

The Public Meeting of the Mount Olive Township Council was called to order at 7:17 p.m. by Council President Mania.

OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT ANNOUNCEMENT

Mrs. Lashway: According to the Open Public Meetings Act, adequate notice of this meeting has been given to the Daily Record. Notice has been posted in the Municipal Building, 204 Flanders-Drakestown Road, Mount Olive Township, New Jersey and notices were sent to those requesting the same.

ROLL CALL

Present: Mr. Amianda, Mr. Ferrante, Mrs. Labow, Mr. Perkins, Mr. Roman, Mr. Nicastro and Mr. Mania

Absent: None

Also Present: Lisa Lashway, Township Clerk; Jeff Pasek, Township Attorney; Sherry Kolody, CFO; Sean Canning, Business Administrator

1. A Resolution of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, Commending Sparta Redi-Mix for its Continual Support to the Township of Mount Olive and the Township's Projects. PDF Res

President Mania: Next, on the Agenda is a Resolution and I'm going to get up and read this. Mr. Hunkele, would you please come up?

Mr. Perkins: Grab this little mic here, John. John, you need a microphone.

President Mania: I've got a big mouth.

Mr. Perkins: It don't matter.

President Mania: It don't matter?

Mr. Perkins: You've got to be on the record.

President Mania: A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE, IN THE COUNTY OF MORRIS AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY, COMMENDING SPARTA REDI-MIX FOR ITS CONTINUAL SUPPORT TO THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE AND THE TOWNSHIP'S PROJECTS

WHEREAS, the Township of Mount Olive has in the past undertaken various improvements which have necessitated the placement of concrete for footings and bases, and solicited the donation of the materials from Sparta Redi-Mix; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Mount Olive undertook the project of relocating the Veterans Memorial from Route 46 to Turkey Brook Park where the foundation concrete was provided by Sparta Redi-Mix at no cost to the taxpayers and residents of the Township of Mount Olive; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Mount Olive undertook the project of installing an electronic message board at the Mount Olive Township Municipal Building where the foundation concrete was provided by Sparta Redi-Mix at no cost to the taxpayers and residents of the Township of Mount Olive; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Mount Olive undertook the construction of the 911 Memorial at Turkey Brook Park where the foundation concrete and footings were provided by Sparta Redi-Mix at no cost to the taxpayers and residents of the Township of Mount Olive; and

WHEREAS, the residents of the Township of Mount Olive and the Township's employees and officials have been fortunate to have such a dedicated company provide materials to offset costs of improvements over many years.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, that they do hereby recognize the great contribution and efforts of Sparta Redi-Mix to the Township of Mount Olive and hereby congratulate Sparta Redi-Mix for being a steward of support to numerous improvements within the Township to the benefit of all of the Township's residents.

Mr. Hunkele: Thank you very much.

Mrs. Labow: Thank you.

President Mania: Here Frank, you can hold that.

Mr. Perkins: You can pretend you like him Frank.

Mr. Hunkele: Thank you very much.

President Mania: Congratulations.

Mr. Hunkele: Thank you.

Mrs. Labow: Thank you very much.

Mr. Perkins: Thank you for everything. We really appreciate it.

Mr. Hunkele: Happy Holidays everybody.

Mrs. Labow: You too. Merry Christmas.

Mr. Perkins: You too.

Mr. Pasek: Merry Christmas.

Mr. Hunkele: John, get them out early.

President Mania: Get them out early?

Mr. Perkins: A little late for that. I make a motion to approve Resolution one.

Mrs. Labow: Second.

President Mania: All in favor.

All are in favor.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS

December 9, 2014, WS & PM (all present)

President Mania: Where are we here?

Mrs. Lashway: Approval of Minutes.

Mr. Perkins: Minutes.

President Mania: Approval of Minutes. Mr. Amianda, would you make a motion for the approval of the Minutes of previous meetings?

Mr. Amianda: Yes. Yes. I make a motion for approval of Minutes of previous meetings.

Mr. Perkins: Second.

President Mania: Any discussion? Roll Call.

ROLL CALL: **Passed unanimously**

CORRESPONDENCE

LETTERS FROM RESIDENTS/ORGANIZATIONS/ OTHER TOWNS

1. Email received December 8, 2014, from Downtown New Jersey regarding You're Invited to Downtown New Jersey Excellence (Dec 10, 2014). PDF Correspondence

2. Email received December 10, 2014, from TransOptions regarding Go Smart! With TransOptions – December 2014. PDF Correspondence
3. Email received December 10, 2014, from JA Montgomery Risk Control regarding Morris JIF – SD Bulletin – Managing Slip and Falls during the Winter Months. PDF Correspondence
4. Email received December 11, 2014, from National League of Cities regarding What’s going on in Washington? PDF Correspondence
5. Letter received December 15, 2014, from ARC Morris regarding Touchstone, a Publication of the ARC of Morris Anniversary Edition 2014. PDF Correspondence

STATE AGENCIES

6. Email received December 5, 2014, from State of New Jersey, Department of Environmental Protection regarding NJDEP Press Release – Week Long Black Bear Hunt Begins Monday in Northern NJ. PDF Correspondence
7. Email received December 8, 2014, from State of New Jersey, Department of Environmental Protection regarding NJDEP Press Release – First Day of the Bear Hunt. PDF Correspondence
8. Letter received December 9, 2014, from State of New Jersey, Department of Environmental Protection regarding One 550 gallon #2 Heating oil Underground Storage Tank System (8 Stanley Place, Block 3606, Lot 11). PDF Correspondence
9. Letter received December 11, 2014, from State of New Jersey, Department of Environmental Protection regarding One 550 gallon #2 Heating oil Underground Storage Tank System (110 Stedwick Drive, Block 7801, Lot 3). PDF Correspondence
10. Letter received December 18, 2014, from State of New Jersey, Department of Environmental Protection regarding water main extension permit dated December 12, 2014 (Fratelli Beretta 750 Clark Drive, Block 102, Lot 11). PDF Correspondence
11. Email received December 18, 2014, from State of New Jersey, Department of Environmental Protection regarding NJDEP Press Release - \$15 Million Awarded in Municipal Grants to Bolster Recycling. PDF Correspondence

MORRIS COUNTY

12. Email received December 9, 2014, from Department of Planning and Public Works regarding MCPB Minutes of October 9, 2014. PDF Correspondence

MUA / MSA

13. Email received December 19, 2014, from Musconetcong Sewerage Authority regarding MSA November 20, 2014 Approved Meeting Minutes. PDF Correspondence

President Mania: We have some Correspondence. Any discussion? Next, on the Agenda is Ordinances for public hearing. Ordinance #28-2014,

ORDINANCES FOR PUBLIC HEARING

Ord.#28-2014 An Ordinance of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris, State of New Jersey, Authorizing the Acceptance of a Deed of Dedication for Open Space for the Property Currently Known as Block 6000 Lot 6.001 from Toll NJ XII, LP. PDF Ord.

