

**REORGANIZATION MEETING
JANUARY 7, 2021**

Reorganization Meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover, County of Morris and State of New Jersey, on Thursday, January 7, 2021, at 5:00 o'clock in the evening, prevailing time via Zoom meeting

The meeting was called to order by Township Clerk/Business Administrator Joseph A. Giorgio.

STATEMENT BY PRESIDING OFFICER:

Mayor: Welcome to the Township Committee Meeting of January 7, 2021 I am going to ask our Business Administrator Giorgio to read the opening statement and bring the roll call to order.

Mr. Giorgio:

Adequate and electronic notice of this meeting has been provided in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act and the Emergency Remote Meeting Protocol for Local Public Bodies by posting the notice and agenda of the meeting on the bulletin board in the Municipal Building, 1000 Route 10, Township of Hanover and by posting notice on the Township's website at www.Hanovertownship.com, posting notice on the outside front door of the Municipal Building and by emailing the notice and agenda to the following newspapers:

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MORRIS COUNTY'S DAILY RECORD
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and by filing same with the Township Clerk.

During this remote Re-Organization Meeting members of the public will be muted on Zoom at the end of the meeting it will be Open to The Public and if you would like to speak during that designated portion please press 9 on your telephone or the reactions icon on the zoom application and wait to be recognized by the host who will unmute you to speak, when you are done with your comments the host will then again mute you. Please be advised that there is a five-minute time limit on all public comments.

(Signed) Joseph A. Giorgio, Township Clerk

Mr. Giorgio: As the Mayor pointed out this our January 7, 2021 Re-Organization Meeting this is the first time we are doing it live via Zoom and I welcome you on behalf of the Governing Body. At this time we will take the roll call of the three sitting members not including the two members who will be installed this evening.

CALL TO ORDER/ROLL ZOOM CALL:

At this time the first order of business is to call roll of the Members of the Township Committee that sit on the dais in accordance with the Open Public's Meeting Act.

Deputy Mayor Thomas "Ace" Gallagher – Here
Committeeman Ronald F. Francioli - Here
Mayor John Ferramosca – Here

All Members in attendance.

INVOCATION:

Fr. Alex Nevitt, Parochial Vicar, Notre Dame of Mt. Carmel Roman Catholic Church:

Mr. Giorgio: It a great pleasure and honor for me to invite Father Alex to be with us this evening because I have watched Father Alex grow from a young man into manhood, I

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have known him since 7th grade and as a Eucharistic Minister at St. Rose of Lima Roman Catholic Church I have watched as Father Alex served as an alter server, than Father Roland Moran took him under his wing at St. Rose of Lima and mentored him into becoming the great Priest he is today. Father Alex was ordained at the Basilica St. John the Baptist Church on May 11, 2019 and it was a distinct honor for me as a Member of the Knights of Columbus to serve as the Honor Guard on May 12, 2019 when Father Alex gave his first mass at St. Rose of Lima so it is certainly an honor for me that Father Alex is with us, so at this time I would ask all of you please stand so Father Alex can bestow his first prayer.

Father Alex: Joe just to be clear it was when I was in 7th grade not you!!

I stand before you Holy Spirit, conscience of our sinfulness but aware that we gather in your name, come to us remain with us and enlighten our hearts. Give us light and strength to know your will to make it our own and to live it in our lives. Guide us by your wisdom, support us by your power for you are our God sharing in the glory of Father and Son. You desire justice for all, enable us to uphold the rights of others do not allow us to be misled by ignorance or corrupted by fear or favor. Unite us to yourself and the mound of love and he was faithful to all that is true, as we gather in your name and we temper justice with love that all of our decisions can be pleasing to you and earn the reward promised to good and faithful servants, you who live and reign the Father, Son, One God forever and ever Amen.

STATEMENT OF COUNTY BOARD OF CANVASSERS

Mr. Giorgio: The first order of business will be to read into the record the Statements of Determination concerning the November 3, 2020 General Election. The Statement of the Determination of the Board of Canvassers relative to an Election held in the Township of Hanover County of Morris and State of New Jersey for the Election of certain Municipal Officers for the municipality on the 3rd day of November 2020. The said Board does determine that at the said election that Brian J. Cahill was elected to serve a 3 year term as a Member of the Hanover Township Committee and that Michael A. Mihalko was also elected to serve a term of 3 years as a Member of the Township Committee.

The second Statement of Determination reads as follows: The Statement of the Determination of the Board of Canvassers relative to a School Election held in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey for the Election of certain school board members for the Municipality of Hanover Park Regional and Hanover Township on the 3rd day of November 2020. The said board does determine that at said election the following individuals were elected to serve Three Year Terms in the following capacity:

James A. Herbert	Regional Board of Education	3 Year Term
Gina Marie Winkler	Local Board of Education	3 Year Term
Linda White	Local Board of Education	3 Year Term
Marcela M. Wilson	Local Board of Education	3 Year Term

INSTALLATION OF COMMITTEEPERSONS – ELECT:

Mr. Giorgio: Oaths of Office Administered on Monday, January 4, 2021 it was distinct honor and pleasure to swear in Committeeman Elect Brian J. Cahill and Committeeman Elect Michael A. Mihalko. They were formally sworn in holding their hands on the Bible and repeating the Oath. Although that was done on Monday, I would like to ask both Brian and Michael to raise their right hand again, repeat their names and again take the Oath of Office for this formal session.

The Oath of Office was administered to Committeeman-Elect Brian J. Cahill by Joseph A. Giorgio, Business Administrator/Township Clerk on January 4, 2021.

The Oath of Office was administered to Committeeman-Elect Michael A. Mihalko by Joseph A. Giorgio, Business Administrator/Township Clerk Township on January 4, 2021.

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ORGANIZATION:

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN

Member Ferramosca made the motion to appoint Joseph A. Giorgio, Township Clerk/Administrator as Temporary Chairman of the Reorganization Meeting and Member Francioli second the motion and was unanimously passed.

NOMINATION OF CHAIRMAN FOR 2021

The Temporary Chairman called for nominations for the position of Chairman of the Township Committee for the year 2021. He noted that whoever was elected serve as the Chairman of the Township Committee and Mayor.

Member Ferramosca was nominated for the position of Chairman by Member Gallagher. The motion was seconded and closed all other nominations was by Member Francioli and was unanimously passed.

RESOLUTION NO. 1-2021

**A RESOLUTION APPOINTING THE CHAIRMAN OF THE TOWNSHIP
COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HANOVER FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2021**

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover, in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, that

JOHN L. FERRAMOSCA

is hereby appointed Chairman of the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover, and so designated as Mayor, for the year 2021 or until his successor shall be appointed and qualified.

AYES: Members Cahill, Francioli, Gallagher and Mihalko

NOES: None

ABSTAINED:

Mr. Giorgio: It is also customary to select a Member of the Township Committee to serve as the Deputy Mayor.

Mayor Ferramosca made the motion to appoint Thomas "Ace" Gallagher to serve as our Vice Chair/Deputy Mayor and motion was seconded by Member Mihalko and unanimously passed.

PRESENTATION OF GAVEL TO NEW CHAIRMAN

Mr. Giorgio: Mr. Chairman it gives me great pleasure to turn over the virtual gavel to you.

Mayor: Thank you for passing on the virtual gavel. I would like to thank the Township Committee for their confidence in me to serve as the Chair of this Committee for 2021 and I would also like to congratulate Mr. Gallagher again to serve our Committee as the Deputy Mayor and I look forward to working very closely with him throughout the course of the year. I would also like to extend congratulations to Committeeman Mihalko and Cahill on their reelections it is great to have you as part of the team and you both do wonderful jobs and we appreciate you very much.

And an extended congratulations to our newly elected and reelected members of the Board of Education they do a wonderful job as well serving the people of the Township. At this time I would also like to welcome some distinguished guests who are at our meeting tonight, Commissioners Krickus, Commissioner Shaw we welcome you

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and thank you for attending. Sheriff Jim Gannon we welcome and thank you for attending as well.

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and by filing same with the Township Clerk.

ROLL CALL:

PRESENT: Members Ferramosca, Gallagher, Mihalko, Cahill and Mayor Francioli

ABSENT:

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Mr. Giorgio: As part of the Re-organization we must make the authorizations of various appointments by the Governing Body and this will be taken as a consent agenda.

