park, a kayak launch, a fishing area and cleaning station, parking spaces, and a community green;" and

**WHEREAS**, included as Figure 6 to the Redevelopment Plan is a development concept plan for the Redevelopment Area (the "Redevelopment Concept Plan"); and

**WHEREAS**, the Redevelopment Concept Plan provides for a kayak launch being constructed partially upon the Borough-owned property designated as Block 13, Lot 17 and partially upon private properties, as well as a meandering public path from the kayak launch to Front Street that lines up with Surf Street, and a portion of the private development occurring on what is currently situated upon Block 13, Lot 17 (the "Kayak Launch Work"); and

**WHEREAS**, construction of the Kayak Launch Work will require the reconfiguration and/or adjustment of Block 13, Lot 17 and surrounding private parcels; and

**WHEREAS**, the Redevelopment Concept Plan also provides for the relocation and improvement of the existing Borough right of way known as Poppinger Place, which is Boroughowned property designated as Block 15, Lot 9 (the "ROW Relocation Work"); and

**WHEREAS,** Denholtz Properties, the designated redeveloper for the Redevelopment Area, ("Redeveloper") filed an application with the Planning Board for site plan approval for the Redevelopment Area; and

**WHEREAS**, in connection with the Planning Board's review of the site plan, an issue was raised with respect to certain properties not being specifically included within the designated Redevelopment Area, including Block 15, Lots 6 and 7; and

**WHEREAS,** research of the Borough tax records established that Lots 6 & 7 of Block 15 merged into Lot 5 of Block 15 (Lot 5 shown on the Redevelopment Plan) when purchased by C.J. & M. Associates of Sea Bright, LLC on May 30, 2010 and Lot 5 was included in the Redevelopment Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, because former Lots 6 and 7 of Block 15 were consolidated into Block 15 Lot 5, which was included in designated Redevelopment Area and is subject to the Redevelopment Plan, former Lots 6 and 7 were effectively included in the Redevelopment Area and are subject to the Redevelopment Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, while Block 13, Lot 17, owned by the Borough, is clearly contemplated for development under the Redevelopment Plan pursuant to the Redevelopment Concept Plan to provide for the Kayak Launch Work and Block 15, Lot 9, owned by the Borough, is clearly contemplated for development under the Redevelopment Plan pursuant to the Redevelopment Concept Plan to provide for the ROW Relocation Work, neither of these parcels was included in the designated Redevelopment Area; and

**WHEREAS**, as set forth above, it was the clear and express intent of the Redevelopment Plan that Block 13, Lot 17 and Block 15, Lot 9 would be utilized to facilitate the goals and objectives of the Redevelopment Plan to accomplish the Kayak Launch Work and the ROW Relocation Work, respectively, and, therefore, the Council has determined that the following tax lots should also be included in the Redevelopment Area:

Block 13 Lot(s) 17 (boat ramp - property owned by the Borough)

Block 15 Lot(s) 9 (owned by the Borough)

(collectively the "Omitted Lots"); and

**WHEREAS**, the Council has concluded that the Omitted Lots are necessary for the effective redevelopment of the Redevelopment Area and to achieve the goals and objectives of the Redevelopment Plan to accomplish the Kayak Launch Work and the ROW Relocation Work; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-6, the Council directed the Planning Board to undertake a preliminary investigation to determine whether the Omitted Lots are necessary for the effective redevelopment of the Redevelopment Area and should be included within the Redevelopment Area, as provided under N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-3; and

**WHEREAS,** on November 22, 2022, the Planning Board held a duly-noticed public meeting, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-6, at which it reviewed the request of the Council to determine whether the Omitted Lots are necessary for the effective redevelopment of the Redevelopment Area and should be included within the Redevelopment Area, as provided under N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-3; and

**WHEREAS,** on that date the Planning Board conducted the inquiry requested by the Council and, thereafter, voted to recommend the designation of the Omitted Lots as an area in need of redevelopment for inclusion in the Redevelopment Area and to adopt a resolution determining that the Omitted Lots qualify for inclusion in the Redevelopment Area; and

**WHEREAS,** the Planning Board planner provided a report of the Board's findings and recommendation to include the Omitted Lots in the Redevelopment Area; and