President Mania: Mr. Ferrante.

Mr. Ferrante: I make a motion to move Ordinance #28-2014.

Mrs. Labow: Second.

President Mania: Any discussion? Roll Call.

ROLL CALL: Passed unanimously

President Mania: Next, is...

Mr. Perkins: No.

President Mania: ...Ordinance...

Mr. Perkins: No, down the bottom.

President Mania: Ordinance #28-2014 is passed on second reading and I hereby direct the Clerk to forward a copy of the same to the Mayor and publish the notice of adoption as required by law. Next on the Agenda, Ordinance #29-2014,

Ord.#29-2014 An Ordinance of the Township of Mount Olive Amending Ordinance #13-2013 which Established Salaries for the Mayor, Council, Department Heads, Supervisory Personnel and Employees of the Township Clerk's Office. PDF Ord.

President Mania: Mrs. Labow.

Mrs. Labow: Thank you, Mr. President. I move for adoption and final passage of Ordinance #29-2014.

Mr. Perkins: Second. You're going to open that to the public, Mr. President?

President Mania: Anyone from the public wish to be heard? If not I'll close it to the public. Ordinance # ...

Mr. Perkins: No.

President Mania: I'm sorry, Roll Call. He said hurry up, see I'm trying to hurry up.

ROLL CALL: Passed unanimously

President Mania: Ordinance #29-2014 is passed on second reading and I hereby direct the Clerk to forward a copy of the same to the Mayor and publish the notice of adoption as required by law. Next is Ordinance #30-2014,

Ord.#30-2014 An Ordinance of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive Amending Ordinance #4-2014 Entitled Fees and Rates for Off-Duty Police Officers. PDF Ord.

President Mania: Mr. Perkins.

Mrs. Lashway: No. No. You have to open it to the public.

President Mania: Anyone from the public wish to be heard? If not, I'll close it to the public. Mr. Perkins.

Mr. Perkins: Yes, Mr. President. I move for adoption and final passage of Ordinance #30-2014.

Mrs. Labow: Second.

President Mania: Any discussion? Roll Call.

ROLL CALL: Passed unanimously

President Mania: Ordinance #30-2014 is passed on second reading and I hereby direct the Clerk to forward a copy of the same to the Mayor and publish the notice of adoption as required by law.

CONSENT RESOLUTIONS AGENDA:

Resolutions on the Consent Agenda List are considered to be routine and non-controversial by the Township Council and will be approved by one motion (one vote). There will be no separate discussion or debate on each of these resolutions except for the possibility of brief clarifying statements that may be offered. If one or more Council member requests, any individual resolution on the Consent Agenda may be removed from the Consent Agenda List and acted on separately.

CONSENT RESOLUTIONS

2. Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive Authorizing an Application to the 2015 Community Development Program. PDF
3. Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive Providing for the Transfer of 2014 Budget Appropriations for the Current Fund Budget. PDF Res
4. Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive Authorizing the Cancellation of an Ordinance Balance. PDF Res
5. Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive Authorizing the Appointment of Special Law Enforcement Officers for 2015 and School Crossing Guards for 2015. PDF Res
6. Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive Authorizing a Shared Services Agreement with the Township of Washington for the Provision of Animal Control Services Pursuant to the Interlocal Services Act (NJSA 26:38A 2-1 et seq.)PDF Res
7. Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive Authorizing a Shared Services Agreement with the Borough of Chester for the Township of Mount Olive to Provide Sanitation Services to the Borough of Chester. PDF Res
8. Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive Rejecting All Bids for Landscaping Services. PDF Res
9. Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive Rejecting All Bids for the Footbridge Decking Overlay for Houdaille Road Bridge. PDF Res
10. Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive Resolution Authorizing a Settlement in Connection with Tax Appeals Entitled New Jersey Housing and Mortgage Finance Agency v. Mount Olive Township. PDF Res
11. Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive Authorizing the Township to Enter into an Agreement for Payments in Lieu of Taxes with Paragon Senior Living LLC for the Site Currently Known as Block 8400, Lot 9. PDF Res

President Mania: Next, on the Agenda is Consent Motions. Mr. Roman.

Mrs. Lashway: Consent Resolutions.

President Mania: Hmm?

Mrs. Lashway: Consent Resolutions.

President Mania: Okay. Consent Resolutions. Any wish to be moved to Non-Consent? Mrs. Labow.

Mrs. Labow: I have a question about one, I don't know if I want to move it to Non-Consent...or just ask the question now.

Mr. Perkins: Move it to Non-Consent.

Mr. Roman: Move it to Non-Consent.

Mrs. Labow: Alright. Move it to Non-Consent, Resolution six.

President Mania: Number six did you say?

Mrs. Lashway: Yes. Number six, please.

President Mania: Any discussion?

Mr. Roman: Forgive me, Mr. President. I too would like to move an item to Non-Consent. Number eleven and ten. Ten and eleven.

President Mania: Number eleven. Okay.

Mr. Roman: Ten and eleven.

Mr. Pasek: Ten and eleven.

President Mania: Okay. Ten and eleven, Alex.

Mr. Roman: Yes.

President Mania: Any discussion?

Mrs. Lashway: We need a motion.

Mr. Perkins: We need a motion.

President Mania: Hmm?

Mrs. Lashway: We need a motion.

Mr. Roman: Mr. President, I'd like to move Consent Resolutions two through five, seven, eight and nine for approval.

Mr. Perkins: Second.

Mrs. Labow: Second.

President Mania: Any discussion? Roll Call.

ROLL CALL: Passed unanimously

President Mania: Next, we have...

Mrs. Lashway: Non-Consent Resolution six.

Mr. Nicastro: We have to go through them.

Mrs. Lashway: Non-Consent Resolution six.

President Mania: Non-Consent Resolution six.

Mrs. Labow: So move it?

President Mania: Any discussion?

Mrs. Labow: We have to move it.

President Mania: Motion...