RESOLUTION NO. 2-2021

**A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING REGULAR APPOINTMENTS
FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2021**

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, that the following individuals are hereby appointed to the following positions for the term of one year, or as indicated, or until their successors shall be appointed and qualified:

Township Attorney	Fred Semrau, Esq. & Firm of Dorsey & Semrau (1 Year)
Auditors	Kathryn L. Mantell & Firm of Nisivoccia LLP (1Year)
Business Administrator/ Township Clerk	Joseph A. Giorgio (6 Months)
Deputy Township Clerk	Catherine V. Iacouzzi (6 Months)
Municipal Prosecutor	Peter King, Esq. (1Year)
Alt. Municipal Prosecutor	Douglas Cabana, Esq. (1 Year)
Substitute/Alternate Municipal Prosecutors	38 Municipalities (1 Year)
Public Defender	John Barbarula, Esq.(1Year)
Alt. Public Defender	Dino Mambelli, Esq. (1 Year)
Court Administrator	Lauren Dalgauer (1 Year)
Full-Time Deputy Court Administrators	Aimee Jones (1 Year) Denise Buoye (1 Year) Linda DiArchangel (1Year)
Part-Time Violations Clerk	Vacant
CMFO/Treasurer/Utilities	Silvio Esposito (1 Year)
Collector/Tax Search Officer	Silvio Esposito (1 Year)
Assessment Search Officer	Gerardo Maceira (1 Year)
Affirmative Action Public Agency Compliance Officer	Joseph A. Giorgio (6 Months)
American with Disabilities Act Coordinator	Joseph A. Giorgio (6 Months)

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Commissioner to North Jersey Health Benefits Fund	Silvio Esposito (1 Year)
Commissioner to Morris County Municipal JIF Alternate	Silvio Esposito (1 Year)
Community Development	Mark Roddy (1 Year)
Revenue Sharing	Gerardo Maceira (1 year)
Program Committee	David Leo
Representatives	Joseph A. Giorgio
Hanover Sewerage Authority	Denise Brennan
Planning Board Class I	Dennis Fashano (5 Years)
Planning Board Class III	John L. Ferramosca (1 Year)
Board of Adjustment	Thomas "Ace" Gallagher (1 Year)
Alterate 1	John Caruso (4 Years)
Alternate 2	Carol Giorgio (4 Years)
Environmental Commission	John Carona (2 Years)
	John Donaldson (2 Years)
	Dennis Wilson (3 Years)
	Dennis Dittrick (3 Years)
	John L. Ferramosca (3 years)
Landmark Commission	Michael Czuchnicki (4 Years)
	Robert Hinck (4 Years)
Alternate 1	Rachel Conte (2 Years)
Cultural Arts Committee	3 Vacancies (3 Years)
	George Coppola (3 Years)
	Joanne McHugh (3 Years)
Recreation Commission	Robert Brueno (5 Years)
Whippany River Water Shed	Dennis Dittrick (1 Year)
	John L. Ferramosca (1 Year)
Office of Emergency Mgmt.	Thomas Quirk (3 Years)
	Peter Berkenkamp (1 Year)
	Joseph Giorgio
	Paul Miller
	Carlos Perez
	Joseph Cortright
	Chad DiGiorgio
	Michael Loock
	David White
	James Davidson
	Howard Olsen
	Dale Cowley
	Shawn Waldron
	Jack Koba
	Robert Lake
	Thomas Quirk, III
	MaryBeth Cowley
	Josh Makowski
	Ralph Melchiorre
	Paul Perrello
	Noel Scheffen
	Craig Vagell Sr.
	Carl Weinacker
Economic Development	John Ferramosca (1 Year)
Advisory Committee	Thomas "Ace" Gallagher (1 Year)
Alternate 2	Maria Florio (2 Years)
Alternate 5	Scott A. Bartell (2 Years)
Alternate 6	Christopher Mattessich (2 Year)
Substance Awareness Council	Karen Perry
1 Year Members	Vacancy
	David Rubin
	Angela Freeman
	Shontel Miliziano
	Howard Olsen
	Trish Martin

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	Amy Giordano
	Vacancy
	Vacancy
	Grace Jacobson
	Kristen Dakak
	Deja Perpigan
	Sibila Dubac
	Kim Knauss
	Brian Palumbo
	Michael Mihalko (Liasion)
Green Team Advisory Comm	Vacancy (1 Year)
	Philip Glawe
	John Ferramosca
	Dennis Dittrick
	Vacancy
	David Leo
	John Hendricks
	Dennis Wilson
	Dennis Fashano
	Claire Matlon
	Nadia Mian
Board Of Health	Christopher Mattessich
	Dr. Stanley Zaborowski
	John R. Tort, Jr.
	Vacancy
	Dr. Robert Weger
Class III Special Law Enforcement Officers	
	Antoine Atme
	Dominic Mancini
	Timothy P. Franks
	John W. Bannon

OTHER RESOLUTIONS:

RESOLUTION NO. 3-2021

**A RESOLUTION DESIGNATING DEPOSITORIES FOR
THE INVESTMENT OF FUNDS DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2021**

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover, County of Morris and State of New Jersey, that the following institutions be designated as depositories for investment of funds and other accounts as the Township may desire during calendar year 2021:

CHASE BANK
WELLS FARGO BANK
N.J. CASH MANAGEMENT FUND
INVESTORS SAVINGS BANK
PNC BANK
SANTANDER BANK
VALLEY NATIONAL BANK
TD BANK
PROVIDENT BANK

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all disbursement vouchers shall require the signatures of the Mayor, Business Administrator and/or Township's Chief Municipal Finance Officer.

Motion made to accept as consent agenda to the appointments and reappoints of members by Member Cahill and seconded by Member Gallagher.

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RESOLUTION NO. 4-2021

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR AND
CHIEF MUNICIPAL FINANCE OFFICER TO MAKE ALL NECESSARY
INVESTMENTS OF TOWNSHIP FUNDS DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2020**

WHEREAS, the Business Administrator and the Township's Chief Municipal Finance Officer of the Township of Hanover from time to time are called upon to invest Township funds in various banking institutions in the State of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, the foregoing officers are obliged to invest in a secure manner and obtain the highest return on said investments; and

WHEREAS, money market conditions and interest rates do not always allow for sufficient time for the aforesaid officials to obtain formal Township Committee approval for said investments; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee is desirous of confirming the authority of the aforesaid officers to make secure investments by informal competitive bids at the highest rate subject to approval by the Township Committee.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, that, Ronald F. Francioli, Mayor; Joseph A. Giorgio, Business Administrator; and Silvio Esposito, Chief Municipal Finance Officer, be and they are thereby authorized to make all necessary investments of Township funds in accordance with the preamble of this resolution at the highest rate of return, in a secure manner, in responsible financial institutions, without the necessity of obtaining formal approval of the Township Committee, provided that time does not permit same, and provided further that the nature of the investments and all details thereof are submitted to the Township Committee at the next following Township Committee meeting for its confirmation and approval.

RESOLUTION NO. 5-2021

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DESIGNATION OF
"PROFESSIONAL SERVICES" AND "EXTRAORDINARY, UNSPECIFIABLE
SERVICE" CONTRACTORS WITHOUT COMPETITIVE
BIDDING AS PROVIDED FOR UNDER PROVISIONS OF THE
LOCAL PUBLIC CONTRACTS LAW, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5.(1)(a)(i) AND (ii) DURING
CALENDAR YEAR 2021**

WHEREAS, there exists a need for the following Professional Services and Extraordinary, Unspecifiable Services:

1. Township Attorney
2. Planning Board Attorney
3. Board of Adjustment Attorney
4. Personnel and Labor Attorney
5. Legal Services - Bond Counsel
6. Legal Services – Special Counsel
7. Annual Audit by Registered Municipal Accountants
8. Professional Planners
9. Consulting Engineers
10. Recreation Consultants
11. Appraisers
12. Park Planning Consultants
13. Certified Shorthand Reporters
14. Traffic Consultants

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15. Noise Consultants
16. Environmental Consultants
17. Management Consultant
18. Licensed Land Surveyor
19. Codification Consultant
20. Animal Control & Dog Warden Services
21. Videographer; and

WHEREAS, funds are available for these purposes through the 2021 Temporary Current Fund Budget and as funds are made available through the final 2021 Current Fund Budget; and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1, et seq.) requires that the resolution authorizing the award of contracts for "Professional Services" and "Extraordinary, Unspecifiable Services" without competitive bids must be publicly advertised.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey that the Mayor and Business Administrator are hereby authorized and directed to execute agreements, when and if necessary, for the following professional services and extraordinary, unspecifiable services which are licensed and regulated by law unless otherwise noted, without competitive bidding under provisions of the Local Public Contracts Law during calendar year 2021:

1. Fred Semrau, Esq., Dorsey & Semrau
2. Michael Sullivan, Esq. Stickel, Koenig, Sullivan & Drill
3. Michael Sullivan, Esq. Stickel, Koenig, Sullivan & Drill
4. Stephen Trimboli, Esq., Trimboli & Prusinowski, LLC
5. McManimon & Scotland
6. James M. Turteltaub, Esq. Carlin & Ward
7. Nisivoccia LLP
8. Joseph Burgis, P.P. and Burgis Associates, Inc.
Paul Phillips, P.P., Phillips Preiss Grygiel
9. Hatch, MacDonald
Bowman Associates
Suburban Consulting Engineers, Inc.
10. Water Technology, Inc.
11. Integra Realty Resources – Northern New Jersey
Newmark Knight Frank Valuation
12. Lord, Anderson, Worrell & Barnett
13. Walter Perelli Court Reporting Services
14. NV5, Inc.
Atlantic Traffic & Design Engineers, Inc.
15. Lewis S. Goodfriend & Associates
16. Ecolsciences, Inc.
Wade Wander
17. Summit Collaborative Advisors, LLC
18. Frederick Meola, L.S.
Douglas Dykstra, L.S.
Richard F. Smith, Jr., P.L.S.
19. General Code Publishers Corporation
20. Parsippany-Troy Hills Animal Control Services
21. Robert Kobacz

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that if contracts are awarded to any of the professional services and extraordinary, unspecifiable services' firms listed above, said firms shall comply with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 10:5-31 and P.L. 1975, c.127.(N.J.A.C. 17:27).

A copy of this resolution shall be published in the Hanover Eagle and Daily Record as required by law within ten (10) days of its passage.

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RESOLUTION NO. 6-2021

A RESOLUTION DESIGNATING THE MORRIS COUNTY'S DAILY RECORD AS THE OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HANOVER FOR THE PURPOSE OF LEGALLY ADVERTISING ALL ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS AND OTHER LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE STAR-LEDGER AND HANOVER EAGLE FOR PUBLICATION OF LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS INCLUDING ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS, IF AND WHEN NECESSARY DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2021

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey as follows:

1. That the **MORRIS COUNTY DAILY RECORD** is hereby designated as the official publication of the Township of Hanover during calendar year 2021 for the purpose of publishing all legal advertisements including but not limited to ordinances, resolutions and notices of the Township Committee, all notices and resolutions of the Planning Board and Board of Adjustment and all notices pertaining to any other official Township Board, Commission or Committee.
2. That **THE STAR-LEDGER** and **HANOVER EAGLE** may be used for the purpose of publishing all notices, resolutions and ordinances of the Township Committee, Planning Board, Board of Adjustment and any other notices or publications of other official Township Board, Commission or Committee, if and when necessary also during calendar year 2021.

RESOLUTION NO. 7-2021

A RESOLUTION FIXING THE RATE OF INTEREST TO BE CHARGED FOR DELINQUENT TAXES OR ASSESSMENTS DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2021

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, that N.J.S.A. 54:4-67 permits the governing body of each municipality to fix the rate of interest to be charged for non-payment of taxes or assessments subject to any abatement or discount for the late payment of taxes as provided by law; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, N.J.S.A. 54:4-67 has been amended to permit the fixing of said rate of 8% per annum on the first \$1,500.00 of the delinquency and 18% per annum on any amount in excess of \$1,500.00 and allows an additional penalty of 6% be collected against a delinquency in excess of \$10,000.00 on properties that fail to pay the delinquency and other municipal charges prior to the end of the calendar years.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey as follows:

1. The Tax Collector is hereby authorized and directed to charge 8% per annum on the first \$1,500.00 of taxes becoming delinquent after due date and 18% per annum on any amount of taxes in excess of \$1,500.00 becoming delinquent after due date and if a delinquency is in excess of \$10,000.00 for all municipal charges and remains in arrears beyond December 31st, an additional penalty of 6% shall be charged against the delinquency.
2. Effective January 1, 2021, there will be a ten (10) day grace period of quarterly tax payments made by cash, check or money.

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3. Any payments not made in accordance with paragraph two of this resolution shall be charged interest from the due date as set forth in paragraph one of this resolution.
4. This resolution shall be published in its entirety once in an official newspaper of the Township of Hanover.

RESOLUTION NO. 8-2021

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE AUTHORIZING THE
CANCELLATION OF TAX OVERPAYMENTS OR DELINQUENT AMOUNTS LESS
THAN \$10.00 DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2021**

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A 40A:5-17 allows for the cancellation of property tax refunds or delinquent amounts in the amounts of less than \$10.00; and

WHEREAS, the governing body may authorize a municipal employee chosen by said body to process, without further action on their part, any cancellation of property tax refunds or delinquencies of less than \$10.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey as follows:

1. The governing body hereby authorizes the Tax Collector to cancel said tax amounts as deemed necessary during calendar year 2021.
2. A certified copy of this resolution shall be transmitted to the Tax Collector for reference and action purposes.

RESOLUTION NO. 9-2021

**A RESOLUTION WAIVING INTEREST AND PENALTIES ON ANY PAST TAXES,
ASSESSMENTS AND OTHER MUNICIPAL CHARGES DUE AND OWING ON A
PRIMARY RESIDENCE ONLY AND PRESENTLY DELINQUENT FROM
RESIDENTS OF THE AGES OF 65 OR OVER DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2021**

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Laws of New Jersey, R.S. 54:4-99 the governing body of each municipality may make such abatement, revision, alteration, adjustment and settlement of interest and penalties on any past due taxes, assessments, and other municipal charges, as it shall deem equitable and just and be for the best interest of the municipality; and

WHEREAS, it is deemed to be in the best interests of the Township that citizens of the ages of 65 and over should benefit by this resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover, County of Morris and State of New Jersey, that pursuant to the authority contained in R.S. 54:4-99, interest and penalties on any past due taxes, assessments and other municipal charges due and owing on the primary residence only and that are coming or may become delinquent from residents of the Township of Hanover of the ages of 65 and over, be and the same hereby are waived during calendar year 2021.

RESOLUTION NO. 10-2021

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE AUTHORIZING
THE CALENDAR YEAR 2021 TAX SALE**

WHEREAS, P.L. 1997, c.99 requires the governing body of each municipality in the State of New Jersey to authorize the Tax Collector to hold an annual Tax Sale; and

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WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the Township of Hanover to hold a tax sale in 2021; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey as follows:

1. The governing body hereby authorizes the Tax Collector to conduct the annual tax sale for the year 2021.
2. A certified copy of this resolution shall be transmitted to the Tax Collector for his information and action.

RESOLUTION NO. 11-2021

**A RESOLUTION DESIGNATING SPECIAL SERVICE OFFICERS AND
SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT PERSONNEL DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2021
COMMENCING JANUARY 1, 2021 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2021**

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, that the residents listed in the attached letter and appendix are hereby appointed to serve in various capacities and for specific assignments during calendar year 2021 as follows:

A. The Chief of Police has recommended the designation of the following persons to serve in the positions noted below:

1. **For Assignment to the Regular Police Force as Matrons (part-time duty) on an as Needed Basis:**

Rae Ann Brueche	MaryLou DeSimone
Dena Dahl	Patricia DeTrolio

2. **For Assignment as School Crossing Guards:**

Ron Barz	Mary Nemec	Thomas Meikle
Donna Carbone	Joe Makowski*	Barbara Taylor*
Debbie Castelluccio	Linda Makowski	George Taylor*
Patti Detrolio	Steve Bolcar	Debbie Diauto
Edward Jeklinski	Ronald Minto	

*Denotes Substitute Guards

B. The Chiefs of the Cedar Knolls and Whippany Fire Departments have recommended the designation of the following persons to serve in the positions noted below:

1. **For Assignment as Cedar Knolls Fire District Fire Police:**

James Davidson	Robert Tweedus
Thomas Harrington	Gary Keyser

2. **For Assignment as Whippany Fire District Fire Police:**

Ian Bell	
Michael Cook	Joe Makowski
Timothy Culver	Henry Hansch
Tom Rebyak	Pauline Heizman
Andrew Rigas	Robert Johnston
Marc Sieka	Shawn Johnston
William Wodynski	
Walter Kruger	

C. The Township Committee has recommended the designation of the following persons to serve in the positions noted below:

For Assignment at Township Parks and Recreational Facilities:

Peter Monteverdi	
Robert Brueno, Jr.	Peter Berkenkamp
James Coiley	Gabriella Salese

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D. The Director of the Office of Emergency Management has recommended the designation of the following persons to serve in the positions noted below:

1. For Assignment as Office of Emergency Management Personnel:

John L. Ferramosca	Mayor
Joseph Giorgio	Business Administrator
Thomas Quirk	Director OEM
Greg Gullette	Bayer HealthCare
Santo Gillermain	HES Bayer HealthCare
Craig Vagell	R.A.C.E.S.O.E.M.
Mark Roddy	Police Chief
Robert Mooney	Superintendent, HT School District
Mike Wasko	HT School District
Maria Carrell	Superintendent HPR High School
Christopher Kelly	Principal, WPHS
Shirley D. Cabildo	Care One – Administrator
Cathy Harrison	Arden Courts– Executive Director
Gerardo Maceira	Township Engineer
David White	Police Captain/OEM Deputy
Chad DiGiorgio	Cedar Knolls FD Chief/OEM Dpty
Paul Perrello	Whippany FD Chief/OEM Deputy
Brian Pillion	Park Maintenance Supervisor
Carlos Perez	Health Officer
Kathryn Whitehead	Nursing Director
Catherine Iacouzzi	Deputy Township Clerk
Peter Tyrrell	Superintendent - HSA Plant
Denise Brennan	Superintendent - Pks & Rec.
Michael Wynne	Ex. Director, Sewerage Authority
Marko Bura	Assistant to Supt. - DPW
Brian Foran	Superintendent – Public Works
James Kitchell	Pioneer Freight Systems
Richard Kitchell	Pioneer Freight Systems
William Albert, Jr.	BA/Bd Secty, Han Pk Reg. Dist.
Larry Winters	Steris-Isomedix, Plant Manager
Colin Fitzsimmons	Buildings & Grounds
Edward Decrescenzo	JCHC Facilities
Peter Berkenkamp	OEM Deputy Director-ShelterMgmt
Paul Miller	OEM Deputy Director-CERT Coord
Howard Olsen	OEM Staff Member
Dale Cowley	OEM Staff Member

2. Community Emergency Response Team:

Dennis Dittrick	Ryan Ferramosca	
Beverly Schramm	Linda Schramm	Don Succardi
Charles Winters	Susan Winters	Peter Berkenkamp

FOR ASSIGNMENT AS POLICE CHAPLAINS:

E. The Business Administrator/Township Clerk has recommended the designation of the following persons to serve in the positions noted below:

Father Roberto Amador, Pastor – Our Lady of Mercy RC Church
Rev. Stepan Bilyk, Pastor –
St. John the Baptist Ukrainian Catholic Church
Rev. Sarah Cairatti, Pastor, First Presbyterian Church of Whippany
Father Patrick “Paddy” O’Donovan, Pastor –
Notre Dame of Mount Carmel RC Church
Rev. Ross Lang, Pastor, Hildale Park Presbyterian Church

RESOLUTION NO. 12-2021

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**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING TEMPORARY BUDGET
APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE FIRST QUARTER OF YEAR 2021**

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:4-19, the Local Budget Act, provides that (where any contracts, commitments or payments are to be made prior to the final adoption of the 2021 budget) temporary appropriations be made for the purposes and amounts required in the manner and time therein provided; and

WHEREAS, the date of this resolution is within the first thirty (30) days of 2021; and

WHEREAS, the total appropriations in the 2020 Budget, less appropriations made for Capital Improvement Fund and Debt Service are as follows:

General.....	\$25,442,809.05
Swimming Pool Enterprise.....	\$ 266,000.00

WHEREAS, 26.25% of the total appropriations in the 2020 Budget less appropriations for Capital Improvement Fund and Debt Service in the said 2021 Budget as follows:

General.....	\$ 6,678,737.38
Swimming Pool Enterprise.....	\$ 69,825.00

General Appropriations:

Administration & Executive		0001		
	Salary & Wages		\$	195,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	60,000.00
 Finance		 0002		
	Salary & Wages		\$	70,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	10,000.00
 Assessment Of Taxes		 0003		
	Salary & Wages		\$	13,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	10,000.00
 Collection Of Taxes		 0005		
	Salary & Wages		\$	17,500.00
	Other Expenses		\$	7,000.00
 Township Committee		 0007		
	Salary & Wages		\$	9,000.00
 Legal		 0009		
	Other Expenses		\$	90,000.00
 Municipal Court		 0010		
	Salary & Wages		\$	50,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	4,000.00
 Engineering		 0011		
	Salary & Wages		\$	135,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	4,000.00
 Public Buildings & Grounds		 0012		
	Salary & Wages		\$	50,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	20,000.00
 Planning Board		 0013		

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	Salary & Wages		\$	10,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	7,000.00
Board Of Adjustments		0014		
	Salary & Wages		\$	10,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	5,000.00
Environmental Commission		0015		
	Salary & Wages		\$	250.00
	Other Expenses		\$	750.00
Computer Network		0016		
	Other Expenses		\$	10,000.00
Workers Compensation		0017		
	Other Expenses		\$	140,000.00
Liability Insurance		0017		
	Other Expenses		\$	160,000.00
Group Insurance		0018		
	Other Expenses		\$	700,000.00
Police		0019		
	Salary & Wages		\$	1,150,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	50,000.00
Construction Code Official		0021		
	Salary & Wages		\$	100,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	7,500.00
Emergency Management Services		0025		
	Salary & Wages		\$	2,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	750.00
Traffic Signals		0026		
	Other Expenses		\$	3,000.00
Municipal Communications		0027		
	Other Expenses		\$	25,000.00
Streets & Roads Repair & Maintenance		0028		
	Salary & Wages		\$	330,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	100,000.00
Street Lighting		0029		
	Other Expenses		\$	2,500.00
Sanitation		0030		
	Salary & Wages		\$	110,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	10,000.00
Board Of Health		0031		
	Salary & Wages		\$	62,500.00

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	Other Expenses		\$	5,000.00
Animal Control				
	Other Expenses	0033	\$	8,500.00
Municipal Prosecutor		0034		
	Salary & Wages		\$	9,000.00
Parks & Playgrounds		0035		
	Salary & Wages		\$	125,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	20,000.00
Recreation		0036		
	Salary & Wages		\$	60,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	7,500.00
Aid To Private Library		0040		
	Other Expenses		\$	100,000.00
Shared Municipal Court		0041		
	Salary & Wages		\$	32,500.00
	Other Expenses		\$	2,500.00
Landmark Commission		0042		
	Other Expenses		\$	2,500.00
Employee Assistance & Training		0044		
	Other Expenses		\$	5,000.00
Installation/Storm Drainage	Other Expenses	0046	\$	20,000.00
Improvements To Buildings & Grounds		0052		
	Other Expenses		\$	15,000.00
P E R S		0053		
	Other Expenses		\$	780,811.00
Defined Contribution		0056		
	Other Expenses		\$	5,000.00
Social Security		0054		
	Other Expenses		\$	135,000.00
P F R S		0055		
	Other Expenses		\$	1,110,065.00
Recycling		0057		
	Other Expenses		\$	50,000.00
Dial-A-Ride		0064		
	Salary & Wages		\$	15,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	100.00
Purchase Computer Equipment		0071		
	Other Expenses		\$	5,000.00

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Senior Citizens		0073		
	Other Expenses		\$	3,000.00
Drug Awareness		0078	\$	1,250.00
	Other Expenses			
Cultural Arts			\$	4,000.00
	Other Expenses			
Community Center		0082		
	Salary & Wages		\$	4,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	5,000.00
Board Of Health: Interlocal		0085		
	Salary & Wages		\$	11,250.00
	Other Expenses		\$	0.00
Public Defender		0092		
	Salary & Wages		\$	3,000.00
Economic Development		0221		
	Other Expenses		\$	5,000.00
Vehicle Maintenance				
	Other Expenses	0315	\$	50,000.00
Recycling Tax				
	Other Expenses	0225	\$	2,500.00
Utilities		04xx		
	Other Expenses		\$	200,000.00
Solid Waste Disposal		0465		
	Other Expenses		\$	135,000.00
Total			\$	6,678,226.00
	Salary & Wages		\$	15,000.00
	Other Expenses		\$	54,000.00
	Capital Improvement Fund		\$	-
	Social Security		\$	-
Total			\$	69,000.00

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover, County of Morris and State of New Jersey, that the following temporary appropriations be made and that a certified copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Chief Financial Officer for his records.

RESOLUTION NO. 13-2021

**A RESOLUTION DESIGNATING THE REGULAR, CONFERENCE AND LEGAL
MEETING DATES OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE DURING
CALENDAR YEAR 2021**

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WHEREAS, the Open Public Meetings, Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-6 et seq. (“OPMA”), provides that within seven (7) days following the annual organization meeting of the Governing Body, or if there be no such organization meeting, then, by no later than January 10th, every public body shall establish by resolution a schedule of regular meetings of the Governing Body to be held during the succeeding year.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. The schedule of legal, conference and regular meetings of the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover is hereby established, as set forth in the schedule annexed hereto and the same is hereby adopted.

