

BOROUGH OF WENONAH
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COUNCIL MINUTES
ANNUAL REORGANIZATION MEETING
January 4, 2012

Wenonah Municipal Building
7:00 PM

Mayor Tommy Lombardo called the meeting to order and welcomed guests and officials.

Pledge of Allegiance

Mayor introduced County Freeholders Nestore, Taliaferro, and Senator Norcross who were in attendance.

Mayor Lombardo then called forward the newly elected Councilman Paul J. Lader and incumbent John R. Dominy, to be sworn in.

Roll Call: Present: Dominy, Howard, Kaeferle, Lader, Norris,
 Absent: Farina

Open Public Meetings Act

The Reverend Thanh Pham, Church of the Incarnation, offered the invocation.

Open to Public: JD/JH

No comments

Close to Public: JH/JD

Motion to Approve: Resolution R-2012-1 Appointing President of Council JH/PK

Roll Call:

Ayes: Dominy, Howard, Kaeferle, Lader, Norris

Nays: None

Abstain: None

Absent: Farina

Motion Approved

Motion to Approve: Resolution R-2012 – 2 Designating Official Newspapers JD/JH

Roll Call:

Ayes: Dominy, Howard, Kaeferle, Lader, Norris

Nays: None

Abstain: None

Absent: Farina

Motion Approved

Mayor Lombardo indicated to save time he would like to do the rest of the resolutions as a “consent” agenda. All council members agreed.

Council President Dominy motioned to approve Resolutions R-3-2012 through R-20-2012 and Councilman Kaeferle seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

Ayes: Dominy, Howard, Kaeferle, Lader, Norris

Nays: None

Abstain: None

Absent: Farina

Motion Approved

Presentation of the Wenonah Fire Company Line Officers:

- Chief Drew Sole introduced the Line Officers in attendance.
- Fire Chief Drew Sole and the Fire Company Line Officers were sworn in by Mayor Lombardo.

Volunteer of the Year Award:

- Mayor Lombardo announced Greg Shast of the Shade Tree Commission as the recipient. The mayor read a proclamation honoring Greg and acknowledging his volunteer service to the community and his church.
- County Freeholders Nestore, Taliaferro, and Senator Norcross all had accolades and proclamations for Greg as well.

Presentation of Reports by Various Boards & Commissions:

Mayor Lombardo asked if there were any attendees with End-of-Year Reports covering various organization activities in 2011.

- Anne Zuber, Wenonah Library, gave her report (see attached)
- Richard Dilks, President of the Environmental Commission gave his report (see attached)
- Fire Chief Drew Sole gave his report (see attached) and thanked everyone for their support.
- Officer in Charge, Sergeant Bill Rogers gave his report (see attached) which included the Police Department, Municipal Alliance, and Dare program. He also thanked everyone for their support.

Mayor Lombardo thanked everyone for their reports and acknowledged them for their good work in our community.

Open to Public

JH/PK All in Favor

Senator Norcross, Freeholders Nestore, and Taliaferro all spoke briefly, saying they looked forward to serving the citizens of Gloucester County and especially the residents of Wenonah.

Close to Public

JD/PK All in Favor

Mayor Lombardo closed the meeting by thanking all in attendance and our volunteers. He acknowledged they were the backbone of the community. The Mayor then invited everyone to stay for refreshments.

Adjourn JH/JD All in Favor 7:45 pm

Minutes submitted,



Karen L. Sweeney, RMC/Treasurer

Approved: Jan 26, 2012