**WHEREAS**, on December 6, 2022, Council adopted Resolution No. 184-2022, accepting the Planning Board's recommendation and designating the Omitted Lots for inclusion within the Redevelopment Area; and

**WHEREAS**, the Council has concluded that the Redevelopment Plan should now properly be amended to add and include the Omitted Lots; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:12A-7, prior to adoption of an ordinance adopting a redevelopment plan, or any amendments thereto, the Council must refer the redevelopment plan or amendment to the Planning Board for comments and recommendations; and

**WHEREAS,** upon introduction of this Ordinance amending the Redevelopment Plan to add the Omitted Lots, it shall be referred to the Planning Board for comments and recommendations, including a determination as to the consistency of the amended Redevelopment Plan with the Borough Master Plan and identification of any provisions of the amended Redevelopment Plan that it deems to be inconsistent with the Master Plan; and

**WHEREAS,** the Mayor and Council, having considered the Planning Board's comments and recommendations, wish to adopt the amendment to the Redevelopment Plan to include the Omitted Lots.

#### NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED that:

# Section 1.

- 1. The Redevelopment Plan shall be and hereby is amended by an addendum, Exhibit A, to include the property known as Block 15, Lot 9; and Block 13, Lot 17 as part of the Redevelopment Area subject to the Redevelopment Plan.
- 2. The Redevelopment Plan as amended shall supersede underlying zoning for the Redevelopment Area and the Borough Zoning Ordinance Map is hereby, and shall be, amended to specifically designate the Redevelopment Area zoning as set forth in the amended Redevelopment Plan.
- 3. Although included in the Redevelopment Area, the Redeveloper shall not become the owner of Block 13, Lot 17 and Block 15, Lot 9, or any portion thereof, without further action and agreement by the Borough, even though those lots will be improved and enhanced by the Redeveloper.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that all Borough officials, including, but not limited to, the Mayor, the Borough Clerk, the Borough Administrator, Planner, Attorney and Special Counsel are hereby authorized and directed to take such action as necessary to effectuate the provisions of this Ordinance.

- **Section 2.** All Ordinances, or parts thereof, inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be and the same are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.
- **Section 3.** Should any section, paragraph, clause or other portion of this Ordinance be adjudged by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgement shall not affect or impair the remainder of this Ordinance.
- **Section 4.** A copy of this Ordinance; the Redevelopment Plan and Schedule A, shall be available for public inspection at the office of the Borough Clerk during regular business hours.
- **Section 5.** This Ordinance shall become effective upon its passage and publication according to law, and upon filing of a certified copy thereof with the Monmouth County Planning Board.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY** this to be a true and correct Ordinance of the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright, introduced on December 6, 2022 and will be further considered after a Public Hearing at the virtual meeting of the Borough Council held on December 20, 2022 at 7:00 pm. Meeting access instructions will be published accordingly.

# Exhibit A

# ADDENDUM TO SEA BRIGHT RIVER PROPERTIES REDEVELOPMENT PLAN

On December 20, 2022, the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Sea Bright adopted an Ordinance amending the Sea Bright Property Redevelopment Plan to include Block 15, Lots 6, 7, 9 and Block 13, Lot 17 as part of the properties included in the Sea Bright River Properties Redevelopment Plan.

# **INDIVIDUAL ACTION:**

#### **Resolution:**

No. 193-2022 Authorizing the Execution of a Developer's Agreement with Denholtz Acquisition, LLC for Improvements to Shrewsbury River Properties

Councilmember Birdsall introduced and offered for adoption the following Resolution; seconded by Councilmember Lamia:

**WHEREAS,** the Local Redevelopment and Housing Law, <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 40A:12A-1 et seq., as amended from time to time, (the "**Redevelopment Law**") authorizes municipalities to determine whether certain parcels of land in a municipality constitute an "Area in Need of Redevelopment", as defined in the Redevelopment Law; and

**WHEREAS,** on April 19, 2016, the Borough Council of the Borough ("Borough Council") adopted Resolution No, 80-2016 authorizing the Planning Board to conduct a preliminary investigation to determine if certain properties qualified to be a "**Redevelopment Area**", pursuant to the provisions of the Redevelopment Law; and