2. In accordance with the OPMA and the Emergency Remote Meeting Protocol for Local Public Bodies, N.J.A.C. 5:39-1.1 et seq. (“Remote Protocol”) and in consideration of the ongoing Governor-declared COVID-19 State of Emergency and the Township’s duty to protect the health, safety and welfare of its citizens, the Township hereby schedules the meetings for January, 2021 through June, 2021 to be held remotely via Zoom webinar. The Township hereby schedules the meetings for July, 2021 through December, 2021 to be held in person in the Main Meeting Room of the Municipal Building Complex located at 1000 Route 10 in Whippany, New Jersey, with conference, and closed, executive legal meetings taking place in Conference Room “A.” If the Governor lifts the state of emergency and the Township Committee wishes to revert back to its normal in-person meetings prior to July, 2021, additional notice will be provided in accordance with the OPMA.

3. The Township Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to prominently post the schedule in at least one public place reserved for such announcements.

4. The schedule shall be mailed, emailed, telephoned, or hand delivered by the Township Clerk to the following newspapers:

**MORRIS COUNTY'S DAILY RECORD
HANOVER EAGLE**

5. The schedule shall be placed on file with the Township Clerk.

6. The schedule shall be posted on the Township website and on the main access door of the Municipal Building Complex, and for remote meetings, the schedule shall include instructions for accessing the remote meeting, the means for making public comment, and where relevant documents are available.

7. Special meetings may be held as and when necessary, with notice to be given as provided for in the Act on any meeting involving urgent matters may be held as provided for in Section 4b of the Act.

8. In the event that the annexed schedule is hereafter revised, the revised schedule shall be posted, mailed and filed by the Township Clerk in the manner herein above described.

9. Any person who requests a copy of the within schedule or any revisions thereto, shall be provided with the same upon the payment of the following fees, and upon the payment of said sums, said persons, shall be mailed copies of the schedule. The sum of \$100.00 is hereby designated as the fee for said service which shall terminate at midnight of December 31 of each year unless request for renewals are received.

10. The Township Clerk shall post a copy of this resolution on the Township’s official bulletin board and on the Township’s web site and publish it in full in the January 13, 2021 issues of the Daily Record and Hanover Eagle respectively.

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11. For remote meetings held via Zoom webinar, members of the public may participate by joining on a phone, computer or tablet. The agenda to the extent known, along with the Zoom information, will be available on the Township's website at www.hanovertownship.com or may be requested from the Township Clerk at JGiorgio@hanovertownship.com or (973) 428-2467. Members of the public will be muted during the meeting, but may speak during the designated public comment portion by pressing 9 (telephone) or the "thumbs up" or "clap" icons (Zoom app), and waiting to be recognized by the host, who will unmute individuals to speak and mute them afterward. Please note that while muted, the public will still be able to hear the Township Committee conduct business. Written public comments for remote meetings may be submitted to the Township Clerk by email at JGiorgio@hanovertownship.com or by mail to Township Clerk, 1000 Route 10, Whippany, NJ 07981. Written public comments must include the individual's name, full address and contact information, and identify the meeting they are intended for. Written public comments must be received by the Clerk no later than four hours prior to the meeting start time and will be read into the record during the public comment portion. There is a five-minute time limit on all public comments.

SCHEDULE OF TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE CALENDAR
YEAR 2021 MEETING DATES

<u>DATE</u>	<u>MEETING</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>TIME</u>
1/07/21	Reorganization	Zoom Webinar	7:00 P.M.
<u>DATE</u>	<u>MEETING</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>TIME</u>
1/14/21	Conference and Legal	Zoom Webinar	5:00 P.M.
1/14/21	Regular	Zoom Webinar	6:30P.M.
1/28/21	Conference and Legal	Zoom Webinar	5:00 P.M.
2/06/21	2020 Budget Work Session	In-Person Meeting Conference Room "A" And via Zoom Webinar	8:30 A.M.
2/09/21	Joint Meeting with Whippanong Library Board of Trustees - Tentative	Whippanong Library	7:00 P.M.
<u>DATE</u>	<u>MEETING</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>TIME</u>
2/11/21	Conference and Legal	Zoom Webinar	5:00 P.M.
2/11/21	Regular	Zoom Webinar	6:30 P.M.
2/25/21	Conference and Legal	Zoom Webinar	5:00 P.M.
3/11/21	Conference and Legal	Zoom Webinar	5:00 P.M.
3/11/20	Regular	Zoom Webinar	6:30 P.M.
3/25/21	Conference and Legal	Zoom Webinar	5:00 P.M.
4/08/21	Conference and Legal	Zoom Webinar	5:00 P.M.
4/08/21	Regular	Zoom Webinar	6:30 P.M.
4/22/21	Conference and Legal	Zoom Webinar	5:00 P.M.
5/13/21	Conference and Legal	Zoom Webinar	5:00 P.M.
5/13/21	Regular	Zoom Webinar	6:30 P.M.
5/27/21	Conference and Legal	Zoom Webinar	5:00 P.M.
6/10/21	Conference and Legal	Zoom Webinar	5:00 P.M.
6/10/21	Regular	Zoom Webinar	6:30 P.M.
6/24/21	Conference and Legal	Zoom Webinar	5:00 P.M.
7/08/21	Conference and Legal	Conference Room	7:00 P.M.
7/08/21	Regular	Main Meeting Room	8:00 P.M.
7/22/21	Conference and Legal	Conference Room	7:00 P.M.
8/12/21	Conference and Legal	Conference Room	7:00 P.M.
8/12/21	Regular	Main Meeting Room	8:00 P.M.
8/26/21	Conference and Legal	Conference Room	7:00 P.M.
9/9/21	Conference and Legal	Conference Room	7:00 P.M.
9/9/21	Regular	Main Meeting Room	8:00 P.M.
9/23/21	Conference and Legal	Conference Room	7:00 P.M.
10/14/21	Conference and Legal	Conference Room	7:00 P.M.
10/14/21	Regular	Main Meeting Room	8:00 P.M.
10/28/21	Conference and Legal	Conference Room	7:00 P.M.

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11/11/21	Conference and Legal	Conference Room	7:00 P.M.
11/11/21	Regular	Main Meeting Room	8:00 P.M.
Monday			
11/22/21	Conference and Legal	Conference Room	7:00 P.M.
Thursday			
12/09/21	Conference and Legal	Conference Room	7:00 P.M.
12/09/21	Regular	Main Meeting Room	8:00 P.M.
Thursday			
12/23/21	Conference and Legal	Conference Room	7:00 P.M.
12/23/21	Regular	Main Meeting Room	8:00 P.M.

Special meetings may be held if and when necessary, with notice to be given as provided for in the OPMA and if applicable, the Remote Protocol, and any meeting involving urgent matters may be held as provided for in Section 4b of the OPMA.

Legal and conference work sessions of the Township Committee are informal in nature at which time no formal action is taken. The public is invited to attend such meetings subject to those areas of consideration from which the public may be excluded pursuant to those sections of the OPMA related to executive or closed sessions.

RESOLUTION NO. 14-2021

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A REIMBURSEMENT RATE OF \$.56
PER MILE DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2021 FOR OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES
USING A PERSONAL VEHICLE ON TOWNSHIP BUSINESS**

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover, County of Morris and State of New Jersey, that officers and employees using a personal vehicle on travel for Township purposes, shall be reimbursed at the rate of fifty-six (\$.56) cents per mile.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that evidence of such mileage shall be submitted in the form of odometer readings for such usage.

RESOLUTION NO. 15-2021

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP
OF HANOVER AUTHORIZING THE TAX ASSESSOR AND TOWNSHIP ATTORNEY
TO FILE COUNTERCLAIMS IN CONNECTION WITH TAX APPEALS FILED FOR
TAX YEAR 2021**

WHEREAS, the owners of certain real property in the Township of Hanover will be filing tax appeals for tax year 2021 with the Morris County Board of Taxation and the New Jersey Tax Court; and

WHEREAS, the deadline for the filing of all tax appeals will be April 1, 2021; and

WHEREAS, after carefully investigating those tax appeals which are filed against the Township before the Morris County Board of Taxation and the New Jersey Tax Court, the Township's Tax Assessor may determine that the value of the property in question may not exceed the assessment after the application of the appropriate ratio and therefore, the Township's assessments may be inadequate to support the Township's ratable base; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Township Committee to authorize the Tax Assessor and Township Attorney to file counterclaims regarding those tax appeals requiring an affirmative defense.