Mr. Perkins: I make a motion to move for discussion Non-Consent Resolution six.

Mrs. Labow: Second.

President Mania: Is there a second? Mrs. Labow seconded. Any discussion?

Mrs. Lashway: It's a motion to approve, not to...

Mr. Labow: Motion to approve.

Mr. Perkins: Motion to approve.

Mrs. Labow: Second.

President Mania: Any discussion?

Mrs. Labow: Yes, I have a question.

President Mania: Mrs. Labow.

Mrs. Labow: Mr. Canning, for this one I just want to clarify because as you know I had some questions about it. What's going to happen with Washington if they have a call for Animal Control Services. They'll call us, if we're available we'll go, if not they have a backup plan, is that...?

Mr. Canning: Yes. It's a little bit different than the Bryam Township Agreement we have where we are the end all. On this one, we are the primary between 7:30 am, in the morning and 4:30 pm, in the afternoon and at that point we're the back up from 4:30 pm to 7:30 am, overnight. We have no obligation. Now, during the daytime, it's purely if we can respond.

Mrs. Labow: Okay.

Mr. Canning: If not, they have in the contract, they have built in they have a backup ACO from Mansfield that they'll call. If they do, then they deduct \$100.00 per call. They're going to provide us \$6,100.00 per year based upon the aggregate of the last three years of calls. We receive that \$6,100.00 and every time we can't make it, you know they have to pay somebody else obviously, so that comes off of ours.

Mrs. Labow: Right.

Mr. Canning: It's purely...if we can make it, we respond, if we can't there's really no harm, no foul. It's kind of a one year trial run. They're kind of looking to piece together a solid ACO program so they'll draw from us mainly, but then Mansfield is their backup.

Mrs. Labow: Yes, that's what I thought. I guess an article in the paper or something, whatever, somebody read about it, they thought it was going to be the same thing as Byram and how are we going to do that. I said, no, no...

Mr. Canning: No, it's clearly differentiated...

Mrs. Labow: ...it's not, it's very...

Mr. Canning: ...it's much more streamed out, a much more stripped down version of our Bryam Township Agreement.

Mrs. Labow: That's...

Mr. Canning: We had a good meeting with them last week. Their police mainly take the brunt of their animal...

Mrs. Labow: That's what I...

Mr. Canning: ...control issues and if they have to they'll hold them until we get there. They understand that there may be a situation where we're on the far side of Bryam and it's going to be a good 45 minutes before we get down there...

Mrs. Labow: Right.

Mr. Canning: ...at optimal speed. That's the agreement we have for one year, we're going to revisit it next year and see where we are.

Mrs. Labow: Great. I just wanted clarification and I explained correctly, I just wanted to make sure. Thank you.

Mr. Canning: You're welcome.

President Mania: Any further discussion? Roll Call.

ROLL CALL: Passed unanimously

President Mania: Next is Consent Motions, Mr. Nicastro.

Mr. Perkins: No, it's not.

Mrs. Lashway: No, it's not.

Mrs. Labow: No.

President Mania: Resolution 10, I'm sorry.

Mr. Roman: I'd like to move for approval Non-Consent Resolutions 10 and 11.

Mr. Nicastro: Second.

Mr. Perkins: Second.

President Mania: Any discussion? Mr. Roman.

Mr. Roman: My purpose for bringing this to Non-Consent is to highlight the agreement that was negotiated by the Administration and Jeff and Semrau's Office...

Mrs. Labow: Pasek.

Mr. Perkins: Fred Semrau.

Mr. Roman: Fred, Jeff...

Mrs. Labow: Jeff Semrau.

Mr. Roman: They all sound alike to me. It is great to see that this is finally being resolved in a matter with which the way I read it is very beneficial to the Township and that facility is still going to be operational. Congratulations and thank you again for the excellent work.

Mrs. Labow: Excellent.

President Mania: Any other discussion? Roll Call.

ROLL CALL: **Passed unanimously**

CONSENT MOTIONS

1. Bill List. PDF Bill List

President Mania: Next we have Consent Motion, Mr. Nicastro.

Mr. Nicastro: I move the Consent Motion, Bill List.

Mr. Labow: Second.

President Mania: Any discussion? Roll Call.

Mr. Amianda: We're voting on the Bill List, right?

Mr. Perkins: Yes.

ROLL CALL: **Passed with the exception Mr. Amianda abstained on check #69204**

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS

President Mania: Administrative Reports.

Mr. Canning: Thank you, Mr. President. I've got a couple of things tonight. Council earlier today would've received a memo from me regarding the Affordable Care Act and something I want to credit our healthcare

advice that we receive in alerting us to this. In 2014, there was kind of a placation if you will under the new Affordable Care Act as we've seen in the news. It's a difficult piece of legislation to get your arms around.

Mr. Roman: It's only 2,000 pages, please, don't exaggerate.

Mr. Canning: I've never read it, I won't be one of the ones who claim that I've read it unless I get sleepy. In this particular instance, since we are an employer over 100 personnel, it was alerted to us that we have to do certain things. One of them is called a look back period. I tried doing it as pithy as I could in the memo, but it's still kind of a complex subject. In essence, the question before us and what we're recommending is do we do a three month, six month or twelve month look back in 2014 and the danger or the downside for the Township of Mount Olive, should we choose to do a twelve month look back and find that we have part-time personnel that are over 30 hours in the average. Even if that person is no longer in the employment of the Township, we now owe twelve months prospectively of medical, which could be upwards over \$30,000.00 in a family plan. I met with Sherry and Christie and Debbie Bonanno and then the Mayor again earlier today, we are pretty confident, the Mayor is very pleased with the recommendation we've made, which is a three month look back period. We are in that analysis right now and I guess we'll get it probably early next week from Debbie. We feel there are possibly, there may be one or two employees possibly, in the Library that may be in that category and there may be none. We won't know until the analysis comes in, but at worst we're looking at three months of medical bills under the Affordable Care Act. In addition, in the memo I outlined there's strict procedures and policies going forward. Every Department Head...we centralized our hiring process around here the last four years and we're just reminding all the Department Heads that that centralized hiring and on boarding is more important now than ever. We want to make sure we don't have the situation where we have part-time summer help or some type of people coming on board without our knowing it or slipping through the cracks and hey, you know, work more hours next work week, work more hours, next thing we know we owe some medical. We just tried tightening up procedures, it's a lot more administrative oversight on our part, I don't view it a huge danger as long as it's managed properly. We wanted to make sure Council was apprised of where we're going with this next year.