**WHEREAS,** on May 21, 2019 the Borough Council adopted Resolution No. 102-2019 thereby adopting the "**Shrewsbury River Properties**" Redevelopment Study for the Study Area which includes the real property in the Borough known as Block 13, Lots 13, 14, 15, 18, 20, 21 and 22; Block 14, Lots 12 and 14; and Block 15, Lots 5 (formerly Lots 5, 6 and 7), 8 10, 11 and 12 as shown on the tax map of the Borough (the "**Redevelopment Area**"); and

**WHEREAS,** on October 20, 2020, the Borough Council adopted Ordinance No. 10-2020, adopting the redevelopment plan for the Redevelopment Area providing the development standards for the Redevelopment Area (the "**Redevelopment Plan**"); and

**WHEREAS,** the Denholtz Acquisition LLC (the "**Redeveloper**") is the contract purchaser of the properties in the Redevelopment Area and has been working with the Borough to further refine the project plans, so that the Redeveloper can proceed with the implementation of the redevelopment of the Redevelopment Area; and

**WHEREAS**, on April 19, 2022, the Borough Council adopted Resolution No. 91-2022, designating the Redeveloper as the redeveloper of the Redevelopment Area; and

**WHEREAS**, by Resolution #184-2022, adopted on December 6, 2022, the Borough added the Borough-owned parcels designated as Block 13, Lot 17 and Block 15, Lot 9 (the "**Borough Parcels**") to the Redevelopment Area, which are contemplated for inclusion in the improvements, including public improvements, within the Project (hereinafter, the terms "**Property**" and "**Redevelopment Area**") shall include the Borough Parcels); and

**WHEREAS**, on December 20, 2022, the Borough Council adopted Ordinance No. 13-2022, amending the Redevelopment Plan to include the Borough Parcels; and

**WHEREAS,** the Redeveloper has submitted a proposal to the Borough for the purposes of undertaking redevelopment of the Property; and

**WHEREAS,** the Borough has analyzed plans submitted by the proposed the Redeveloper and representatives of the Borough have had negotiations with representatives of the Redeveloper, reviewing its redevelopment proposals and concept plans; and

**WHEREAS,** the Borough Council now wishes to approve and authorize the Redevelopment Agreement in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the Redevelopment Agreement between Denholtz Acquisition, LLC and the Borough of Sea Bright, in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A.

**Roll Call:** Bieber, Birdsall, Booker, Catalano, Keeler, Lamia Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

#### **Vouchers:** \$ 446,588.82

Councilmember Keeler offered a motion to approve the <u>Voucher List</u> dated December 20, 2022 as submitted by the Finance Manager; seconded by Councilmember Booker:

Roll Call:	-	-		Catalano, Yes	-	
2790 A0 22-01384 3	CB SERVICES 12/15/22 BI	•		Open	3,8	88.73
2703 A0 22-01318 3			IALS & SUPE	PLIES Open	3	52.00
01936 AI 22-01227		ITS		Open	g	40.96
02113 AN 22-01360 1	MERICAN WAT 12/14/22 SE			Open	3	29.03
02036 BA 22-01371 3	AHRLE, DAVI 12/14/22 SE			Open		61.65
01241 BA 22-01390 1	AIN'S HARDV 12/15/22 HA			Open	1	72.57
01957 BF 22-01325 3	ENEMAX BENE 12/06/22 HE		ENT CO.	Open	3	48.00
01631 B0 22-01365 1	OROUGH OF ( 12/14/22 CC			Open	6,5	00.00
01565 B0 22-01361 1				Open	4,3	65.00
01974 BC 22-01375 1	OROUGH OF S 12/14/22 CC		OURT	Open		66.15