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey:

1. The Tax Assessor and Township Attorney are hereby authorized to file counterclaims, where appropriate, against those tax year 2021 civil action complaints which are filed with the Morris County Board of Taxation and the New Jersey Tax Court in which counterclaims are deemed by the Tax Assessor to be necessary, and in the best interest of the fiscal integrity of the Township.

2. A certified copy of this resolution shall be transmitted to the Township Attorney and the Township's Tax Assessor for reference and action purposes.

RESOLUTION NO. 16-2021

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE AUTHORIZING THE TAX ASSESSOR AND TOWNSHIP ATTORNEY TO DEFEND AND SETTLE TAX YEAR 2021 TAX APPEALS WHICH WILL BE FILED WITH THE MORRIS COUNTY BOARD OF TAXATION AND NEW JERSEY TAX COURT ON OR BEFORE APRIL 1, AND WHERE APPLICABLE, FILE CROSS CLAIMS WHERE NECESSARY

WHEREAS, certain property owners of residential, commercial, industrial and/or vacant properties will be filing tax appeals with the Morris County Board of Taxation and/or the Tax Court of New Jersey on or before the deadline date of April 1, 2021; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee, the governing body of the Township of Hanover wishes to reaffirm its authorization of the Township's Tax Assessor and Township Attorney to defend and settle tax appeals at the County Board of Taxation level and before the Tax Court of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, it is the intention of the Township Committee to also authorize the Township's Tax Assessor and Township Attorney to file whatever cross claims or corrective tax appeals are deemed applicable and necessary on behalf of the taxpayers of Hanover Township; and

WHEREAS, the governing body further realizes that in certain tax appeal cases before the Morris County Board of Taxation, the Tax Assessor and Township Attorney are called upon to settle certain appeals within parameters established by the Township Committee without further consultation or approval.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey as follows:

1. The Township's Tax Assessor and the Township Attorney are hereby authorized and directed to defend and/or settle tax year 2021 tax appeals filed with the Morris County Board of Taxation and/or the Tax Court of the State of New Jersey in accordance with parameters established by the governing body.
2. The Township's Tax Assessor and Township Attorney are also authorized to file whatever cross claims or corrective tax appeals are deemed applicable and necessary on behalf of the taxpayers of Hanover Township for tax year 2021.
3. A certified copy of this resolution shall be forwarded to the Township's Tax Assessor, the Township Attorney and the Chief Municipal Finance Officer for reference and information purposes.

RESOLUTION NO. 17-2021

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**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE APPROVING THE YEAR 2021
CASH MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF HANOVER IN
ACCORDANCE WITH THE LOCAL FISCAL AFFAIRS LAW**

WHEREAS, in accordance with the Local Fiscal Affairs Law, N.J.S.A. 40:5-1 et seq., and in particular N.J.S.A. 40A:5-14, each local unit shall adopt a Cash Management Plan and shall deposit its funds in accordance with that Plan; and

WHEREAS, it is a requirement of the regulations that such a Cash Management Plan be memorialized in writing and formally adopted by resolution of the governing body; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Township Committee to approve and adopt the Cash Management Plan for the Township of Hanover as prepared by the Township's Chief Financial Officer.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey as follows:

1. The Cash Management Plan for the Township of Hanover during calendar year 2021 as prepared by the Township's Chief Financial Officer, in accordance with the Local Fiscal Affairs Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:5-1 et seq., as attached hereto, is hereby adopted and approved by the Township Committee.

2. That a certified copy of this resolution shall be transmitted to the Township's Business Administrator and Chief Financial Officer for their reference and information.

Motion made to accept as consent agenda the resolution consent agenda by Member Cahill and seconded by Member Ferramosca.

APPOINTMENTS BY MAYOR:
Planning Board

Class IV Member	Robert Deehan
Class IV Member	Philip Glawe
Class IV, Alternate 1 Member	Charles Monzo
Class IV, Alternate 2 Member	Nadia Mian
Class II, Member	J. William Byrne

Motion made to accept as consent agenda to the appointments and reappoints of members by Member Gallagher and seconded by Member Ferramosca

**2021 TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE DEPARTMENT AND
COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS**

Chairman/Mayor **John L. Ferramosca**

**Director of Administration, Finance,
Personnel and Violations Bureau/
Municipal Court, Class I Planning Board
Member, Ex-Officio Member to EDAC
and Environmental and Green Team
Member** **John L. Ferramosca**

**Vice Chair/Deputy Mayor, Director
Of Planning and Zoning and
Engineering Departments, Class III
Planning Board Member, Liaison
To EDAC and Hanover Sewerage** **Thomas A. Gallagher**

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**Authority, Co-Chair of the Township
Committee's School and Park Safety
SubCommittee**

**Director of DPW and Quality of Life,
Buildings & Grounds & Park Maintenance,
Board of Health Alternate I Member
and Liaison to the Whippanong Library,
SMCMUA, Senior Citizens Club,
Veterans Alliance, Morristown
Municipal Airport, the Interfaith Food
Pantry, Group Homes and Sheltered
Workshops and Liaison and Member of
the Community Farm and Garden
Advisory Committee**

Ronald F. Francioli

**Director of Recreation and Park Admin.
Department, Liaison to Open Space Advisory
Committee, the Cultural Arts Committee
Substance Awareness Council and the
Hanover Township Board of Education**

Michael A. Mihalko

**Building Department and Property
Maintenance Director, Liaison to Police
Department, Boards of Fire Commissioners,
Office of Emergency Management,
Landmark Commission and the Hanover
Park Regional High School District, Co-Chair
Of the Township Committee's School and Park
Sub-Committee**

Brian J. Cahill

COMMENTS BY MEMBERS OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE

Member Mihalko: Thank you Mr. Ferramosca, congratulations on Mayor again, you did a terrific job the first six months and I know you will do well this year. I would like to start off by thanking my Wife and family, friends and supporters. I am humbled and honored to be elected again to serve the residents of Hanover! My first three years have been interesting, enjoyable and at times challenging. But one of the best parts is the people and professional staff I get to work with from my fellow committeeman, to the many volunteers including: The Recreation Commission led by Jim Coiley, our Senior group led by Ken Oexle and my new assignment, Substance Awareness led by Karen Perry and of course our professionals, Joe Giorgio and Krista DiGiorgio, Silvio Esposito, Robin Dente, Gerry Maceira and his team Dave Leo, Isaac Raymond who are instrumental when it comes to the design and installation of the projects I get to work on.

I would especially like to point out Denise Brennan - Superintendent of Recreation, Tom Quirk, Assistant Superintendent, Dinah Schill, Jaime Getsinger and Brittney Heffler, Brian Foran the head of DPW and his crew, these are the people that make things happen.

Most notably, with Eddie Cashen's help, opening the Bee Meadow Pool this past summer, when other towns were shutting down these people were figuring out how to open up and operate safely, with ZERO incidents. Eddie through his creativity and strict protocols was able to have live music events, family bingo and many other fun things. Membership topped over 600. While we are on the pool, for 2020 we had a new dual flume water slide installed and for next summer, 2021 we have a rock wall already to go! Keep an eye out for this year's sign up!

Unfortunately, a lot of our regular events had to be cancelled BUT - with Denise's creativity and Brian's ingenuity we were able to develop new events, such as, Drive in Movies with the FMBA, Photo Scavenger Hunt, Virtual Pumpkin carving contest,

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Halloween Drive in Movie Night again with the FMBA and to end the year a drive through Winter Wonderland with Santa at Bee Meadow Park, where we had over 300 vehicles participate in the event, featuring Santa and his elves, collecting “wish Letters”. Recreation collected over 400 letters and each one received a hand-written reply.

Looking Forward – the slogan for the new year will be “More Fun in 21” That’s from Denise. Hopefully soon we will be able to get back to our regular events with some of these new ones added in, so coming soon, our HIT THE TRAILS program co-sponsored with Hanover Recreation and Wegmans, will open and It will feature 10 walks through our parks and facilities. One of those walks is on Phase 1 of the Bee Meadow Pond Nature Trail. There will be 3 more phases to come, encircling the ponds and connecting the local neighborhoods north of the park. The majority being funded through grants from the county.

And finally a special thank you to Jaime Getsinger who prepared a short video for my conclusion.

(Video issues)

Member Ferramosca: Well, okay the music was uplifting.

Member Mihalko: There was a really good video, one of these years we will get it down.

Mayor: We are going to invite Committeeman Mihalko to do it again for us at our next meeting so we can see it.

Krista DiGiorgio: I am really trying, I apologize this is all new to me to,

Mayor: I recognize the complexity of all the technology that we are playing with and everybody is doing a fine job and at this time why don’t we invite Committeeman Cahill to provide us with his highlights.

