

**MAURICE RIVER TOWNSHIP
AGENDA
Thursday, February 16, 2017 – 7:30 P.M.**

This meeting has been advertised in accordance with the statutes of the State of New Jersey.

Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance led by Mayor Gross

Roll Call

A. Approval of Minutes of prior meetings

B. Presentations

1. N.J.S.P. – Lt. Robert Bauers, Jr.

C. First Public Comment Session (Limit 30 Minutes Total)

D. Ordinances

1. The second reading of Ordinance 655: An Ordinance Of Maurice River Township, Cumberland County, Authorizing A Lease Of The Port Elizabeth Library To Maurice River Township Heritage Society, A NJ Non-Profit Corporation

E. Consent Agenda Resolutions

<p>CONSENT AGENDA: All matters listed with an asterisk (*) are considered to be routine and non-controversial by the Township Committee and will be approved by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a committee member so requests, in which case the item will be removed from the consent agenda and considered in its normal sequence on the agenda.</p>

#1	Resolution No.	42-2017	A Resolution Appointing An Members To Unexpired Terms On The Maurice River Township Land Use Board For Calendar Year 2017
#2	Resolution No.	43-2017	A Resolution Authorizing Maurice River Township to Issue a Refund of Monies for a Building Permit at the Request of the Permit Holder
#3	Resolution No.	44-2017	A Resolution Authorizing Approval to Submit a Grant Application and Execute a Grant Contract with the New Jersey Department of Transportation for the Reconstruction of Newell Road
#4	Resolution No.	45-2017	A Resolution Authorizing Refund of Overpayment of Property Taxes for Block 226, Lot 5
#5	Resolution No.	46-2017	A Resolution Appointing Brittney Adams as Acting Maurice River Township Municipal Court Administrator
#6	Resolution No.	47-2017	A Resolution Authorizing Shared Service Agreements to Provide Services of Certified Recycling Coordinator as Review and Certification Agent Regarding Annual Tonnage Reports

F. Township Committee Reports

- 1) Dunkin' Donuts – Planner's possible redevelopment/fast track for Pinelands
- 2) review Senator Sweeney's Bill RE SR100 School Funding Fairness
- 3) Cable/Internet 4023 Route 47, Dorchester
- 4) Letter to Cumberland Co. RE Drainage Ditch/Pipes in Delmont

G. Professional Reports

Engineer

Solicitor

OLD BUSINESS

H. Announcements

1. The Municipal Building will be closed on Monday, February 20th in observance of Washington's birthday.
2. The free rabies clinic is being held on March 11, 2017 from 9:00 am to 11:00 am at the Leesburg Volunteer Fire Company.
3. The first Senior Dance of 2017 is scheduled for Saturday, March 18th at Leechester Hall from 1 pm to 4 pm.
4. The driveway and parking areas of the Municipal Building are tentatively scheduled for repaving on Thursday and Friday, February 23rd and 24th. The paving will take place over the two-day period to allow parking on one-half of the lot during the paving process.

I. Correspondence

1. Pinelands Commission public notice received 1/27/17 regarding South Jersey Gas Co.'s proposed natural gas pipeline with deadline of 5:00 p.m., February 8, 2017 for submission of written comments (Put on MRT website 1/27/17)
2. Receipt of original Quit Claim Deed from Wai Tai Tang to M.R.T. from Frank DiDomenico which was recorded at Cumberland County Clerk's office
3. Receipt of Resolution 2017-34 from Bradley Beach, Monmouth County supporting the filing of a complaint by NJ Assoc. of Counties about NJSA 2A:162-15 Et Seq.
4. Receipt of Letter from Competition Dirt Riders requesting assistance from OEM for an off-road motorcycle event on April 22 & 23, 2017 at Orman Farms.
5. Request from Dennis Bailey, MRT Heritage Society to use Leechester Hall on Saturday, March 25, 2017 for a community craft show from 6:15 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
6. Receipt of Atlantic City Electric's upcoming transmission power line right-of-way vegetation management activities schedule.
7. Request from Heisler Memorial UMC to waive building permit fees for roof and fire inspection repairs –
8. Email from Kim Gauntt, Cumb Co. Director of Recreation & Tourism announcing The Purple Martin Festival is online on the county's website calendar of events.
9. Receipt of LFN #2017-4 – Transitional Aid Application Process

10. Receipt of South Harrison Township Resolution #R-17-28 supporting the filing of a complaint by NJ Assoc. of Counties with NJ Council on Local Mandates that the Criminal Justice Reform Act NJSA 2A:162-15 Et Seq, Constitutes an Unfunded State Mandate in Violation of Article VIII, Section II, Paragraph 5 of the NJ Constitution.
11. Application for Certificate of Registration from Robert Langley for Veteran's Vending Park to sell household goods. Veteran's ID & Peddler's License received –
12. Request for support of Woodland Township, Burlington County regarding Garden State Land Preservation Trust Act monies lost.

NEW BUSINESS

J. Correspondence

1. Receipt of copy of Notice of Public Hearings from South Jersey Gas in the matter of the petition of South Jersey Gas Co., to change the levels of its societal benefits clause (“SBC”) and its transportation initiation clause (“TIC”) BPU Docket No. GR16080728. Hearing to take place February 23, 2017 at 4:30 & 5:30 PM at Voorhees Township Municipal Court.

REPORTS

Treasurers Report	\$734,978.74
Tax Assessor's Certification Sheet for 2017	
Road Dept. Report January 2017	
Ron's Animal Control Monthly Reports January 2017	
Fire Inspections Report – January 2017	
Dog Licensing Report – January 2017	

PAYMENT OF BILLS

SECOND PUBLIC COMMENT SESSION

ADJOURNMENT