00230 CERTIFIED SPEEDOMETER			•
22-01319 12/02/22	Open	132.00	
2680 CINTAS			
22-00979 08/25/22 Beach	Onon	528.51	
	Open		
22-01071 09/21/22 Beach	Open		
22-01080 09/21/22 Beach	Open		
22-01096 10/03/22 Beach	Open		
22-01113 10/04/22 Beach/Library Pavilion Buildi			
22-01300 11/30/22 Beach	Open	271.00	
		2,587.60	
2555 CJM ASSOC. OF SEA BRIGHT 22-01364 12/14/22 LEASE	Open	500.00	
	open	300.00	
00256 CLEARY, GIACOBBE, ALFIERI & 22-01297 11/29/22 LEGAL	Open	496 00	
	Open	496.00	
22-01339 12/13/22 LEGAL	Open	352.00	
20170		848.00	
02172 CUSTOM BANDAG 22-01183 10/27/22 Emergency Tire Repair - 4377	Open	485.00	
22-01183 10/27/22 Emergency Tire Repair - 4377	open	485.00	
2787 CYCLE PASSIONS, LLC		0.45	
22-01233 11/04/22	Open	947.00	
02253 DAVID HODER ASSOCIATES			
22-01343 12/13/22 plan.board	Open	900.00	
01992 DOGS AND CATS, INC.			
22-01327 12/07/22 ESCROW RELEASE	Open	677.76	
01817 FINEGAN, GEORGE			
22-01288 11/29/22 ANIMAL	Open	609.65	
01720 FIREFIGHTER ONE, LLC			
22-01184 10/27/22 SCBA Repairs	Onon	0.4 1.0	
	Open	84.18	
22-01225 11/04/22 SCBA Repairs	Open	52.19	
22-01299 11/30/22 Pump Repairs - 4377	Open	753.66	
		890.03	
00254 FLOWERS BY VAN BRUNT 22-01324 12/06/22 REC	Open	250.00	
22 01321 12,00,22 100	open	200.00	
2406 FP MAILING SOLUTIONS 22-01382 12/15/22 A&E	0	98.85	
22-01382 12/13/22 A&E	Open	98.83	
2856 FULL EFFECT PRODUCTIONS		225 22	
22-01119 10/04/22 LIBRARY	Open	325.00	
02101 GANNETT NJ NEWSPAPERS			
22-01284 11/28/22 CLERK	Open	51.92	
22-01344 12/13/22 PLAN.BRD	Open	24.64	
22-01374 12/14/22 TAX	Open		
22-01385 12/15/22 CLERK	Open	18.48	
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20101 CAMERIAY DDECC		323.64	
02181 GATEWAY PRESS 22-01301 11/30/22	Open	238.00	
02219 GOODYEAR AUTO CENTER 22-01321 12/02/22 POLICE: VEHICLE MAINTENANCE	Open	500.64	
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02262 GTBM INC. 22-01323 12/06/22 BEACH	Open	722.21	
	oben	122.21	
01887 HEIM ELECTRONICS, INC.			
22-01294 11/29/22 BLDGS & GRDS	Open	1,000.00	
2478 HOLISTIC WELLNESS, LLC			
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22-01367 12/14/22 LIBRARY

2710 HOLMDEL TOWNSHIP 22-01362 12/14/22 FISCAL

2868 JAWORSKI, JOHN

2573 JCP & L

01784

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2791 HUDSON ENERGY SERVICES 22-01337 12/12/22 ELECTRIC