Member Cahill: John Congratulations and also to Ace. Happy New year to everyone and thank you to the Hanover Township community for giving me the opportunity to serve three more years as Committeeman. It has been an honor to serve you these past three years and I look forward to working hard for Hanover Township for the next three. I would like to start by thanking my wife Susan and my children, Ryan, Kyle and Alissa for their support and patience this past year. Our Committee responsibilities often conflict with family needs and obligations, so I am grateful for the understanding they have shown not this year but the past three years.

2020 has been unprecedented in the challenges it brought to our nation, state, and community. While we as families and individuals have had to deal with the consequences of the Covid-19 pandemic, your Township family has worked tirelessly to maintain services while keeping you and themselves safe. Police, OEM, Whippany Fire, and Cedar Knolls Fire/EMS had to invest heavily in new safety equipment and implement sometimes drastic policies and procedures to keep the public safe without putting themselves at risk. I could spend hours talking about all the work and time they put in to protect us but instead, I will just say thank you and wish all our first responders the best in the new year.

Our schools were also drastically impacted by the pandemic as well. As a member of the Hanover Township Schools Re-Opening Advisory Team, I can tell you that the planning and expense that went into educating the Township’s children under near impossible circumstances, is unprecedented. So, thank you to our school boards, superintendents, administrators, and of course all the teachers and support staff.

Also impacted in 2020 was our Landmark Commission. This team of dedicated volunteers were planning some incredible events to honor and celebrate Hanover Townships 300-year birthday which occurred this past December 7th; and then Covid-19 hit. That did not stop them from commemorating the occasion in every way they could. From a proclamation by the Township Committee composed by the Commission,

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to the production of a four-part video series on Hanover Township's history, and much, much more, the Landmark Commission remained very active in 2020. For 2021, we look forward to working with the Commission as the Township moves closer to obtaining the historic Tuttle House next to the Whippany Burying yard. In time, the historic treasures that the Landmark Commission works so hard to preserve will be displayed for all to see in Hanover Townships first museum.

To conclude, I want to congratulate Mr. Mihalko on his second appointment to the Township Committee and thank all my fellow Committeemen for their support and dedication these past three years. This job is not easy in the best of times between the pandemic and the never-ending demands to satisfy our court mandated affordable housing quota, this year has been extraordinarily challenging. Also, I want to thank all our Township employees for the work they do and the efforts they make to bring the best services possible to our Township residents. Last but certainly not least, thank you Joe Giorgio and Krista DiGiorgio, the support you provide to this Committee and to Hanover Township is nothing short of incredible and I know I am not alone in recognizing how lucky we are to have you.

Member Francioli: My congratulations as well once again to Committeeman Cahill and Committeeman Mihalko, looking forward to working with you all again and Congratulations to Mayor Ferramosca for taking the Chair once again, I know you are going to do a fabulous job like you have done in the past, I am very proud of you as well as I am of the Vice Chair, Mr. Gallagher.

Also, while I still him on screen, I want to say hello to Gene Pindella, wish him a very happy New Year and wish you every happiness in the future you have served the Planning Board countless years of that I can remember and I miss you very much, so thank you for all of your time and service.

I promised Krista I was going to do this in 25 words or less - I lost, I will leave you a dollar. It just cannot be done.

To our dedicated staff, commissioners, and boards - Happy, healthy New year and to my fellow Committeemen, a goal to keep their focus on moving Hanover through these difficult times and to remain fiscally sound as we are. Good wishes to our Administrator Joseph Gorgio and our Deputy Municipal Clerk, Cathy Iacouzzi as they turn a page in life and retire this year. Joe you both will be sorely missed. The countless years, some 40 years of service to Hanover and we thank you very much for that.

Regarding the boards I serve, our Board of Health officials continue to protect, advise and inform our community as we move thru this Covid crisis. To our residents, please register for your Covid vaccine at: covidvaccine.nj.gov, for a healthy 2021.

Public works & Parks Maintenance under Superintendent Brian Foran has carried on with no interruption of superior services and we thank them all very much. The Whippanong Library and staff have continued to be open and accessible offering programs and outreach for all ages and will continue to do so. Find them in our website.

A place for you to escape has been our beautiful Stoney Brook Farm & Garden - thank you to Denise Brennan and staff, Brian and the park maintenance commission as well. Sign up thru recreation for your 2021 garden, give them a call to register.

Hanover through the efforts of Shelby Snow and Nadia Mian has been awarded a State Grant to resolve issues of barriers amid our population of developmentally disabled and we are most appreciative of their hard work along with ARC, Hanover Township awarded this exclusive grant and we are very proud of that.

We have appointed a new member to serve on our water authority to replace the term of Sal Iannaccone.

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Finally, Hanover looks forward to participating in 2021 to a newly established County Transportation Commission which will include Morristown Airport so we are looking for our new Commissioners for direction on that and looking forward to that.

Lots more to do in 2021, so let's pray for a healthy progressive New Year.

Deputy Mayor Gallagher: Congratulations to you John. I think I would like to begin the same way I began for the last 7 Re-Organization meetings, by acknowledging and thanking Joe Giorgio. My friends chastise me sometimes because I make a lot musical references but James Brown was always called the hardest working man in showbusiness and I always called Joe Giorgio the hardest working man in Hanover Township. Joe I am sorry to see you go selfishly but I am very happy you will be with your family and spend a lot of good years with those guys and enjoy yourself and your family and friends and we love you Joe and we are going to miss you and like you said on the phone with me today you are probably not going to far. Thank you Joe you are appreciated and I appreciate you.

I would like to also congratulate Mike and Brian it is great working with you guys. I was thinking about it today at work besides my brother Dan on guitar Brian Cahill is the most consistent person I have worked with, it's like 10 or 11 years Brian, but my brother Dan stood stage left and Brian now sits on my left, so it's a pretty good run, Brian I'm glad I am going to work with you a few more years, Mike great working with you too.

Before I go, I want to thank my wife and my family, it is a lot of time, a lot of phone calls, now it's a lot of running down to town hall and when we can see each other get work done, and I am happy to say that in my 7 years already only twice my wife told me "Ace I did not sign up for this" and that is two years solid sitting with John and Fred with these affordable housing things, so only twice in seven years it is good.

So here in no specific order are my thank you, this is where I'm going to pick up speed, I want to Joe and I will always appreciate my partnership being a colleague to you in this Town that I live and raise my family in. Cathy Iacouzzi is an incredible human being, I said it at the last meeting there is nothing like calling Town Hall and getting Cathy cause you know for 10 minutes you are going to really nice conversation, and in a lot of ways Cathy is also an important face in Hanover Township because it comes down to people and when you call the municipal building you get somebody that has that type of knowledge and that type of patience and a very good personality Cathy is going to be missed and God Bless her and her family and also I am glad she retiring when she still has a lot of gas in the tank. She deserves the time off, she really does.

I have to thank Fred Semrau, I say Fred is one of my brothers, and I can't tell you how much time John and Fred has spent and not to mention Joe Giorgio, but Fred you are the best and I appreciate you and I say that Fred is one of the only people who my music will stop when I'm in my pool, my phone will say Fred Township Attorney and I always say hold on I got to take this call. So Fred I appreciate you and hopefully we have a couple more years together.

Chief Mark Roddy, another gentleman I refer to as sometimes as my brother, he is the best, Hanover Township PD like Brian referred to be that they had a tough year, I personally had the Fire Department and Police Department at my house twice this year and they are fantastic. Thank you guys.

Bill Byrne, people have actually said to me what does Bill Byrne do at Town Hall, cause I'm always saying I have to call Bill Byrne, I said he does everything, I'm not sure what he official post is but I always call Bill to ask him a question and he has a great line and I will always remember this line, he will say "If I were Ken, but I'm not" and we chuckle, but Bill is great, a wealth of knowledge patience of a saint and one day I will have to apologize to Bill for having to call him on a weekend with an issue and he always takes the time to work on it with me, so he is also another big part of our affordable housing.

Silvio Esposito, I would not want to be Silvio this year, very tough job and we are going to see how tough the upcoming weeks with our budget for 20201.

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Krista DiGiorgio, Krista you are phenomenal, and again it comes to people, how many times have you called Krista where she will say "well Joe is busy but can I help you with something." Krista you are doing a fantastic job, I know that the patience you have to have to deal with all of us going on all day long and I thank you and I appreciate it for whatever it is worth you do a great job. I appreciate you.

Brian Foran, I asked Ron today if he was going to say something about Brian cause I had Public Works until July 1st, I think I will never going to be able to stop calling Brian at 3:00am when there is a snow storm asking is that is the last man coming through what are we looking like and Brian is great, the DPW is great, and again when it comes to snow Hanover Township has black top before anybody else does and in business everybody refers to getting down to black top and Ron you have a great group you are working with and they deserve all the accolades they can get.