President Mania: Sean, I thought you worked them 25 hours, what does that do for us?

Mr. Canning: We're fine. We're fine.

President Mania: No problem?

Mr. Canning: Currently...

President Mania: So we have to make sure that's what we do, right?

Mr. Perkins: Right.

Mr. Canning: We define our policy as a permanent part-timer is anybody under 37.5 hours per week. Now, our policy also said they were not entitled to medical benefits. That obviously flies in the face of the Affordable Care Act, in which we lose. In the policy statement, even though a permanent part-timer is defined as less than 37.5, it's incumbent upon all Department Heads that we don't have any part-timers working on an average over 30 hours. That's for the entire three month period. I'll give you an example, the police have dispatcher training coming on the first two weeks, forty hours because they have to by nature of their business have 40 hours of training on 911 and emergency medical dispatch. Thereafter though for the three month period, their hours are such that they're not even going to approach the 30 hour average, so we'll be fine. Again, the Chief is alerted to this, all the Department Heads received this today and we're going to speak about it not only in next week's Agenda Meeting, in our early January staff meeting.

President Mania: Thank you, Sean.

Mr. Canning: You're welcome.

President Mania: Mr. Roman.

Mr. Roman: What was the rationale for choosing the three verses the twelve because it sounds like what you were just describing that it might be beneficial to do the twelve because you can average out those hours over a year if say the seasonal work comes along and we spike them up to say 35 hours, but then if we average them out throughout the year...

Mr. Canning: My worry is this, last year's summer help, our areas that we view as our danger areas sort to speak in this regard are our Recreation Department, which has a slew of summer help and I can't say for sure and tell you right here that last summer they weren't working an extraordinary number of hours. The likelihood that maybe we wouldn't be over 12 months, we wouldn't run afoul of it, probably you're right. I'm not holding a bet on that. Whereas our three month look back now, you know October to December around here is fairly quiet, we have some weekend events with the Farmers Market wrapping up and some other things, our summer help and our community college kids in DPW are all gone, they're off the books, so if anything this was our opportune time this past three months. Again, the one outlier out there and it would've been this way in the summertime too is the library, they're kind of an entity unto themselves even though they're not a utility. Even though they are Township of Mount Olive employees and they come under our medical costs, were we to do the 12-month and they're to run afoul of that, we may owe somebody a full years worth of medical as opposed to three months. So, it's kind of just cutting our losses sort to speak if we run afoul of this.

Mr. Roman: If it's a three month look back that we're doing, so we're doing it every quarter going forward.

Mr. Canning: Yes. It's incumbent upon us in 2015 that we make sure, and here's the tricky part with the Affordable Care Act, it's going to fall on Christie and I and Sherry and Debbie, every three months we have to make sure that we basically report...and here's the funny part, Health and Human Services has not established a mechanism as to who we send this memo to, so we're going to send it to ADP or a document company and I'll send Council a memo and we'll memorialize it somehow. Maybe we'll start doing Resolutions every quarter to memorialize it. So every three months for our existing employees and then when we hire, for example if we hire somebody February 15th, like I said in my memo for that individual I have to have a tickler in my Google file of May 15th we have to verify that that person did not run afoul of the three month look back provision, so every part-timer you hire, there's a season which will become concerning come around May, June, depending what Recreation does and DPW does for the summer, so we have to manage it carefully.

Mr. Roman: If we run afoul are we looking at just having to supply health benefits for a three month period?

Mr. Canning: Three months, yes. The downside, again I didn't want to run into a full year, a full year can cost more than \$30,000.00 if not more for a family plan.

Mr. Roman: The full year doesn't insulate us by being able to average out, to bring down those peaks that have occurred?

Mr. Canning: We considered that, but I didn't want to go back and touch upon last summer. We weren't anticipating this last summer and we only have eight days to do this, this has to be in by next week. With the holidays coming up, I suppose if I sat here next week quite a bit, I would do it for you, but...

Mr. Roman: I trust that you chose the option that is in our best interest.

Mr. Canning: Thank you.

President Mania: Mrs. Labow.

Mrs. Labow: Alex asked one of the questions I was going to ask, but the other one, when you're talking about the summer help, some of those people are no longer here. So, if you did the 12-month, it would go for how long that they were employed. So, say if they were part-time for three months and they went 40 hours on average then you don't have them for the full-time to average it out further, to bring it down the total. Is that...

Mr. Canning: The downside of this from what I'm being told is say if we had an employee that worked part-time 20 hours there, 15 hours here through the spring, stayed on Recreation, I'm just picking on them, and made it over 30 hours through the year because he worked so much this summer and we did the 12-month look back. Even if they didn't come back to work here in Mount Olive, we'd owe them one full year of full medical benefits and if it's a family plan, you're paying for somebody that's not even in your employ.

Mrs. Labow: You wouldn't have the whole year to average it out, you'd have a shorter period of time because they are seasonal.

Mr. Canning: Yes and if they work such that...that was the downside I wasn't willing to gamble on. I was very comfortable and the Mayor agreed, this past three months was a very quiet time for us so in essence, whether it was intentional or not by the legislation, the fall is almost a perfect time to kind of look back because it's just a quieter time.

Mrs. Labow: Yes. I was thinking the same thing. I mean if you don't have the benefit of averaging out for the whole entire year, you don't want to go back 12 months. I agree.

Mr. Canning: Yes. There's less employees here, October to December is a very quiet time.

Mrs. Labow: Good choice.

Mr. Canning: We're winding down for the year.

Mrs. Labow: So what'll happen is every three months you have to do it, so while a benefit would've been to go 12 months, it would be less work, but on the other hand, it's better to keep on top...

Mr. Canning: Another concern, as good as we are, we can pat ourselves on the back, a lot of things happen over twelve months and if we get to next December I would not want to sit here next December and say, oops...

Mrs. Labow: Oops, yes, we don't want that kind of oops.

Mr. Canning: ...I just cost you at minimum \$30,000.00, if not more.

Mrs. Labow: Sounds good.

Mr. Canning: I may not be sitting here the following January.

President Mania: Bummer.

Mrs. Labow: Thank you.

Mr. Canning: The good news is out of this is come January 1, 2016, the look back period as far as the individual people go away and everybody is on that same three month schedule, so I'm being told unless they change it again.

Mrs. Labow: Yes.

President Mania: Any other questions?