22-01368 12/14/22 ELECTRIC

1784 JUNGLE LASERS, LLC 22-01380 12/15/22 BLDG DEPT

22-01328 12/07/22 ESCROW RELEASE

2862 JERSEY SHORE APPAREL, LLC 22-01298 11/30/22 Strets & Roads

0444 LAWMEN SUPPLY CO OF NJ, INC. 22-01199 10/31/22 POLICE

0015 LANIGAN ASSOCIATES, INC. 22-01315 12/02/22 22-01317 12/02/22 POLICE: CLOTHING ALLOWANCE

01838 HOLMAN, FRENIA, ALLISON, P.C. 22-01379 12/15/22 FINANCE

REGULAR MEETING			<b>DECEMBER 20, 2022</b>
2804 LEGAL SHRED 22-01369 12/14/22 A&E	Open	95.00	
00108 LEON S. AVAKIAN, INC. 22-01279 11/22/22 ENGINEER 22-01331 12/08/22 ENGINEER	Open	5,260.00 11,970.00	
2708 LETIZIA M.D., MATTHEW 22-01287 11/29/22 BEACH	Open	17,230.00 3,000.00	
2870 MANDA'S MUSIC TOGETHER, LLC 22-01370 12/14/22 LIBRARY		100.00	
2417 MARLIN BUSINESS BANK	-		
22-01373 12/14/22 POSTAGE  2278 MCLAUGHLIN, STAUFFER & SHAKLEE		120.10	
22-01332 12/08/22 00531 MIDDLESEX COUNTY FIRE ACADEMY	Open	11,835.64	
22-01224 11/04/22 Live Burn 2606 MMJD PROPERTIES, LLC	Open	414.00	
22-01326 12/07/22 ESCROW RELEASE  2838 MOBILE PAYMENT PROCESSING SYS	Open	624.58	
22-01358 12/14/22 PARKING	Open	57.25	
00110 MONM CNTY REGIONAL HEALTH 22-01334 12/12/22 HEALTH	Open	15,674.39	
02229 MONMOUTH COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS 22-01182 10/27/22 Towing Charges - 4386	Open	162.95	
02045 MONMOUTH COUNTY SPCA 22-01366 12/14/22 ANIMAL	Open	325.00	
2872 MORIARTY LAW FIRM 22-01383 12/15/22 PUBLIC DFNDR	Open	300.00	
2869 MORPH SOLUTIONS, LLC 22-01329 12/07/22 ESCROW RELEASE	Open	2,105.12	
2775 MOTOROLA SOLUTIONS, INC. 22-00751 06/23/22	Open	6,402.10	
00339 NAPA AUTO PARTS CENTER 22-01313 12/02/22 Streets & Roads	Open	177.00	
01399 NEW JERSEY AMERICAN WATER 22-01322 12/06/22 WATER	Open	5 <b>,</b> 055.92	
00311 NJ DIVISION OF ABC 22-01357 12/14/22 A&E	Open	54.00	
01309 OCEANPORT BOARD OF EDUCATION 22-00760 06/28/22 SCHOOL TAX	Open	73,450.92	
00046 ONE CALL CONCEPTS, INC. 22-01372 12/14/22 SEWER		35.75	
01662 OTC BRANDS, INC	-	275.76	
22-01286 11/28/22 RECREATION  2525 POOR JOHNS PORTABLE TOILETS			
22-01381 12/15/22 BEACH 2290 PORZIO, BROMBERG & NEWMAN	_	616.00	
22-01307 11/30/22 LEGAL 22-01378 12/15/22 LEGAL	Open	351.93 500.50	
2300 PRECISION DYNAMICS CORP. 22-01082 09/29/22 BEACH	Open	852.43 1,357.76	
00164 RAIN, WILLIAM 22-01306 11/30/22 HEALTH		161.10	
2330 RAW POWER GENERATOR SERVICE	-		
22-01312 12/02/22 Sewer  2728 READY REFRESH BY NESTLE	-	440.57	
22-01389 12/15/22 WATER  2745 REMINGTON & VERNICK ENGINEERS	Open	515.28	
22-00904 08/11/22 ENGINEER 01554 SEA BRIGHT SERVICE CENTER	Open	417.25	
22-01232 11/04/22 22-01316 12/02/22		1,417.13 1,089.00	
00985 SEABOARD FIRE/SAFETY EQUIP CO.		2,506.13	
22-01295 11/29/22 BLDGS & GRDS  00027 SEABOARD WELDING SUPPLY, INC.	-	115.00	
22-01386 12/15/22 DPW 01027 SHORE BUSINESS SOLUTIONS	Open	18.50	
22-01305 11/30/22 A&E 22-01333 12/12/22 COPIER	Open Open	241.59 241.58	
		483.17	

