

**MAURICE RIVER TOWNSHIP
AGENDA
Thursday, May 21, 2015 – 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 Sarclette.

Roll Call

A. Approval of Minutes of prior meetings.

B. Presentations

1. N.J.S.P.
2. Cumberland County Sheriff's Department

C. Bids

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

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>

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| * 1. Resolution No. | 70-2015 | A Resolution Authorizing Appointing Deputy Registrar And Alternate Deputy Registrar Of Vital Statistics. |
| * 2. Resolution No. | 71-2015 | A Resolution Acknowledging Receipt Of Environmental Resource Inventory 2015 Update, Recommending Said Inventory For Applicable Use By The Maurice River Township Land Use Board And Setting Fees For Sale Of Same |
| * 3. Resolution No. | 72-2015 | A Resolution Requesting Change In Title, Text, Or Amount Of Appropriation Pursuant To NJS 40A:4-85 |
| * 4. Resolution No. | 73-2015 | A Resolution Authorizing The Purchase Of A New Backhoe Loader Pursuant To A Fair And Open Contract |

F. Township Committee Reports

G. Professional Reports

Engineer

Solicitor

OLD BUSINESS

H. Announcements

1. The Municipal Offices will be closed on Monday, May 25, 2015 in observance of Memorial Day.
2. The Primary Election is Tuesday, June 2, 2015. Two polling places – the Port Elizabeth Church of the Nazarene and the MRT Municipal Building.

I. Correspondence

1. A letter dated May 5, 2015 from Senator Van Drew acknowledging receipt of Resolution No. 62-2015 supporting the Transparent Tax Act of 2015
2. New Jersey Builders Association letter dated April 24, 2015 regarding New Jersey Council on Affordable Housing and Mount Laurel.
3. A letter from Environmental & Technical Service as an advertisement which also advises of the Right to Know surveys due date is July 15, 2015.
4. A letter received on April 17, 2015 from Donna Justis regarding the Township Wide Yard Sale date of May 16, 2015. A copy of Resolution 67-2015 was forwarded in reply.
5. DARE New Jersey letter dated April 22, 2015 advising of the closing of the New Jersey office.
6. A letter from the New Jersey Department of Transportation advising that the No Stopping and No Standing on Route 55 was approved by the Commissioner of Transportation.
7. A letter from Atlantic City Electric dated April 27, 2015 notifying a public hearing is scheduled for Monday, May 18, 2015 regarding the reconciliation and updating of the level of non-utility generation charge.
8. Letter from Cozen O'Connor dated April 28, 2015 making notification that the petition by South Jersey Gas for approval of the Municipal Consent in the Township of Maurice River will be heard on Friday, May 22, 2015 at the NJ Board of Public Utilities.
9. Request from Doug Hall for an increase to the water stipend for T-1 water services from \$150 to \$175 (\$188.38 with social security) per month.

NEW BUSINESS

J. Correspondence

1. An application for a Certificate of Registration from Harry Franzen for the Veteran's Vending Park. Veteran's ID and Peddler's License are attached.
2. A letter from New Jersey Economic Development Authority dated April 16, 2015 approving application for HDSRF grant funds for Ackley Garage in the amount of \$166,830.
3. IH Engineering letter dated April 20, 2015 advising the intention to start work in the vicinity of Route 55 North and South bound from mile markers 20.80 to 21.4 on May 18, 2015. Work may entail temporary lane closures.
4. Cumberland County Cooperative Fair Association request dated April 26, 2015 for use of the MRT OEM staff and equipment from Tuesday, July 7th through Saturday, July 11, 2015.
5. An application for a Certificate of Registration from Keith Rafine to conduct business on Block 240, Lot 4.06. A copy of Veteran's ID and Peddler's License are attached.
6. A Facility Use Request from the Maurice River Township Elementary School Business Administrator, Patricia Powell for use of Leechester Hall on Thursday, June 18, 2015 for the Grade 8 dance following their promotional exercise.
7. South Jersey Gas request for Emergency Opening on April 15, 2015 at Middle Street and Station Road.
8. South Jersey Gas request for permits
 - a. Broad Street 51' E of the centerline of Main Street
 - b. 133 Middle Avenue – 277' SE of the centerline of Main Street

9. Cross County Connection letter dated April 23, 2015 forwarding a copy of the Bikeways Inventory for Cumberland County.
10. Port Elizabeth Church of the Nazarene dated April 30, 2015 requesting that fees related to installation of a new sign be waived.
11. An application for a Certificate of Registration from Norman Franckle for the Veteran's Vending Park. Veteran's ID and Peddler's License are attached.
12. An application for a Certificate of Registration from James Bradford for the Veteran's Vending Park. Veteran's ID and Peddler's License are attached.
13. An application for a Certificate of Registration from Emerson Drew Tomlin for the Veteran's Vending Park. Veteran's ID and Peddler's License are attached.
14. Letters from the New Jersey DOT dated April 20, 2015 denying the approval of Municipal Aid for Newell Road and Estell Manor Road.
15. Letter dated May 11, 2015 from Patricia Powell at MRTES requesting 2015-2016 School District Budget Statement – Tax Levy Certification – Form A
16. Letter dated May 12, 2015 from Patricia Powell at MRTES requesting fill at 70 Leesburg-Belleplain Road.
17. Letter dated May 11, 2015 from NJ DEP informing that the East Point Lighthouse will be considered for nomination to the NJ and National Registers for Historic Places.
18. An application for a Certificate of Registration from Dominic Forte for the Veteran's Vending Park. Veteran's ID is attached. Application for Peddlers License has been filed with Camden County Clerk's office.
19. Tri-County Sportsmen Motorcycle Club, Inc. note dated May 13, 2015 listing Longwood Gardens properties by Block and Lot numbers.

REPORTS

Treasurers Report	729,182.90
Road Dept. Report April 2015	
Ron's Animal Control Monthly Reports April 2015	

PAYMENT OF BILLS

SECOND PUBLIC COMMENT SESSION

ADJOURNMENT