Mr. Canning: Thank you. Sorry to give you that good news two days before Christmas. A couple of other things, 9:00 am this Tuesday, we have our Agenda Meeting like we always do before Council. The thing that'll make this a little bit special is that we'll be giving our Second Annual Emmett Brown, Professor Emmett Brown Award. If you recall last year, the professor from Back to the Future, that was an internal award, it was kind of a tongue and cheek award, but I am happy to say, and Sherry is one of the nominees this year, we have eight nominees from around the building this year and I spoke with the Mayor today and we have it down to three finalists. We give them a little Chia Pet head of Professor Einstein, they get a \$100.00 gift certificate, the two runners up get a \$25.00 gift certificate sponsored by myself and the Mayor and they get a nice plaque with Professor Emmet Brown on there. It was a tongue and cheek thing, but to kind of encourage innovation and it's not so much that it's great customer service, it's that you had to be a little bit innovative in municipal government and it's kind of caught on. This Tuesday, we'll be making our award at our meeting. I want to thank the Police Department, I thought they did a terrific job. Several months ago, Council received some concerns about Clover Hill Drive speeding and as we've seen here before they requested speed bumps right away. Since we've discussed it several years ago, the policy as Council has given it to me was education, enforcement and then engineering. The Police Department, especially Sergeant Pocquat have taken on the task the last two months of really examining and identifying the problem on Clover Hill Drive. If you read that report, they do have a speeding problem down there, so they're going to start with the education component followed by enforcement and then do a follow up and we'll see from there. I think it's a sounder plan than just going right to speed bumps or what have you.

Mrs. Labow: I have a question.

Mr. Canning: Sure.

Mrs. Labow: Mr. Mania.

President Mania: Mrs. Labow.

Mrs. Labow: For Clover Hill, I mean the big problem is the fact that it is a cut through. That's a popular part and it is the main artery going through that development, but I really, I know I've said this before, but I really think the speed limit...the signs that show what your speed is...I just think that they are so much more effective than speed bumps.

Mr. Canning: They're great. I agree. I think in the budget they put in for a couple of extra signs. I'd really like to make them mobile and really bring them around town. I know on Corey Road coming up from Flanders-Netcong, that one is burnt out, the Chief of Police knows about it, but the other side is still working. I see people, I see them speeding, I see them slowing down, I think it's a great tool.

Mrs. Labow: It really...it's just...the thing is if somebody yells at you slow down, you can't turn around and say I'm not speeding, it's showing right there that you are speeding.

Mr. Canning: Yes. They can't argue with that.

Mrs. Labow: It's so much...it's better than having to maintain the speed bumps all the time.

Mr. Canning: Yes. I want to congratulate Sergeant Pocquat, he's been doing a good job...

Mrs. Labow: He's good.

Mr. Canning: ...with the concerns.

Mrs. Labow: Very good.

Mr. Canning: Last Tuesday, I was at the Chester Borough Council Meeting. As you've seen the sanitation agreement was pushed through. They had quite a debate down there and it wasn't...it was more of a philosophical debate on their part. They're making a drastic seat change on their part because they've always had the sticker program where you kind of pay...they call it fair and equitable, so if I put out one bag of garbage or five bags of garbage, it's proportionate, from that they've taken the leap of spreading that cost out among their Borough. They're very excited, they drive through Mount Olive...as a matter of fact when this came up to them, I was very happy to hear, I was there for a couple of hours and the Council really had an in depth discussion on this. Almost all of them did a survey of the Mount Olive residents on Face book of their friends, the reception they got and then they read it at the Council meeting, it was very positive. I was glad to hear that because I was kind of like cool. The residents up here, now that the hiccups are kind of gone are very happy with the service. Almost all of them drove through our streets here and they even said the streets look great, especially on garbage day. If there's not recycling piled next to it, it's just the cans, they said they want their town to look like that as well. They're excited for the service. We met again today with the DPW and we'll be ready to go on January 7th. I'm glad to see that that was successful.

Mrs. Labow: Excellent.

Mr. Canning: The last thing I have was this morning there was an incident at the DPW yard. There was a less than a two gallon diesel spill. It happens from time to time, sometimes the nozzles come off, they drive away, there's human error, usually followed up by we do a causation and whether there's discipline or not, but the issue here was there was some concern between DPW, Fire and the Police Department. As is our procedure, less than five gallons and the JIF backs us up, less than five gallons you're allowed to clean up by speedy dry. We document it, we contact, in this case we contacted the Fire Department and the Police, who in turn contacted County Haz Mat. Haz Mat came out, they examined what was going on, they're very confident it's a less than two gallon spill. They have to document it, they have to notify DEP, so DEP will be examining it. We saved all the speedy dry and the grit. We ran out of speedy dry at one point which is what caused the concern. There was not enough speedy dry, the vendor didn't get it here in time, the Fire Department brought theirs. If you hear of anything, it was less than a two gallon spill, I know it was put on Face book a simulation that it was excess of 10 gallons. The County responded and they verified it was less than two gallons. It was a rainy day and if you drop a drop or two of gasoline, kerosene, diesel into a water pond, it looks like the entire thing is a slick. I wanted Council to know that that happened earlier today. There was some internal concern, by this afternoon all frayed nerves seem to have been okay, but I just wanted to put it out there so everybody knows what's going on.

Mrs. Labow: How did it happen?

Mr. Canning: Human error.

Mrs. Labow: Oh, it was.

Mr. Canning: I don't want to divulge the violator.

Mrs. Labow: It wasn't like something broke. Okay.

Mr. Canning: Somebody drove away with a nozzle, fortunately the nozzle is fine. Some diesel spilled and they put it back, it happens from time to time. It's human beings, things happen and usually there's discipline or there's not. We'll have to look into that.

Mrs. Labow: Okay.

President Mania: Mr. Nicastro.

Mr. Nicastro: Sean, on the...now that we have the single stream, obviously with all of that, in the recycling yard when we dump stuff here, can we still dump the...I was here twice the last two weekends, but the boxes if I'm not mistaken still say co-mingled aluminum only and paper only.

Mr. Canning: I know Timmy, when I talked to him in the past, here he's trying to keep...if you get the metal separate and you get the fiber separated...he's just trying to get a little bit better of a return if somebody's going to bring it down here.

Mr. Nicastro: The reason I'm asking is I came here twice and I'm wondering, mine is all together, so when I came here to dump it, I'm standing there going through it trying to separate it, I'm like what are we supposed to do.