I worked with Engineering now, Gerry Maceira phenomenal, Dave Leo is great. Rich Wolowicz he has his hands full with some of the stuff going on in Town especially the Emerald Ash Borer, one thing that Rich did for the Township Committee in the last year was put together an inventory of our ash trees that are declining and a three step process that we have been removing them gradually and we are aware of the trees in our parks, around our schools and in our right of ways, Rich has been very busy we appreciate the amount of time he is putting in for us.

Sean Donlon and El Desimone phenomenal, thank you and I see Gene Pinadella, I want to thank you, I only got to work with you a couple of months in planning but you did a phenomenal job and we are going to miss you and I know you are only a phone call away if I or we have any questions, so thank you Gene for all of years and you did a great job so thank you.

I would also like to also thank the incredible committees and boards and all the volunteers we have in town. Years ago we presented an award for a group that put together a Drug Awareness song and I presented the award to Carol Giorgio, a very dear friend of mine, and we said Great Things are Happening in Hanover Township cause wonderful people are making them happen. We have an incredible amount of people in and out of these building all the time working very hard making Hanover Township what it is. I think in 2021 we are going to see new optimism and we have a really a lot of great things coming up in Town and we have a lot of great people in place to do it.

Before I close out, I would like to thank Mike Wasko our Superintendent of Schools and Maria Carroll our Superintendent of the High Schools it's been a hard year and they are all relatively new, and they are doing a phenomenal job and we always say our children are our most value resources and there couldn't be two better people working with our children. Thank you.

Mayor Ferramosca: My New Year's thoughts will focus on the three R's: Recognition, Reflection, and Resolutions. Let's begin with "Recognition" by acknowledging all those who contributed to making Hanover one of the finest communities in all of Morris County, Hanover's Department Heads, Public Safety and DPW leaders and their teams, along with Board & Commission chairs and their members, our valued support staff and municipal workers who contributed to making things happen in Hanover. Numerous service organizations and groups and their members who volunteered their time and made many contributions to our community.

Our business administrator Joe Giorgio and his staff along with my fellow Township Committee members for their support in keeping Hanover a great affordable place to live during a very difficult and challenging year. Additional recognition and appreciation go out to Joseph Giorgio, our Business Administrator and Cathy Iacouzzi, Deputy Clerk, on the announcement of their well-earned retirements it's a big new phase in their life that they are entering into and we all give them significant applause for their many contributions they gave to this Township they deserve it and I wish them the best.

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Thanks also to my family and with special recognition to my wife Cathy who what I call provides me with support, counsel and express gourmet meeting night dinners.

From my reflection standpoint, look back upon this past year one word really sticks out in my mind it's teamwork. Teamwork, despite all the significant challenges and there has been a huge number of challenge associated with this COVID-19 crisis, which our team Hanover workers rose to the occasion to continue to provide, think about this, support safe access on an ongoing basis without missing a beat for our community to conduct business at the municipal campus, our Town Hall has implementing a series of new safety standards to protect the members of the public as well as all of it's workers during this time. I would also like to recognize the continued protection provided to Hanover Township by our Police, Fire and EMS and Health services. In addition to the excellent performance by municipal services as exhibited by Administration, Engineering, Building, DPW, Parks and Recreation.

And in despite all the challenges all of the struggles of this year I would like to express that Great Things Still Happened in Hanover considering the following: Hanover was the recipient of a special Morris County Trails Grant to expand our trail system around the Bee Meadow Pool in a sum of over two hundred thousand dollars.

Hanover was selected by Rutgers University Bloustein School as the recipient of a special Mobility grant to improve the quality of life inclusiveness of those who suffer with disability and those with special needs in our Township and special needs sum of up to \$100K

Hanover successfully earned a NJDOT award for South Jefferson Rd in the sum of \$200,000.00. Hanover also rose to the occasion and helped support the Inter-Faith Food bank by conducting several food drives and we thank all of those who contributed to those drives. Hanover achieved a major milestone in it's history, our 300th birthday, let's celebrate this in 2021 together as one large community.

In addition, we reached important agreements with the court, what we call Court Ordered Housing demands, Hanover after working for two years plus finally reached agreements with court ordered Fair Share Housing demands to support re-development of two major vacated sites; one at River Park where a residential live-work- play village went built the other, Pine Plaza, which will be home to a big box store. Our vision initially of Pine Plaza was that of a village, unfortunately that village which we so wanted to provide our community fell victim to the COVID-19 pandemic. However, noteworthy, is the fact that Hanover Township will be building two very much needed senior housing aged restricted projects consisting of 120 units, we look forward to providing needed support to our seniors and this is the step in the right direction.

As for Resolution, look forward to working this new year once again with my fellow Committeemen, the Business Administrator, Department Heads, all the Boards and Municipal staff and workers to ensure that Hanover *remains a great affordable place to live, work and play*. It is truly a pleasure and honor to serve the community of Hanover Township. As this year marks the end of my term of office, I would like to express my intention to seek re-election and continue to help contribute to keeping Hanover a great place to live. Please be safe and stay well, wishing you all the best for a much better 2021.

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC:

Motion made by Member Francioli to Open the meeting to the public and seconded by Member Gallagher.

Jim Neidhardt: I just wanted to say congratulations to everybody on the Township Committee and all the other Boards for an outstanding year in which there were more challenges than we have ever seen before due to COVID. I think you all did a great job and I look forward to all of the good things that are going to be coming in the upcoming year. And I send to koodoos to Joe Giorgio and Ms. Iacouzzi on their retirement. I do have one question that I would like to ask of the Township Committee's perspective on it

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and perhaps if you have any information the public can have and that is related to the DOT proposed changes at Columbia Turnpike and Park Avenue, recently they issued some information on a video that explained what the plan was and I do not know if is somebody's plan or is that something that might really happen and maybe we have some perspective on that and also if you think it is a good plan during these challenges the intersection will create in our town.

Mayor: Jim, Columbia and Park Avenue that intersection is very problematic and it is dangerous for those who travel easterly they want to access that intersection, the County has been working to get the State to advance some scoping additionally on this to see what can be done, they are in that process now, I think that it is a development in terms of improvement that can serve not just our Township but all of the other adjoining townships and municipalities in Morris County to improve the safety of that and we do hope that the county will continue to work aggressively with the DOT to advance that so we can realize this improvement sooner than later.

Peter Silvis: I congratulate everyone on their appointments tonight, I just really appreciate your time tonight. I am reaching out on behalf of my company Solar Landscape we are really excited to let everyone know we are applying with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities for community solar to do a project in Hanover Township Community. What we do is we put solar panels on industrial rooftops and instead of actually powering the buildings we power homes in the community bringing solar access and energy to everybody without having to put panels on their rooftops. It is a program that is brand new through the New Jersey Clean Energy Act we are in the second year of that program and it will allow discounted power to everybody and there is no fees and no long term contracts and the electricity is required to be sold to low and moderate income households and obviously preventing emissions from entering the atmosphere and cleaning your communities air. To be clear on the location it is the Cube Smart, 1175 Route 10 they are entering an agreement to apply with the NJEPU to lease their roof space to bring this community solar project to Hanover. The application date is February 5th and my reason for being here I would like to know the best way to get a little more detailed information to the Committee in hopes to getting a resolution to support the project as we have done with other municipalities.

Mayor: Thank you Peter for advising us, I know our Business Administrator is working with the Township professionals to secure a time where you may be able to advance this concept with the Township Committee. We will let you know when that will be.

Member Gallagher: Ron pointed about listing people and I said I will play it pretty safe by listing people who are involved in my detail but there is one more person that I would like to list who is becoming more and more important in all of our details is Tom Quirk, Tom has many hats in this town and more and more Tom have been working together so in addition to people in my detail that I appreciate so much TQ I appreciate you too.

Motion to close open the public made by Member Ferramosca and seconded by Member Mihalko and unanimously passed.

BENEDICTION:

Fr. Alex Nevitt, Parochial Vicar, Notre Dame of Mt. Carmel Roman Catholic Church.

Krista DiGiorgio: Can I try and show the video again?

Mayor: Let's go the video Krista (laughter).

Member Mihalko: First the video, then you muted me then you kicked me out, do you not like me Krista? What did I ever do to you.

Krista: I'm so sorry Mike!

Member Mihalko: I would hate to be the one you don't like. (laughter)

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Mayor: As Krista works on that, we can also say that we did receive a grant this year was the compost grant and that helps support our township.

Video finally plays!!

ADJOURNMENT

Motion made to close at 6:16 p.m. was by Member Francioli and seconded by Member Mihalko and unanimously passed.

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