REGULAR MEETING			<b>DECEMBER 20, 2022</b>
00053 SHORE REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL 22-00758 06/28/22 SCHOOL TAX	Open	181,370.18	
2589 SNAPOLOGY OF MONMOUTH COUNTY 22-01117 10/04/22 LIBRARY	Open	350.00	
2739 SOME'S WORLD-WIDE UNIFORMS INC 22-01320 12/02/22 POLICE: MATERIALS & SUPPLIES	Open	69.00	
00602 STATE OF NJ DEPT OF LWD 22-01376 12/15/22 BLDG & GRDS	Open	600.00	
2535 SUBURBAN DISPOSAL, INC. 22-01335 12/12/22 TRASH 22-01336 12/12/22 TRASH	Open Open	7,153.59 19,833.33	
00973 THE TWO RIVER TIMES		26,986.92	
22-01330 12/08/22 LEGAL AD	Open	111.91	
01779 TIMOTHY HILL ELECTRIC CO., INC 22-00973 08/25/22 Beach Pavilion Costs	Open	1,800.00	
2658 VERIZON 22-01359 12/14/22 PHONE	Open	74.30	
2291 VERIZON 22-01387 12/15/22 FIOS	Open	294.98	
2658 VERIZON 22-01388 12/15/22 PHONE 22-01391 12/15/22 SEWER	Open Open	220.67 521.36	
		742.03	
02061 VERIZON WIRELESS 22-01341 12/13/22 CELL 22-01355 12/14/22 FIRE 22-01356 12/14/22 CELL	Open Open Open	1,258.48 268.07 187.13	
		1,713.68	
01791 VERRUNI, JOSEPH 22-01377 12/15/22 A&E	Open	153.40	
2850 WEX BANK (NEW) 22-01338 12/12/22 GASOLINE	Open	7,567.28	
00359 YOSI MUSIC, LLC 22-01342 12/13/22 LIBRARY	Open	400.00	
02109 ZUMU SOFTWARE 22-01278 11/21/22 WEBSITE	Open	1,600.00	

TOTAL: \$ 414,844.46

#### Manual Checks

22-01285	NJ DEPT OF LABOR & WORKFORCE DVLPMNT.	\$1,897.68
11/28/2022	UNEMPLOYMENT REIMBURSEMENT	
22-01281	SUBURBAN DISPOSAL	\$516.77
11/22/2022	DUMPSTERS & DISPOSAL	
22-01282	SUBURBAN DISPOSAL	\$8,048.97
11/22/2022	LANDFILL TIPPING/RECYCLING TAX	
22-01280	SUBURBAN DISPOSAL	\$21,280.94
11/22/2022	TRASH & RECYCLING REMOVAL & DISPOSAL	

Total: \$ 31,744.36
GRAND TOTAL: \$446,588.82

### **MAYOR AND COUNCIL COMMENTS**

Councilman Birdsall thanked DPW for working hard this weekend during the flooding and cleaning up after the storm. The Department is moving in the right direction and feels confident in Councilwoman-Elect Gorman taking over his committees. Councilman Birdsall thanked everyone for all their support!

Councilman Keeler reported he spoke with the Court Administrator and she is pleased with how the Court is operating and look forward to working with us and the Chief in 2023. Merry Christmas.

Councilman Catalano – hats off to Councilman Birdsall, it has been a pleasure working with you and you will be missed. He reported that about 40 people turned out to help plant dune grass, about 5,000 plants, on Saturday and thanked everyone who came out to help.

Councilman Bieber reported that the short-term rental plan is completely in place and is ready for launch January 1st. He sincerely thanked everyone, specifically Karen DiBerardino and Tom Haege, involved in getting this rolled out so quickly. The ordinance has been adopted, the state registered the approval for taxing purposes, letters have gone out to residents which included the new registration form. The Administration Committee will be focusing on projects throughout the

Borough in 2023 and will be looking closely at the Redevelopment project, check valves, and the bulkhead initiative. Councilman Bieber thanked Councilman Birdsall for all his service to the town and for always being supportive and engaged.

Councilman Lamia reported the library had a good year and a successful outing....the recreation center got new floors and air conditioner units and pickleball has started up which has been very successful – they are hoping to get the outside of the building refurbished in the next year. Councilman Lamia reported the Senior's annual Christmas party is tomorrow at noon at Alice's.

Councilman Booker thanked Councilman Birdsall for his support and said - it was a pleasure working with you - enjoy your retirement from Council. Councilman Booked explained that we went out for proposals for a grant writer and encourages the Governing Body to take a look at the proposals we received. He also stated that Sea Bright is a fiscally healthy town thanks to the Administration. Councilman wished everyone a merry Christmas and happy new year!

Mayor Kelly wished everyone a nice holiday season and a happy new year!

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Executive session not held.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Councilmember Birdsall offered a motion to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Councilmember Booker:

Roll Call: Bieber, Birdsall, Booker, Catalano, Keeler, Lamia Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes

Respectfully submitted,

Christine Pfeiffer Borough Clerk