Mr. Canning: I can ask him to get a comingled box. We talked about that, he wanted to keep the fiber separate just, that you get a little bit better return...you get a lot better return on the fiber than you do on the...

Mr. Nicastro: Which is fine, but I don't know if people know that like I myself didn't know.

Mr. Canning: He's going to have to disseminate that a little better.

Mr. Nicastro: You know what I mean because you bring it in from your house and I have two huge bins and I'm going through little cans trying to separate because I didn't want to dump it.

Mr. Canning: That's a valid point. I saw the initial tipping tonnage from the Fall. I'm hoping to get Council a report by February. I'd like to say our goal is a 10 percent reduction in tipping weight, tipping fees. Ten percent around here is \$70,000.00, so if it seems to be a little bit easier...I drive by, some residents I see just recycle tremendously and boy others I see a little half a can and I know darn well there's no way they're recycling. We've had...our foreman was out enforcing it, he's now on vacation and we have the acting and foreman up there enforcing and also doing his other job at the same time, so it's not easy, but we're trying to win hearts and minds one at a time.

Mr. Nicastro: That's fine. This way I'll know if I don't bring it, I'll just leave it for them, but I just wanted to know, that's all.

Mr. Canning: I'll speak to Timmy about that.

Mr. Nicastro: Okay. Thanks.

President Mania: Any other questions?

Mr. Perkins: Put it on the curb. Put it on the curb.

Mr. Nicastro: It was too much.

Mr. Perkins: Put it on the curb.

OLD BUSINESS

President Mania: Any Old Business?

Mrs. Labow: I have Old Business, Mr. Mania. Thank you, Mr. President. Last meeting we had a discussion about the snowflakes on Route 46 and I did get some further information on it. The one that was out, it turns out what happened was that when you have one of the canisters on a pole with a light, it has to be calibrated a certain way and they went out and they recalibrated and now it's working. The other thing is we do have 10 other snowflakes, they're kept with our vendor who stores them for us and we just need 10 more canisters and what Tracy Wadhams...she's been in control of all of this, she wants to put at least four more up on the highway by the lake, but unfortunately it's \$500.00 per canister to do that, so we do have the 10 snowflakes that we bought when Hackettstown was reducing their...they were changing their decorations. It would be nice to get them up and have a little bit more decorations. She wants to have some over on 206 another one or two up here at Town Hall and like I said, four, so it will be six on this side and four on Flanders, so the question is how do we come up with \$5,000.00 for the canisters. I don't know if Mr. Canning, if you could talk to our representative from JCP&L and...

Mr. Canning: Sherry informs me we have some unissued funds at the end of the year, we can do it. The only concern I have is I immediately the next day sent an email to Mr. Lynch about this.

Mrs. Labow: Right.

Mr. Canning: He said in the past JCP&L had expressed concern about certain poles on Route 46 that they didn't want them up there, but it was a 10 year old survey. I had asked him to reach back out to JCP&L, you know things change.

Mrs. Labow: Yes.

Mr. Canning: I don't see why that would be, but...

Mrs. Labow: Yes.

Mr. Canning: ...I haven't heard back yet.

Mrs. Labow: Yes. Supposedly that is not a problem, but the other thing is there was a timeframe, they need their requests for the canisters by August 1st, so if we're going to do that, if we can get the funds in there to wrap that up. I don't understand truthfully, I don't understand why they charge you for the canisters to begin with since they're making the money on the electric...

Mr. Canning: Exactly.

Mrs. Labow: ...and they have to maintain them and all...so I'm not really, so if you could find why they are charging to begin with and if we do get 10, can we get a discount.

Mr. Canning: I will tell you, I've been frustrated by this issue as well. This came up in 2012 when I had first come here and I'm sure it came up before that. I was never satisfied with the feedback I got. This one I'll handle personally, I'll be in touch with Michael Ombresky and see if I can get through. I've never been satisfied with the responses I've gotten.

Mrs. Labow: That would be wonderful because then we could at least...it would be nice to have because the ones that are by the lake, it does look pretty, it would be nice to have a couple more and to just finish it up.

Mr. Canning: Yes. I was thinking about that the other day, I was driving through, I believe Denville or Lake Hiawatha and the same thing, it was just a multitude of snowflakes...

Mrs. Labow: Theirs just...yes.

Mr. Canning: ...and it looked nice at the Christmas season.

Mrs. Labow: Yes. It really does and that's a nice, it's nice to kind of really show off the lake a little bit more at that time. It is really pretty when you see them and...alright, great. Thank you very much. I'll let Tracy know.

Mr. Canning: I'll handle with someone personally. Naturally, ask Tracy to reach out to me.

Mrs. Labow: Great. Thank you.

President Mania: Mr. Perkins.

Mr. Perkins: Thank you, Mr. President. Just to touch base on JCP&L, not unlike water purveyors or other PSE&G, they have an approved tariff and if that item is in the tariff which has gone before the Board of Public Utilities for as much as they would like to let you have five or ten of these things...

Mrs. Labow: Yes.

Mr. Perkins: ...they can't do it because it's an item that's already in there, it's included in their rate case studies, so they can't just arbitrarily go ahead and do that for us.

Mrs. Labow: Yes.

Mr. Perkins: We tried that the first time around, it didn't work.

Mrs. Labow: I know we could try again though because you never know. Just ask, it was ten years ago and ask again.

Mr. Perkins: You just have to see what's in their tariff, that's all.

Mrs. Labow: Yes.

Mr. Perkins: Thank you, Mr. President.

President Mania: Any other questions? Any New Business? Legal Matters.

NEW BUSINESS - None

LEGAL MATTERS

Mr. Pasek: Thank you, Council President. Just one item tonight. We just wanted to touch upon Resolutions 10 and 11 that Council approved tonight. We were very happy to bring these both to resolution. The Resolution of the tax appeal with the New Jersey Housing and Mortgage Finance Agency resulted in 2014 pilot payment to the Township, which we view as essentially windfall since the property was exempt for 2013-14. Our resolution of the pilot agreement with the new perspective purchaser, Paragon Senior Living, we also believe is a great result to the Township as it will result in additional revenue to the Township, substantial, potentially substantial, additional revenue to the Township for the life of the agency mortgage. Again, we're very excited to be a part of this as we always are when we're part of something that brings a great benefit to the Township. That's my report tonight.

Mr. Nicaastro: Thank you.

Mr. Roman: Thank you.

Mrs. Labow: I have a legal question. How's everything going with Cobblestone?

Mr. Pasek: I would have to check with Tracy from my office, she's been handling that...

Mrs. Labow: Okay.

Mr. Pasek: ...but we can get Council an update.

Mrs. Labow: Okay, good because we were supposed to have the water test two weeks ago.

Mr. Pasek: Sean.

Mrs. Labow: Right?

Mr. Pasek: Maybe Sean can answer that.

Mr. Canning: The initial results were very positive.

Mrs. Labow: Okay.

Mr. Canning: Where we're at right now, I believe there's some dialogue going back and forth between the property owner's attorney and Fred, so there seems to be possibility of some negotiation despite being far apart and I don't want to elaborate further. The water tests were positive. We're speaking to Homeless Solutions. They look like they are prepared to re-evaluate, certainly not the amount of units they were initially seeking, so they are going to re-evaluate where they're at. It looks like it's a go at this point, but we're slowly prepared to go ahead. If we get to that point where we acquire the property and they re-evaluate, that's going to go through the Planning Board process. I know there's a lot of angst and concern over in that neighborhood and the Planning Board process is the appropriate form and I've been telling people that I know, the Mayor has been telling them, I'm sure Council has been...

Mrs. Labow: I've been, yes.

Mr. Canning: ...they'll have their day in court sort to speak at those public hearings. They'll be able to express all of those concerns, but the water issue seems to be satisfactory.

Mrs. Labow: I just have one more question.

President Mania: Mrs. Labow.

Mrs. Labow: We were going to send notice to all of the surrounding neighbors when you...did you...were you able to do that?

Mr. Canning: Several times after the beating I took the first time. I was not going to repeat that one again.

Mrs. Labow: Yes. So how is the response now? Are they glad, they understand we're keeping them informed and up to date?

Mr. Canning: Yes. I didn't get any...I did not receive any negative feedback after the last testing, we were proactive...

Mrs. Labow: I think they appreciate...yes, from what I've heard, they appreciate getting...being kept in the loop sort to speak so I think that's wonderful. Communication is a...

Mr. Canning: It's a lesson I once knew and I forgot and I paid the price for it.

Mrs. Labow: ...wonderful thing. That's okay. Thank you.

President Mania: Council Reports. Mr. Amianda.

COUNCIL REPORTS

Board of Education

Mr. Amianda: Yes, Mr. President. The Board of Education met yesterday, December 22, 2014 at 6:30 pm at the Board Office. The Board received a first quarter student progress report from Dr. Larrie Reynolds, the Superintendent. Our schools are committed to education excellence. As part of our Pathway to Education Excellence in the district, each school building has set goals and improvement plans. This year's first quarter student reports were better than last year. The Board also received a school auditor's report based on the recommendations of the New Jersey Department of Education. The auditor reviewed the financial and management side of the budget. The auditor's report was very good. The Board of Education Reorganization will take place on January 5, 2015 at 6:30 pm at the Board Office. That's the end of the report.

President Mania: Thank you. Mr. Ferrante.

Environmental Committee - none

Library Board Liaison - none

Lake Issues - none

Mr. Ferrante: I have no reports.

President Mania: Mrs. Labow.

Senior Citizen Liaison - none

Economic Development Committee Report - none

TNR Program

Mrs. Labow: Thank you, Mr. President. For TNR, I just have one comment I want to make. They're kind of concerned, they're still having a few issues with Dr. Golub in terms of we thought that when cats or dogs were brought there, there would be an exam and they did recently pick up a cat that had a terrible situation of mites in their ears and fleas and I don't understand why that's not being taken care of. I know we've had the discussion numerous times, so...

Mr. Canning: Did they get in touch with Frank?

Mrs. Labow: Well, it's gone back and forth. There's a bunch of emails going back and forth and Frank thought that Golub was doing a medical exam, apparently they didn't, they didn't treat them because when they got the cat it was full of the fleas and the mites.

Mr. Canning: That's a violation of their contract. It's the first I've heard of it, so I'll have to look into it.

Mrs. Labow: Yes. Ask Frank about it because I know it was two, I mean the mites and the fleas and you can't miss those sort of things, you know. I thought that he had to treat... as soon as a cat or a dog came in he has to treat them.

Mr. Canning: That was part of the RFQ.

Mrs. Labow: I think there's a little bit of a discrepancy because something was said about well Frank has to authorize it, but I thought it was automatic up to \$300.00 was what I understood.

Mr. Canning: As I recall it was automatic up to \$300.00 as well.

Mrs. Labow: Yes, that's what I...

Mr. Canning: I'll verify that. Like I said this is the first I'm hearing about it, so I'm going to have to look into it.

Mrs. Labow: Yes because every time something like that happens, you know how passionate everyone is about that and the thought of any...

Mr. Canning: It's been quiet.

Mrs. Labow: ...to have an animal sitting there suffering like that is crazy, especially when we thought we already had it taken care of. I know we've tried to get other vendors and it hasn't worked out yet and it's really frustrating so...

Mr. Canning: We have a two year contract with Dr. Golub. I've gone through bids and RFQ's and really jumped through every hoop I possibly could to expand and he's the only vendor that ever happened and it's...

Mrs. Labow: Every single time.

Mr. Canning: ...not to disparage him, but he's the only vendor and it's a legal process so we have a two year contract. I will say in his defense, this is the first I've heard of anything since last spring, so...

Mrs. Labow: Well there hasn't...

Mr. Canning: Let me look into it and find out what the facts are.

Mrs. Labow: There haven't been a lot of animals that's probably why. The other thing, the other point that was made and I think this resonates even more so is the fact that as a vet and a boarding facility why would you want an animal that has fleas, why wouldn't you treat them because it just goes on the other animals there and they will get them. That's the part that blows our mind, like why wouldn't he do that, especially because he's going to get paid for it. I know...

Mr. Canning: I don't have a comment.

Mrs. Labow: It's a rhetorical question there, but thank you very much for checking into that. I'll let them know. Thank you. I have no other reports.

President Mania: Mr. Perkins.

Mr. Perkins: Thank you, Mr. President. Sean, I will pine on that. If memory serves me well, I'm getting older so it's not always as sharp, but statute requires that a licensed veterinary facility treat every animal...

Mrs. Labow: Every animal.

Mr. Perkins: ...that is brought in. They have to do a complete examination and treat it.

Mrs. Labow: Yes.

Mr. Perkins: I don't know if it says within reason or something, but it is a statute, so it is required. Frank can give you that.

Mrs. Labow: Yes.

Mr. Canning: Yes. There is no doubt there's the obligation, whether statutorily in addition to our own contract of contractual obligation with the Township. Again, I don't know the facts, I don't want to comment until...

Mr. Perkins: Absolutely.

Mr. Canning: ...we look into it and know what's going on.

Mr. Perkins: Yes.

Mrs. Labow: Yes. Frank knows all about it, so...

Mr. Canning: Okay.

Mr. Perkins: It's in your hands that way. Next.

President Mania: Mr. Perkins.

MOTV Committee Liaison

Mr. Perkins: I am happy to say thank you to Miss Brett for working together with Dr. Reynolds now that Mount Olive Television is up and running again. It'll be interesting as we move forward into the first six months of next year to see what else we may be able to get aired and get our Ordinance changes I have mentioned before. That's it Council. That's it.

President Mania: Thank you, Mr. Perkins. Mr. Roman.

Recreation Liaison Report - none

Open Space Committee Report - none

Mr. Roman: I have nothing to report.

President Mania: Mr. Nicastro

Board of Health Report

Legislative Committee Report - none

Mr. Nicastro: Nothing on Legislative. Health Department, last week we met and had our Christmas or holiday dinner and then we wrapped up a short meeting and...

President Mania: Where did you have your dinner at?

Mr. Nicastro: Over at Longhorn. We were at Longhorn.

Mr. Perkins: Dr. Abrams likes Longhorn, so we always try to go there, it's quick.

Mr. Nicastro: Yes. Other than that, that was it, wrapped up some things and agreements and that was it.

Planning Board Report

President Mania: Planning Board, we gave an extension to section two of Morris Hunt to 2017. There were lots there that had been declared years ago by DEP as wet lots and with the construction of phase I, some of those lots have dried up, so...it's amazing. Anyway, we gave them an extension to 2017.

Mrs. Labow: Mr. Mania, I have a question.

President Mania: Pardon.

Mrs. Labow: I have a question about that. When you say you gave them an extension to 2017, are they going to reapply to see if they can build on those lots that were considered wet lots and then you'll go from there?

President Mania: Yes.

Mrs. Labow: It's amazing. Thank you.

PUBLIC PORTION

President Mania: Anyone from the public wish to be heard? If not, I'll close it to the public. Council Comments. Mr. Amianda.

COUNCIL COMMENTS

Mr. Amianda: Yes, Mr. President. As I come to the end of my first year on the Council, I would like to say that it was a pleasure and a privilege to have worked with all of you and I look forward to working with you, with all of you next year. I would like to thank the Mayor, all Administrators and all Council persons for the honor. I wish you and your families' peaceful holidays and a Happy New Year.

President Mania: Thank you, Mr. Amianda. Mr. Ferrante.

Mr. Ferrante: I just want to wish everyone here, our residents, our staff a Happy and Healthy New Year.

President Mania: Thank you. Mrs. Labow.

Mrs. Labow: Thank you. I want to say, Mr. Amianda, it has been a pleasure working with you also your first year and I want to thank you for your Board of Ed reports, I find them to be very detailed and interesting, so thank you very much. I also want to say I think it's been a really fantastic year and as always, it is a privilege and honor to serve the residents and businesses in Mount Olive and I hope everyone has a wonderful holiday season and a very, very Happy, Healthy, Prosperous New Year. Thank you.

President Mania: Mr. Perkins.

Mr. Perkins: Thank you, Mr. President. Since the Mount Olive TV will no longer be airing this because it only stays on for an hour, it's like you have to time these things to be an hour, Mr. President. First off, again as everyone is aware, this is my last full year that I will be representing the Township on the Council. My final day where I will hand in my key and card to our Township Clerk will be on June 30th, so that will be the last day, it's kind of a bittersweet feeling to sit here. I guess I've been privileged because I've been honored that the residents of the Township voted me four consecutive times to represent them, so from that standpoint it's been rewarding. Great year, kudos to the Mayor, the Administration for all their hard work, our Clerk's Office for everything that they do, shared services, going back to a dear friend of ours, Mr. John Biondi, past Council member. We started pushing for shared services especially among our volunteer groups. Our Health Department was probably one of the first, if not the first department in the Municipality here that reached out and began to do shared services and now we've picked up in sanitation, our animal control has reached out in different small ways. As Rob and I have always said, we want to be here in Mount Olive the regional supplier for shared services. We don't want to have anybody taking care of us, we want to help take care of them. God Bless everyone. I hope that was politically correct and if not, sorry. Have a great Merry Christmas, Happy New Year and be safe.

President Mania: Thank you, Mr. Perkins. Mr. Roman.

Mr. Roman: In light of the tragic events that happened this past Saturday in New York City, I'd like to remind all of us to keep in our prayers, the families of NYPD officers Rafael Ramos and Wenjian Liu and if we happen to come upon any officers throughout our daily activities to send them a thank you. Also, I'd like to give

everyone here a warm Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and I look forward to another prosperous new year. Thank you.

President Mania: Mr. Nicastro.

Mr. Nicastro: Yes, thank you. I'd like to thank you John Mania as President for leading us this year...

President Mania: Thank you.

Mr. Nicastro: ...thank you for everything you've done. I'd like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and it is privilege to be here and sit here and I appreciate being here. Thank you.

President Mania: First of all, I'd like say Mr. Perkins, you will be sorely missed. You have certainly been an asset as a Councilmember to this community. We will miss you.

Mrs. Labow: He still has six months left, John.

Mr. Perkins: Six more months to make your life pure hell.

Mr. Roman: Until then you will be an asset without the et.

Mr. Perkins: That's it, without the et.

President Mania: Secondly, I'd like to take this opportunity to thank the Council for giving me the opportunity to serve as Council President this past year. Cooperation of both the Administration and Council made the office of President a pleasure and I thank you for giving me that opportunity. Thirdly, I'd like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas, a Happy and Healthy New Year and may God Bless. Motion to adjourn.

ADJOURNMENT - Motion made and seconded. All in favor, none opposed, the meeting was adjourned at 8:07 p.m.

Joe Nicastro, Council President

I, Michelle Masser, Deputy Township Clerk of Mount Olive do hereby certify that the foregoing Minutes are a true and correct copy of the Minutes approved at a legally convened meeting of the Mount Olive Township Council duly held on January 20, 2015.

Michelle Masser, Deputy Township Clerk

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